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Dear Neighbor,

Over the last several weeks, the United States has seen coronavirus (COVID-19) cases increase nationwide. I write to provide you important information from the United States Centers for Disease Control (CDC).

COVID-19 is a respiratory illness that spreads from person to person contact. If infected, people will show mild to severe signs including fever, cough and shortness of breath.

**2019 nCoV CORONAVIRUS**

## NOVEL CORONAVIRUS OUTBREAK (2019-nCov)

### SYMPTOMS\* OF NOVEL CORONAVIRUS

Patients with 2019-nCoV have reportedly had mild to severe respiratory illness. Symptoms can include

- Fever
- Cough
- Shortness of breath

\* Symptoms may appear 2-14 days after exposure. If you have been in China within the past 2 weeks and develop symptoms, call your doctor.

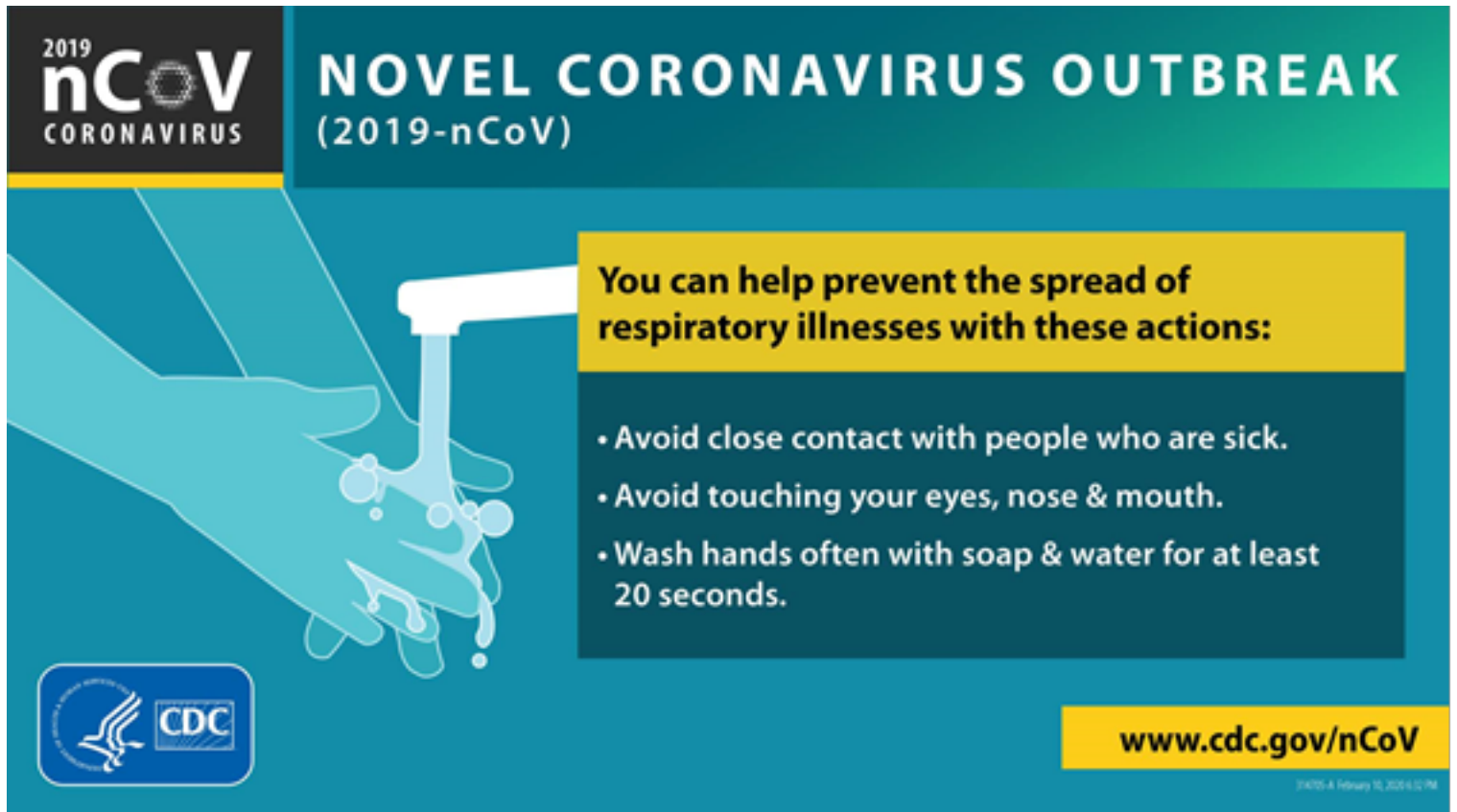
CDC

[www.cdc.gov/nCoV](http://www.cdc.gov/nCoV)

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[CDC issued guidelines](#) you will find familiar, as they are the same recommendations we should practice to avoid catching colds, the flu, or other viruses.




2019  
**nCoV**  
CORONAVIRUS

# NOVEL CORONAVIRUS OUTBREAK (2019-nCoV)

**You can help prevent the spread of respiratory illnesses with these actions:**

- Avoid close contact with people who are sick.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose & mouth.
- Wash hands often with soap & water for at least 20 seconds.

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While the risk COVID-19 poses to the general American public remains low, the Trump Administration and your representatives in Congress are taking this seriously and monitoring developments. **To combat this threat, we worked out a bipartisan agreement for \$7.8 billion in emergency funding to make test kits more widely available, provide resources to state and local governments, and other purposes.**

# \$7.8 BILLION

*to address the virus at home and abroad,  
including expediting vaccine development,  
purchasing essential equipment and supplies, and  
assisting state and local health departments.*

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I will continue to provide COVID-19 updates on my social media channels ([Facebook](#) and [Twitter](#)), and additional newsletters as necessary. If you have further questions, please don't hesitate to contact one of my offices at the numbers below.

Sincerely,



Mike Kelly  
Member of Congress

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