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2020 Department of Health Updates



Meredith Hennon
Florida Cancer Data System Annual Meeting
August 18, 2020

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- New Department of Health contact
 - Meredith Hennon, Registries and Surveillance Manager
 - MPH in Epidemiology from University of Pittsburgh
 - Been with the Department since 2012
 - Tobacco Prevention Program
 - Occupational Health and Safety Program



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- Department will continue to serve Florida's residents and visitors...
 - With immediacy by rapidly responding to new and emerging health issues
 - With evidence-based decisions, letting the data drive the narrative and our actions
 - With engagement of our stakeholders
 - With wisdom gained from experience



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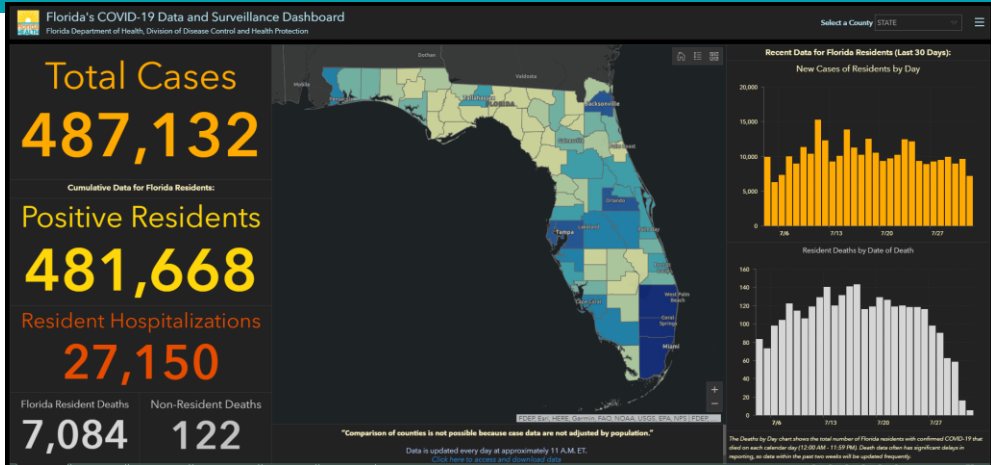
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- Current Department Priority:
 - Response to COVID-19
 - Florida Department of Health COVID-19 Dashboard
 - COVID-19 Resources



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Florida's COVID-19 Data and Surveillance [Dashboard](#)
Screenshot taken: 8/3/2020



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- COVID-19 Resources
 - Currently over 200 resources in three languages (English, Spanish, and Haitian Creole) available in a variety of formats:
 - Audio
 - Flyer
 - Poster
 - Social Media
 - Video



Florida COVID-19 Response [Resources](#)



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- COVID-19 and Cancer Surveillance
 - Please let us know if staff furloughs or other COVID-19 related complications are impacting your ability to report and you require assistance.
 - It is important that we maintain strong reporting!



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- Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's National Program of Cancer Registries "2019 Registry of Distinction"
- North American Association of Central Cancer Registries (NAACCR) Gold Certification (18th consecutive year)



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- Questions
- Comments
- Discussion
- Additional Information?

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