



**Charlotte County
EMERGENCY OPERATIONS CENTER
SITUATION REPORT**

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SITUATION REPORT #

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1. Incident Name

2020 COVID-19 Public Health Emergency

2. Date Prepared

07/29/2020

3. Operational Period

07/29/2020 12:00:00 - 07/29/2020 12:00:00

4. Event Type

PANDEMIC

5. Evacuation Zones

Not Applicable To This Incident

6. Local State of Emergency

YES

7. Evacuation

NO

8. Activation Level

2-PARTIAL

9. Government Offices

OPEN

10. Shelters

CLOSED

11. Special Needs

CLOSED

12. Schools

CLOSED

13. Map Sketch



**14. Weather Forecast for Op Period
25/Potential Tropical Cyclone 9**

As of the 5 AM AST advisory, Disturbance 25 was located about 5 miles south of Dominica. It is moving to the west-northwest near 23 mph. This motion should continue for the next 2 to 3 days. This motion will take the system toward the Virgin Islands and Puerto Rico this afternoon into Thursday morning and across eastern Hispaniola on Thursday. The system is getting better organized and is likely to become a tropical storm later this morning. Thereafter, it is forecast to weaken as it interacts with the eastern Dominican Republic late Thursday into Friday. Beyond that point, there is a high degree of uncertainty in both the track and the intensity. Some models indicate that the center may move slowly north up the Florida Peninsula and emerge off the east coast by Tuesday, while others indicate a possible emergence off the west coast of Florida into the northeast Gulf of Mexico. Just about as probable is that it may weaken to a remnant low pressure area over interior Florida early next week. For now, we are going with that option, with the caveat that the long-range forecast remains very uncertain.

Other Disturbances / Areas to Watch

Disturbance 26 is located along 40W, or midway between Africa and the eastern Caribbean. It is moving to the west near 20-25 mph. This motion is expected to continue for the next several days. Environmental conditions are not expected to be favorable for development as the system moves across the Atlantic. The chance of tropical development remains at 10 percent.

15. Summary of Current Situation and Actions

Mass Testing Sites:

Charlotte Sport Park

Tues and Thurs 8:30 am to 11

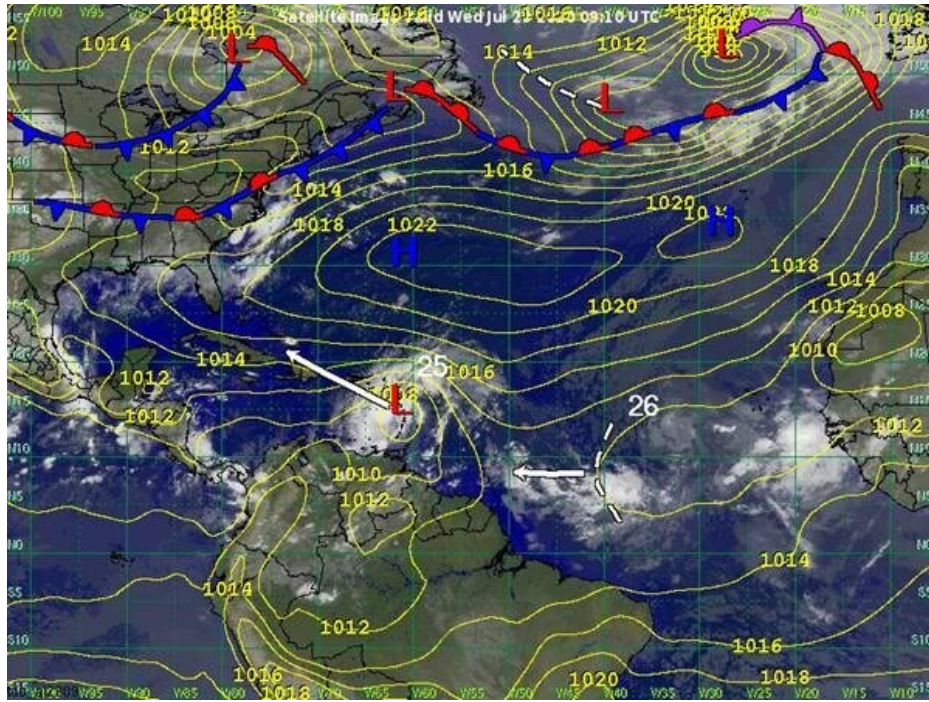
2300 El Jobean Rd, Port Charlotte, FL 33948

Publix Super Market at Port Charlotte Crossing

Mon thru Fri 9 am to 4 pm

4265 Tamiami Trail, Port Charlotte, FL 33980

16. Attachments



Budget

- Fiscal Services is business as usual with normal staffing levels.
- Fiscal staff is working both remotely and at the office
- We please ask that departments use and submit the WDL Forms.

