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COVID-19 RESPONSE 4-17-2020

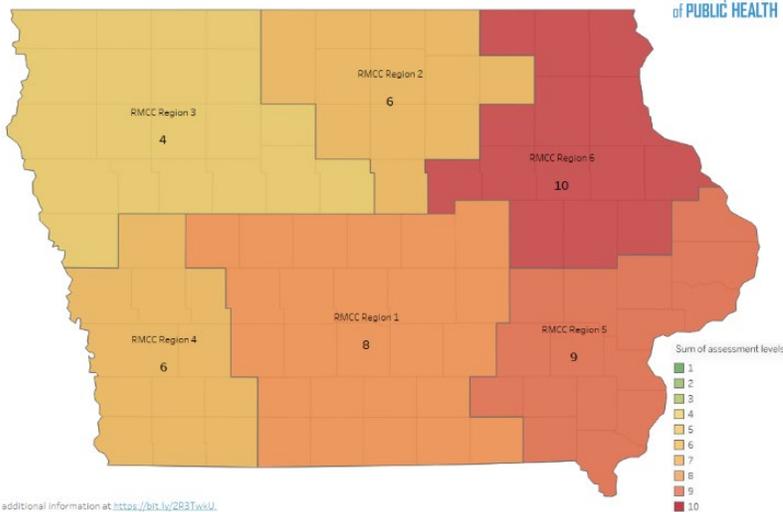
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Iowa DOT's COVID-19 pages are available at <https://iowadot.gov/covid-19> (outside the DOT network) or <http://dotnet/covid-19/> (inside the DOT network).

Here's what we know

- Since our last update on Wednesday there have been an additional 337 positive cases reported for a total of 1,995 positive cases confirmed. Iowa has had 11 additional deaths for a total of 64 in the state due to COVID-19.
- Don't forget to check out the state's newly redesigned [COVID-19 website](#) for the latest Iowa stats regarding cases, tests, deaths, and curve information.

COVID-19 Assessment
Updated 4/16/2020



Find additional information at <https://bit.ly/288TwsU>.

Here's what we are doing internally

- Yesterday, the [Governor announced stricter requirements](#) for those residing in District 6 (Northeastern Iowa). The DOT remains open in Region 6, and employees should continue to report to work. However, we are evaluating additional steps we may need to take to further ensure the safety of our employees and customers. One of those steps includes providing thermometers for staff in Dubuque, Waterloo, and Cedar Rapids driver's service centers so they can take the temperature of customers as they enter the facilities.
- Are you or another employee you know working to help support others in your community during the COVID-19 crisis? If so, we would love to hear what is being done. We're working

on a story to highlight the great work our DOT family is doing during this time. If you have a story to share contact Tracey Bramble at tracey.bramble@iowadot.us.

Here's what we are doing externally

- We have launched a new temporary process to help teens in the graduated license program advance to the next license level without coming into a service center during the COVID-19 crisis. Teens moving from a learner's permit to an intermediate driver's license or from an intermediate to a full driver's license can now initiate the process by having their parents fill out a form. Our staff will work with the families remotely and new cards will be sent through the mail. [Find out more](#) about the process.

We will continue to keep you informed on what the Iowa DOT is doing to respond. Please stay safe, stay home when possible, and remember to practice good hygiene and social distancing!