Marin County COVID-19 status update: March 12th, 2020

**Guidance for Skilled Nursing Facilities and other Senior Facilities:**

Marin County Public Health released new standards for protecting the residents of skilled nursing facilities and other congregate settings for vulnerable populations. These recommendations are effective immediately through March 26, 2020 and will be evaluated based on the evolving situation. [Guidance for Skilled Nursing Facilities and other Senior Facilities](https://www.marinpublichealth.org/coronavirus)

**New Guidance for outdoor events**

In conjunction with our previously issued guidance on large gatherings with 100 or more people indoors, we are also recommending that outdoor gatherings that include 250 people or more should be postponed or cancelled through March 26, 2020.

**COVID-19 activity in Marin:**

- Confirmed cases with known source: 3
- Confirmed cases from local transmission: 0
- COVID-19 related deaths in Marin: 0
- All 56 Marin residents who traveled on the Grand Princess – Mexican Riviera voyage have been contacted. Three were hospitalized with symptoms. One tested positive for COVID-19, two tested negative.
- To date, Marin health officials are still awaiting the manifest to determine which Marin County residents were on the Grand Princess Cruise – Hawaiian voyage.
- As of March 12, there are 198 cases and four deaths in California, according to the [California Department of Public Health](https://www.cdph.ca.gov/).  

**SBA To Provide Small Businesses Impacted by COVID-19 Up to $2 Million in Disaster Assistance Loans**

If your small business has been affected by COVID-19 here is where you can find more information about [SBA disaster assistance loans](https://www.sba.gov/).  

**Where to get the latest information:**

Visit the official Marin County Coronavirus webpage (MarinHHS.org/coronavirus) to review answers to frequently asked questions or subscribe to receive email updates. Individuals can contact Marin Health and Human Services with non-medical questions about the
coronavirus by calling (415) 473-7191 (Monday – Friday, 9:30am to 12-noon and 1pm to 5pm) or emailing COVID-19@marincounty.org.