

# Coronaviruses (CoV)

are a family of viruses that cause the common cold as well as more severe diseases.

Source: World Health Organization

# CORONAVIRUS

# **Wuhan**

Considered the epicenter of the outbreak, the first reported cases of COVID-19 emerged from this city located in China's Hubei province on December 31, 2019.

3.4%

The estimated global mortality rate for COVID-19, although researchers state this number may shift

Source: World Health Organization

### COVID-19

SARS-CoV-2 is a strain of coronavirus that had not been previously identified in humans, making it a novel coronavirus. The disease caused by this virus is known as COVID-19.

Source: World Health Organization

## **COVID-19 Signs & Symptoms**







## Fever • Cough • Shortness of Breath

Symptoms can range from mild to severe. Senior citizens and those with underlying medical conditions like cardiovascular disease, lung disease, cancer or diabetes are at increased risk for severe symptoms, which can lead to viral pneumonia and even death.

Source: Centers for Disease Control & Prevention (CDC)

**80%** of COVID-19 ases **cause on** 

cases cause only mild cold-like symptoms

Source: Chinese Center for Disease Control and Prevention, as reported by the American Medicals



### **Face Mask FAQ**

Should I be wearing a face mask?

### NO

√ Anyone who is well

### YES

- √ Anyone with COVID-19 or symptoms
- √ Health workers
- √ Caretakers of someone infected with COVID-19

Source: Centers for Disease Control & Prevention (CDC)

# **Protect Yourself & Others**









- 1. Wash hands frequently with soap and water for at least 20 seconds, and always before eating; after using the bathroom; and after blowing your nose, coughing or sneezing.
- 2. Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth with unwashed hands.
- 3. Cover your cough or sneeze with a tissue, then dispose of the tissue in the trash.
- **4.** Stay at home when sick until your symptoms are gone.

Source: National Center for Immunization and Respiratory Diseases (NCIRD)



- 1. You feel sick with fever, cough or difficulty breathing AND
- 2. You have been in close contact with a person known to have COVID-19 or have recently traveled from an area with ongoing spread of COVID-19, contact your healthcare professional to help determine if you need to be tested for COVID-19.

Source: Centers for Disease Control & Prevention (CDC)

- > Brought to you by Buffalo Trace District Health Department.
- > BTDHD is monitoring the situation closely and preparing for a response.
- > Visit BuffaloTraceHealth.com for more resources on COVID-19. Or call the hotline: 1-800-722-5725

