



**For Immediate Release:**  
Deputy Chief: Britt G. Clark  
(bclark@weberfd.com)

## **PRESS RELEASE**

**March 12, 2020**  
**COVID-19**

---

### **Readiness**

Weber Fire District is ready to respond to your emergencies, we are fully staffed and have plans in place to keep current staffing levels. We are committed to the community and response during the COVID-19 outbreak. To assist in limiting the spread of the virus we ask for your assistance. Please limit 911 use to emergencies only.

### **Where you can learn more about COVID-19**

For questions about COVID-19, there are several resources available to you.

- Utah Department of Health Hotline 1-800-456-7707
- Utah Department of Health website [coronavirus.utah.gov](https://coronavirus.utah.gov)
- <http://www.webermorganhealth.org/coronavirus/>
- <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>
- <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/index.html>

### **What are the signs?**

- Fever, cough, or difficulty breathing
- These signs with recent international travel
- These signs with close contact with someone who is confirmed COVID-19 Patient

### **What to do if you think you may have COVID-19**

- Do not use 911 for non-emergency symptoms
- Contact your primary care physician
- Only go to emergency room with severe symptoms, (difficulty breathing)

### **What to expect if we respond to your home**

- A professional response
- You may be assessed by one responder wearing gloves, a mask, gown, and eye protection.
- You may be encouraged to stay at home and contact your primary care provider
- Severe cases may be transported