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## FISCAL UPDATE Article

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### COVID-19 — VERMONT — 3/24/2020

**COVID-19 Cases.** As of March 24, 2020, according to data published by the University of Washington, Humanistic Geographic System Laboratory, Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) Infection [Map](#), the following information about COVID-19 has been reported for Vermont:

- Confirmed 75
- Active 70
- Recovered 0
- Deaths 5

**Legislature.** The state legislature has adjourned until March 24, 2020.

**Social Distancing.** The state [prohibits](#) all nonessential mass gatherings to no more than 10 people at the same time in a single space. A “nonessential gathering” does not include normal operations at airports, bus or railway stations where persons may be in transit; typical office, construction, manufacturing, grocery, food production, retail and retail banking, professional or other employment environments; gatherings of the press; or operations of the Vermont Judiciary or General Assembly consistent with their constitutional authority.

**National Guard.** The state has requested aid from the National Guard.

**School Closures.** The state has temporarily closed schools through at least April 6, 2020.

**Restaurant and Bar Closures.** Effective Tuesday, March 17, 2020, at 2:00 p.m. and continuing in full force and effect until April 6, 2020, any restaurant, bar, or establishment that offers food or drink shall not permit on-premises consumption of food or drink; provided, however, such establishments may continue to offer food for takeout and by delivery.

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