

MS ANG COVID-19 Update (25 Mar 20)

Major General Nabors' Priorities

1. Continue critical missions
2. Create social distancing at all Wings/CRTC
3. Pay our Airmen (with flexibility and legality)
4. Communicate to the lowest levels

- Currently, **three State Active Duty** missions have been assigned to the MSNG
 - The 172 AW will man a mobile testing facility with 20 PAX
 - The ARNG has executed some PPE distribution operations
 - Several MSNG members are performing command and control operations
- **One T10** mission has been assigned—the 186 AOG is standing up to augment 1AF with night shift operations
- Your Wing/CRTC Commander has been developing a **UTA plan** for you! Get in touch with your supervisor if you need information/clarification.
- **Dispel the rumors!** There has been no discussion regarding using National Guard soldiers and airmen to enforce quarantine or martial law. If you hear rumors on this subject, reiterate the TAG's message: Once activated, the missions of the MSNG will primarily consist of humanitarian support efforts. Examples of these missions could include logistical support, supply distribution, site set-up and support at drive-thru screening facilities in addition to supporting local and state civil authorities.
- The CDC Website has a **COVID-19 self checker** available.
<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/symptoms-testing/symptoms.html>
- **Public Service Announcement!** The FBI warns of a recently reported spam-email supposedly from the IRS which is actually an attempt to steal consumer information. The email advises the recipient that direct deposit is the fastest/easiest way to receive their (possible) economic stimulus tax rebate. The sender requests PII including bank account information. Be advised, the IRS does not request detailed information by email! Warn your family and friends!
- **Helpful Links**
 - Center for Disease Control <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019>
 - Mississippi COVID-19 Government Site <https://www.coronavirus.ms.gov/>
 - Mississippi Department of Health https://msdh.ms.gov/msdhsite/_static/14,0,420.html#public
 - The MSNG 'FRONT DOOR' HOTLINE: 601.313.MSNG (6764)
 - The Outreach Services Mobile App: Free for Download on Apple and Android devices - Your One-Stop-Shop to a multitude of MSNG resources and supporting agencies.
 - The MSNG HRO for Personnel Questions and Telework Guidance: 601.313.6121
- **DO NOT REPORT FOR DUTY** if you have a fever or any condition that would cause you to question your normal health – contact your supervisor for guidance.
- **DO NOT REPORT FOR DUTY** if you have reason to believe you have been in close contact with anyone affected by the COVID 19 virus – contact your supervisor for guidance.
- **LAST BUT NOT LEAST**, if anyone from the media approaches you, direct them to JFH-PA ng.ms.msarng.list.public-affairs@mail.mil

