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COVID-19 — KANSAS — 3/23/2020

As of March 22, 2020, the state of Kansas has reported 64 confirmed cases of the COVID-19 virus. The state has experienced two deaths from the virus.

Summary of Actions in Response to COVID-19.

- On March 15, Governor Kelly recommended the closure of all public schools in Kansas for one week and established a team of education experts to develop a comprehensive strategic plan to address the challenges that schools face from the COVID-19 pandemic.
- Governor Laura Kelly issued an [Executive Order](#), effective March 17, 2020, directing utility providers to temporarily suspend the practice of disconnecting utility and Internet services of Kansans for nonpayment.
- On March 18, the Kansas Department of Health and Environment mandated a 14-day quarantine for Kansans who had traveled to specific locations within the United States as well as internationally.

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