Purchasing

No staffing issues at this time. Purchasing staff are ready to respond to any request related to the potential storm event. The County's primary debris Contractor has been in touch with the us and they are monitoring the situation. Also, they are prepared and ready to respond if needed.

CASE DATA FOR CHARLOTTE

Total Cases: 1,807

Residents: 1,801

Residents Not in Florida: 0

Non-Residents: 6

Conditions and Care

Deaths: 85

Hospitalizations*

Residents: 216

Non-Residents: 1

TESTING DATA FOR CHARLOTTE

Total People Tested: 22,015

Positive: 1,807

Negative: 20,195

Inconclusive: 13

Percent Positive: 8.2%: Within Target Range

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Florida Residents:

Positive: 1,801

Negative: 20,179

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Non-Florida Residents:

Positive: 6

Negative: 16

Bayfront PC/PG Hospital

Bayfront Punta Gorda:

27 - beds available

6 - ICU beds available

0 - PUI's 3 covid positive

0 - vent in use one. 1 Bipap in use on covid and 1 Vapotherm in use on a covid patient

380 - test kits between the two hospitals

Riverside has 39 patients

Bayfront Port Charlotte:

112 - beds available

0 - beds available in COVID ICU

2 - beds available in Main ICU

0 - beds available in Cardiac ICU

22 - PUIs

18 - Positive

10 - vents in use, 5 on covid patients. 11 bipaps in use, 5 on covid patients

412 test kits between the two hospitals

- Staffing levels are being monitored

- PPE levels are adequate

- Preparing for the upcoming tropical storm

- Borrowed 5 portable ventilators from Fawcett, Thank you to Fawcett for allowing us to borrow those.

Fawcett Memorial Hospital

Fawcett Memorial Hospital - Updated 8:20 AM (7/28/2020)

Available Beds - 114

Available ICU Beds - 0

COVID ICU Beds Available - 0

PUI - 21

Positive - 33

Vents in Use - 8

Test Kits - 639

Staffing Levels - OK

PPE Levels - Adequate

Additional Needs - None

Englewood Water District

Staffing levels: All departments normal.

Water Plants: Operational

Distribution System: Operational

Wastewater Plants: Operational

Wastewater Collection System: Operational

Staff is following our emergency reaction plans for the potential storm threat by topping off all generators and removing any potential flying debris from the various sites.

Human Resources

Staffing is normal, no unmet needs.

Nothing new to report.

Human Services

Human Services Divisions

Management

- Staff Updates and EOC Briefing
- CARES Act Funding
- Review Investigations & Findings & Summary

211/ Intake

- 211 received 87 calls on Tuesday.
- Assisted with processing COAD applications.

Aging and Adults Services

- Staff assisting with processing COAD applications.

Veterans Services

- Assisted with new 15 COAD applications, 0 Veteran and 0 Spanish speaking.
- Veteran assistance by appointment.

Neighborhood Services

- COAD applications continuing to be prepared for deferral to GCP.
- Training 2 CRF Guidance – Rent /Mortgage

Information Technology

- Staffing levels good.

Continuing with our COVID-19 response and CARES Act equipment deployment. While in parallel:

- Storm prep:

Have a managers' meeting later today and will adjust our planning according to any updates.

- Checking our config backups
- Identifying roles and responsibilities within IT
- Checking supplies, fuel
- With our COVID prep and response, we are in a good position for any COOP needs in terms of laptops and associated equipment.

Staffing is optimal, no unmet needs.

Most staff reports a relatively quiet day. Topics trending are:

Masks

- o Pro/Against
 - o When does it expire?
 - o Too bad it wasn't an ordinance
 - o Masks don't do anything
 - o Comments about this being unenforceable
 - o Is there a fine associated?
- Why is GC Herring Park playground unsafe?
 - Someone asked how to donate food to the Farmers to Family Food Box Program
 - Human services and 211 are getting a lot of calls about potential evictions and financial assistance.