



COVID-19 OUTBREAK

COVID-19 BRIEFING - 231.1

JANUARY 14, 2021

For Operational Period: January 13, 2021

WORLDWIDE

92,903,364 Cases

1,989,828 Deaths

UNITED STATES

23,617,815 Cases

393,948 Deaths

MICHIGAN

573,278 Cases

14,336 Deaths

OUT-WAYNE COUNTY

58,477 Cases

1,874 Deaths

SITUATIONAL AWARENESS

- A coronavirus vaccine developed by China's Sinovac Biotech was found to be just 50.4 percent effective at preventing symptomatic infections of COVID-19 in a Brazilian trial, researchers said on Tuesday (Jan. 12), barely enough for regulatory approval and well below the rate announced last week.—**Aljazeera News**
- MDHHS has updated its epidemic order today to allow re-opening of additional activities where Michiganders can remain masked and socially distanced, as this has been scientifically shown to slow the virus. This includes indoor group exercise and non-contact sports. The new order is effective Saturday, Jan. 16 and will last until Sunday, Jan. 31.—**Michigan.gov**
- The CDC said Tuesday (Jan. 12) it will require a negative COVID-19 test from all air passengers entering the United States—a move it says may help slow the spread of the coronavirus. Air passengers will be required to get a viral test within three days before their flight to the United States departs, and to provide written documentation of their lab results, or documentation of having recovered from COVID-19, the agency said in a statement The new rule will go into effect Jan. 26.—**CNN Health**
- The closure of the border between the U.S. and Canada has once again been extended amid the coronavirus pandemic. Canada's Minister of Public Safety and Emergency Preparedness Bill Blair announced on Jan. 12 that the U.S.-Canada border will remain closed until Feb. 21, in order to "ensure the safety of Canadians" against COVID-19.—**Click on Detroit**

ACTIONS TAKEN

- The Public Health Emergency Operations Center (PHOC) is at FULL ACTIVATION.

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