Local/Regional Situation Update

05-08-20 COVID-19 UPDATE

National Update

113 positive cases in Benton County/ 102 positive cases in Washington County

www.nwacovid-19.com

NWACC Status/Decision Points

Classes are scheduled to remain online through the end of the semester and summer session.

Spring 2020 Commencement has been postponed to December.

Faculty/Staff are to work remotely through at least May 26.

 Working toward a phased approach to reopening while implementing social distancing and increased sanitation.

Summer efficiency schedule to begin week of May 25.

National unemployment rate reaches 14.7%.

US death toll nears 80,000.

State Update

Positive Cases: 3,747 Active Cases: 691

AR has reported 88 deaths related to COVID-19; 2,968 recoveries

Arkansas has performed 2,355 tests within the last 24 hours with a 3.4% positivity rate.

Directive issued on recreational pools have been announced and go into effect May 22.

NWACC Planning Effort

- Stay Updated on NWACC's Response to Coronavirus (COVID-19)
 - www.nwacc.edu/coronavirus
 - Expanded to hold more information regarding NWACC's response to COVID-19 and how it may affect you as an employee.