



LHA COVID-19 ALERT



LHA COVID-19 Alert: March 21, 2020 Urgent Data Request from LDH Regarding COVID-19 Patient Treatment

Today, the Louisiana Department of Health's Office of the Secretary issued an **urgent data request for all Tier 1 hospitals** regarding COVID-19 patient treatment to help Louisiana officials evaluate COVID-19 response needs.

Please provide the following responses to LHA Emergency Preparedness Program Manager Frances Arledge at LHAep@lhaonline.org by 10:00 a.m. Sunday, March 22.

1. Facility Name:
2. How many COVID-19 positive patients are you currently treating in your facility?
3. How many of the patients in question 2 have required mechanical ventilation?
4. Since the beginning of this event, how many total COVID-19 positive patients have you treated as an inpatient?
5. How many of the patients in question 4 have required mechanical ventilation?

If you need assistance during the weekend, contact LHA VP of Member Services Ken Alexander at kalexander@lhaonline.org or Emergency Preparedness Program Manager Frances Arledge at farledge@lhaonline.org.

This and other local, state and national hospital-specific resources and guidance from trusted sources can be located on the [LHA's COVID-19 webpage](#). We will continue to monitor developments and update resources as necessary.

Note: This Alert is being distributed to **Tier 1 hospital CEOs** in the LHA database.