

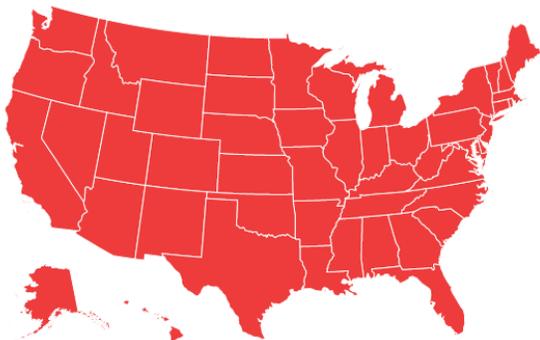
COVID-19

2020 State Government Overview Report

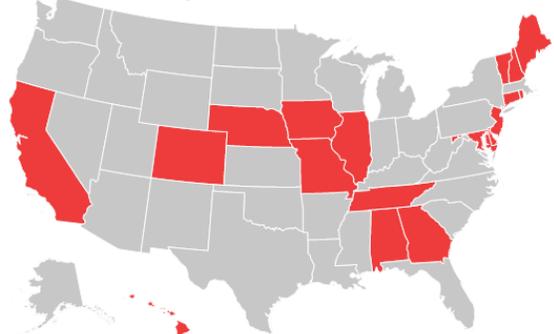
*Legislative, Executive, Regulatory, and Local Status as of March 17, 2020 at 6:27PM ET**

Since the global outbreak of coronavirus, **46 bills** have been introduced in **14 states and the District of Columbia**. The bills have been introduced on a number of issues including but not limited to waiving cost-sharing requirements, paid sick leave and worker protections, appropriations request, and expanding the power of the Governor. A total of **143 executive actions** have been issued in **50 states, Puerto Rico, and the District of Columbia**. These executive actions include but are not limited to school closures, prohibition of mass gatherings, retail closures, and declarations of states of emergency. A total of **14 task forces** have been established by **11 governors**. And, **16 states and the District of Columbia** have issued emergency regulations or policies on a number of issues including but not limited to insurance carriers, labor and wage, and social distancing. **Thirty-four (34) legislative chambers** have either temporarily adjourned or moved to virtual meetings, or announced an early recess or sine die. Additionally, we have included actions coming from the administrations of the 100 most-populated cities beginning on page 24.

Executive Actions



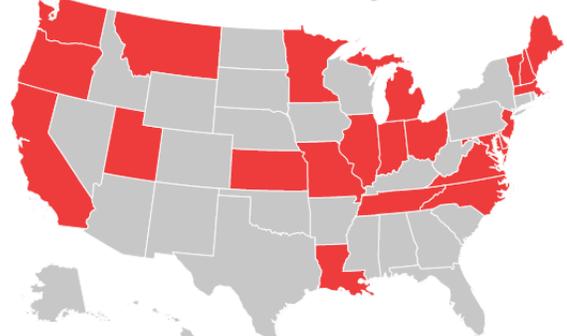
Legislatures Affected



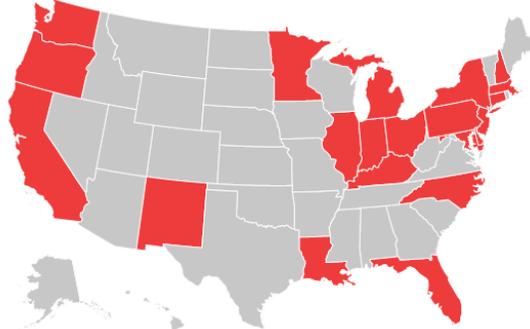
Paid Leave Proposals



Mass Gatherings



Retail Closures



**This report will be updated as the situation develops. Last updated March 17, 2020 at 6:27PM ET.*

Connecticut	Executive Action	Executive Order No. 7	Governor Ned LaMont (D) declared a state of emergency authorizing and directing the Commissioner of Public Health to delegate powers regarding quarantine to municipal and district directors of public health.	Active
Connecticut	Legislative Action	Legislature Temporarily Adjourns	On March 11, the Connecticut Legislature canceled all public hearings scheduled 3/16-3/20. Legislators also revised their rules to allow committee votes by telephone.	N/A
Connecticut	Executive Action	Retail Closure– Tri-State Area Agreement	Governor Ned Lamont (D) announced that beginning March 16, all restaurants and bars, statewide, are to close for in-house service. Take-out and delivery is available.	Active
			Gyms, movie theaters, and casinos will also be required to close. This does not affect grocery stores.	
			This was announced during a press conference. No textual document is available.	
Connecticut	Executive Action	Executive Order No. 7B	Governor Ned Lamont (D) has issued an order that waived manufacturing requirements for hand sanitizer. The governor has issued an order that suspended of garbing requirements for non-hazardous compounding of sterile pharmaceuticals. The governor has issued and order that waived prohibitions on temporary family assistance to applicants. The governor has issued an order to refund certain liquor license application fees.	Active