

## AUGUST CONTACT TRACING MONTHLY REPORT

Pennsylvania is hiring [up to 1,000 more contact tracing staff](#) to bolster and diversify our public health workforce all while keeping our Pennsylvanians safe in partnership with Insight Global with available funding made available through the federal government. We are working carefully and intentionally hiring immediate needs to stop the spread of COVID-19. As we gradually engage, onboard, and train staff we will assess the commonwealth's needs with our partners and update open positions as they become available.

The Department of Health has been working to engage and train the first cohort of contact tracing staff [hired and onboarded through partnership with Insight Global](#). Additionally, the DOH is working alongside the Regional Response Health Collaboration Program (RRHCP) under the PA Department of Human Services to incorporate their contact tracing efforts in Long-Term Care Facilities within the Commonwealth.

Region	Number of Active Tracers as of August 31
NW	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 15 Erie County Health Department</li> <li>• 17 PA DOH Staff</li> <li>• 20 LECOM Staff</li> </ul>
SW	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 17 Allegheny County Health Department</li> <li>• 35 PA DOH Staff</li> <li>• 10 (CDC Foundation)</li> <li>• 12 UPMC Staff</li> </ul>
NC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 17 Penn State Biobehavioral Health</li> <li>• 11 PA DOH Staff</li> <li>• 4 Geisinger Staff</li> </ul>
SC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 9 York City Health Department</li> <li>• 27 PA DOH Staff</li> <li>• 10 Penn State College of Medicine</li> <li>• 6 AmeriCorps</li> <li>• 10 Penn State Staff</li> </ul>
NE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 24 Allentown City Health Department</li> <li>• 17 Bethlehem City Health Department</li> <li>• 6 Wilkes-Barre City Health Department</li> <li>• 22 PA DOH Staff</li> <li>• 11 SERVPA Volunteers</li> <li>• 29 Temple University students</li> <li>• 5 Geisinger Staff</li> </ul>
SE	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 27 Bucks County Health Department Staff</li> <li>• 34 Chester County Health Department Staff</li> <li>• 33 Delaware County Health Department Staff</li> <li>• 35 Montgomery County Health Department Staff</li> <li>• 84 Philadelphia County Health Department Staff</li> <li>• 55 Lancaster General Health for Lancaster County</li> <li>• 65 Co-County Wellness for Berks County</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 17 PA DOH Staff</li> <li>• 58 Jefferson Hospital Staff</li> </ul>
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• 290 Contact Tracers with Insight Global were being onboarded through training done by the PA Department of Health in collaboration with the Office of Administration's Health and Human Service Delivery Center.</li> </ul>
<b>Total</b>	<b>1,032 Contact Tracers</b>

Note: Individual volunteers and volunteer groups have fluctuated as their availabilities may change. As Pennsylvania onboards staffing for contact tracing, this total number will remain more consistent.