

Arizona COVID-19 cases

The Arizona Department of Health Services has reported 21,250 positive COVID-19 cases and 10,536 cases in Maricopa County as of June 2, 2020. Out of the 336,589 COVID-19 tests completed to date in Arizona, 5.7% have tested positive for the virus. In Maricopa County, 11,571 patients (15%) have been admitted to a hospital and 368 (4%) admitted to an ICU since the county began collecting data on Jan. 22.

Food trucks next week

Abrazo employees, physicians and first responders will be treated to free meals from local food trucks next week courtesy of Ball Corporation, which operates a beverage packaging manufacturing facility in Goodyear.

The meals are being donated in recognition of Abrazo's health care heroes serving greater Phoenix during the ongoing novel coronavirus pandemic. Meals will be served during day and evening shifts; watch for flyers with details about dates and times for your campus.

"Our employees felt we could have the biggest positive impact on the community by thanking our hospital workers and first responders, while assisting small business, during the crisis. We took this idea and worked with Abrazo and we are delighted with the opportunity to help," said Chris McClanahan, HR Manager, Ball Corporation.

Arizona Declaration of Emergency and Curfew

Gov. Ducey issued a statewide Declaration of Emergency and weeklong curfew on Sunday, May 31, 2020. The curfew is in effect from the hours of 8 p.m. to 5 a.m., and will expire on Monday, June 8.

For all staff traveling to and from work after 8 p.m., please ensure to have your hospital ID badge on hand. Exemptions to the order include travel to and from work, law enforcement and first responders, individuals seeking medical care, attending religious services, obtaining food and caring for family members or friends.

You can see the full news release and additional details on the order here:

<https://azgovernor.gov/governor/news/2020/05/emergency-declaration-curfew-place>

Employee Health hotline

A reminder to please notify your hospital's Employee Health office if you go home sick. Employee Health staff will stay in touch daily before you return to work.

The Abrazo Employee Health hotline for COVID-19 questions is available Monday through Friday from 7 a.m. – 7 p.m., and Saturday-Sunday from 7 a.m. – 5 p.m. The hotline is for Abrazo employees only and may be reached at 602-246-5597.

If you need to visit Employee Health, please call ahead so staff can plan for your arrival.

Community resources for health care workers

Many businesses in the community and across the country are providing resources/free services to assist health care professionals at this time. You can go to the Human Resources page on the Abrazo Intranet to see the latest updates to the list of businesses providing discounts and services.