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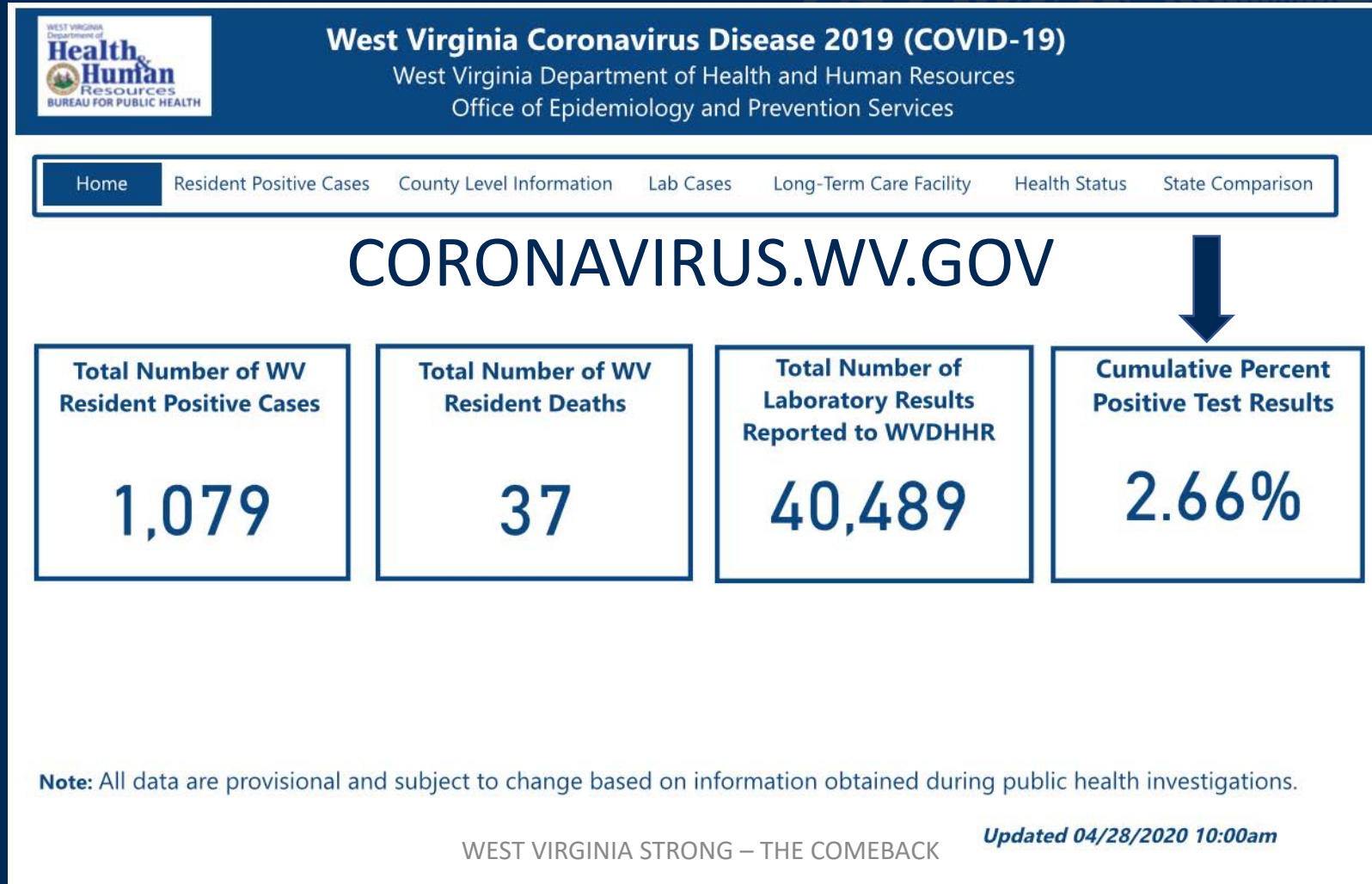
WEST VIRGINIA STRONG

The Comeback

OPENING CRITERIA

- Three consecutive days maintaining statewide Cumulative Percent of Positive Test Results below 3%
 - Beginning yesterday, Monday, April 27
- Allowing to open, NOT requiring to open

Cumulative Percent of Positive Test Results



TENTATIVE DATES FOR REOPENING

After three consecutive days maintaining statewide
Cumulative Percent of Positive Test Results below 3%

- Week 1 – Thursday April 30
- Week 2 – Monday May 4
- Weeks 3–6 will begin on subsequent Mondays
 - Businesses opening Weeks 3–6 will be announced the week before

WEEK 1

- Hospitals and elective medical procedures
- Testing of Daycare staff
- Outpatient Healthcare (working with boards and associations to develop appropriate criteria)
 - Next slide

WEEK 1 – Outpatient Healthcare List

The following Licensing Boards contained in WV Code Chapter 30

- Acupuncture Professionals
- Chiropractors
- Counselors
- Dentists
- Dieticians
- Hearing-Aid Dealers and Fitters
- Licensed Practical Nurses
- Medical Imaging and Radiation Therapy Professionals
- Doctors of Medicine and Doctors of Osteopathic Medicine
- Occupational Therapists
- Optometrists
- Pharmacists
- Physical Therapists
- Psychologists
- Registered Professional Nurses
- Respiratory Professionals
- Social Workers
- Speech-Language Pathologists

WEEK 2

- Small businesses with less than 10 employees
- Professional Services (by appointment only and waiting in vehicle instead of inside)
 - Hair and nail salons, barbershops
 - Dog grooming
- Outdoor dining at restaurants
- Churches and funerals with limited gathering size
 - Every other pew, physical distancing, face coverings

ALL with physical distancing, sanitization, face coverings

Guidance for these businesses on governor.wv.gov this afternoon

WEEKS 3-6

- Office/government buildings
- Specialty retail stores
- Parks and/or restrooms and facilities at parks
- Gyms, fitness centers, recreational centers
- Dine-in restaurants
- Hotels
- Casinos
- Spas/massage parlors
- Remaining small businesses

WILL BE ANNOUNCED AT LEAST ONE WEEK PRIOR TO REOPENING

NO TIMELINE FOR REOPENING RIGHT NOW

- Nursing home visitation
- Entertainment venues
 - Movie theaters
 - Sporting events
 - Concerts
- Gatherings larger than 25 people

CONDITIONS FOR REOPENING TO SLOW, STOP OR REVERSE

- An unexpected increase in COVID-19 positive hospitalizations
- Significant outbreaks of community-based transmission (not clusters or outbreaks in nursing homes or vulnerable communities)
 - This could be on a county by county or regional hotspot basis
- Cumulative Percent of Positive Test Results surges above 3%

WEST VIRGINIANS SHOULD CONTINUE TO

- Continue to practice physical distancing
- Wear face coverings in public where other social distancing measures are difficult to maintain
- Follow statewide Stay at Home Order until lifted
- Follow all county Health Department regulations
- Telework when possible

GOING FORWARD

- Guidance for each business sector will be released in advance
- **Guidance for Week 2 businesses released TODAY**
- Limitation on size of gatherings still in place until lifted
- Testing data tracked and analyzed daily
- Reopening plan will be modified as necessary
- Follow updates:
 - coronavirus.wv.gov
 - governor.wv.gov