



# Executive Summary COVID-19 Response May 4, 2020 (1600 EDT)

**SEOC Activation Status: Full**  
**HOC Activation Status: Full**  
**SEOC Activation Date/Time:**  
**March 11, 2020 (0730 EDT)**

**Gubernatorial State of Emergency:** Declared 3/13/20  
**Federal Emergency Declaration:** Issued 3/13/20  
**Major Disaster Declaration:** Issued 4/8/20

## Community Lifeline Status



## Lifelines: Impacts and Actions

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Safety and Security	Current Situation
	Future
Food, Water, Sheltering	Current Situation
	Future
Transportation	Current Situation
	Future

Incident Summary
<p>A novel coronavirus (SARS-CoV-2) was first detected in China at the end of 2019. It has now spread to almost every country, with the largest number of cases in the United States. The disease the virus causes has been named "coronavirus disease 2019" (abbreviated "COVID-19").</p>
Key Information
<p><b>Current case status in Vermont, last updated by the Health Department at 1100 on 5/4/20:</b></p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Positive test results: 902</li> <li>Total tests conducted: 17,332</li> <li>Deaths: 52</li> <li>Hospitalized patients with COVID-19: 8</li> <li>Hospitalized patients under investigation for COVID-19: 7</li> </ul> <p><b>Executive Order Measures:</b> Today, Governor Scott amended Addendum 3 of his Executive Order, allowing healthcare providers to begin non-essential outpatient clinic visits, diagnostic imaging, and outpatient surgeries and procedures. As a prerequisite for this expansion of services, providers must demonstrate that they are adhering to physical distancing and relevant CDC guidelines regarding infection control and prevention to maintain a safe environment for patients and staff. The amendment details the specific measures that are required.</p> <p>Today, several parts of Addendum 12 to Governor Scott's executive order took effect as part of a phased reopening of businesses in Vermont. Addendum 12 expands on the mandatory health and safety requirements that businesses reopening must comply with:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Crews of 10 or fewer employees per location/job to perform outdoor work and construction work in unoccupied job sites.</li> <li>Manufacturing and distribution operations may resume with a maximum of 10 employees in any location if they are low-density and ensure employees are always six feet apart.</li> <li>Requiring employers operating with 10 or more employees to adopt a health and training program to augment the required VOSHA training prior to reopening. Required VOSHA training was to be completed by close of business today.</li> </ul> <p><b>Local State of Emergency:</b> Burlington, Colchester, Johnson, Rutland, Vernon.</p> <p><b>Local EOCs Activated (self-reported):</b> Bethel, Burlington, Chittenden (town), Charleston, Hartford, Johnson, Landgrove, Londonderry, Peacham, Pittsfield, Rutland, Sharon, South Burlington, St. Johnsbury, Strafford, Thetford, Tunbridge, Vernon, Waitsfield, Weston, Woodstock.</p>

Health and Medical	Current Situation
	Future
Other Lifelines	Current Situation
	Future