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[Please click here to find out more information on the coronavirus.](#)

## **Update on Novel Coronavirus, February 1, 2020**

The County of Santa Clara Public Health Department received confirmation on January 31, 2020, from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) that an adult male resident of the county has tested positive for the novel (new) coronavirus. This is the first case of novel coronavirus for Santa Clara County and the Bay Area. The risk to the general public remains low as a result of this case.

County of Santa Clara Public Health Department is working closely with the CDC and the California Public Health Department, and other partners as this continues to be a rapidly evolving situation. Information will be updated as it becomes available.

## **Update on Novel Coronavirus, January 31, 2020**

Santa Clara County health officials Friday afternoon said that a man who resides in Santa Clara County has tested positive for the Novel Coronavirus. County Health Officer Dr. Sara Cody said the man recently traveled to Wuhan, returned January 24 to the Mineta San Jose International Airport and then became sick after getting home.

He has been “self-isolating” at home since returning and only left to seek outpatient medical treatment on two occasions. Dr. Cody mentioned the patient has not been sick enough to require hospitalization and that county Health Officials are investigating/monitoring health officials, airline, and home contacts.

Dr. Cody reiterated the importance of common-sense precautions to prevent the spread of all infectious diseases:

1. If you're sick, stay home.
2. Wash your hands and don't touch your eyes, nose, and mouth.
3. Recommends getting your Flu shot.

Dr. Cody emphasized that there is no evidence that the virus is spreading anywhere in the county, Bay Area or Northern California. The two other confirmed cases in California are in Los Angeles and Orange Counties and are being monitored closely.

Federal Health and Human Services declared a public health emergency and announced significant entry restrictions due to the Coronavirus outbreak. Americans returning from China will be allowed into the country but will face screening at select ports of entry and required to undertake 14 days of self-screening to ensure they don't pose a health risk. Those returning from Hubei province, the center of the outbreak, will be subject to up to 14 days of mandatory quarantine.

To view the Press Conference: <https://cbsloc.al/37LZopB>