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# COVID-19 Webinar

## A National Conversation: Part 7

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# Agenda:

- ▶ Purpose & Rules of Engagement
- ▶ COVID-19 Situation Update
- ▶ Guest Speaker Discussion
- ▶ Cross-Canada Conversation / Check-in  
(if time allows)
- ▶ Q&A (if time allows)



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# Purpose of these gatherings:

- Update on COVID-19 situation
- Receive FirstWatch SitRep on COVID-19 surveillance activity
- Listen to guest speakers on select issues
- Share solutions regarding specific challenges posed by COVID-19



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# Rules of Engagement

- ▶ Session will conclude after 60 minutes
- ▶ Session materials can be sent to [eid@ParamedicChiefs.ca](mailto:eid@ParamedicChiefs.ca) for posting on Paramedic Chiefs of Canada website
- ▶ Please keep your comments brief



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# COVID-19 Situation Update



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# COVID-19 Situation Update



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## COVID-19 Cases

**4,170,424**

81,577 (24 hrs)

## Deaths

**287,399**

4,245 (24 hrs)

### Situation in numbers (by WHO Region)

Total (new cases in last 24 hours)

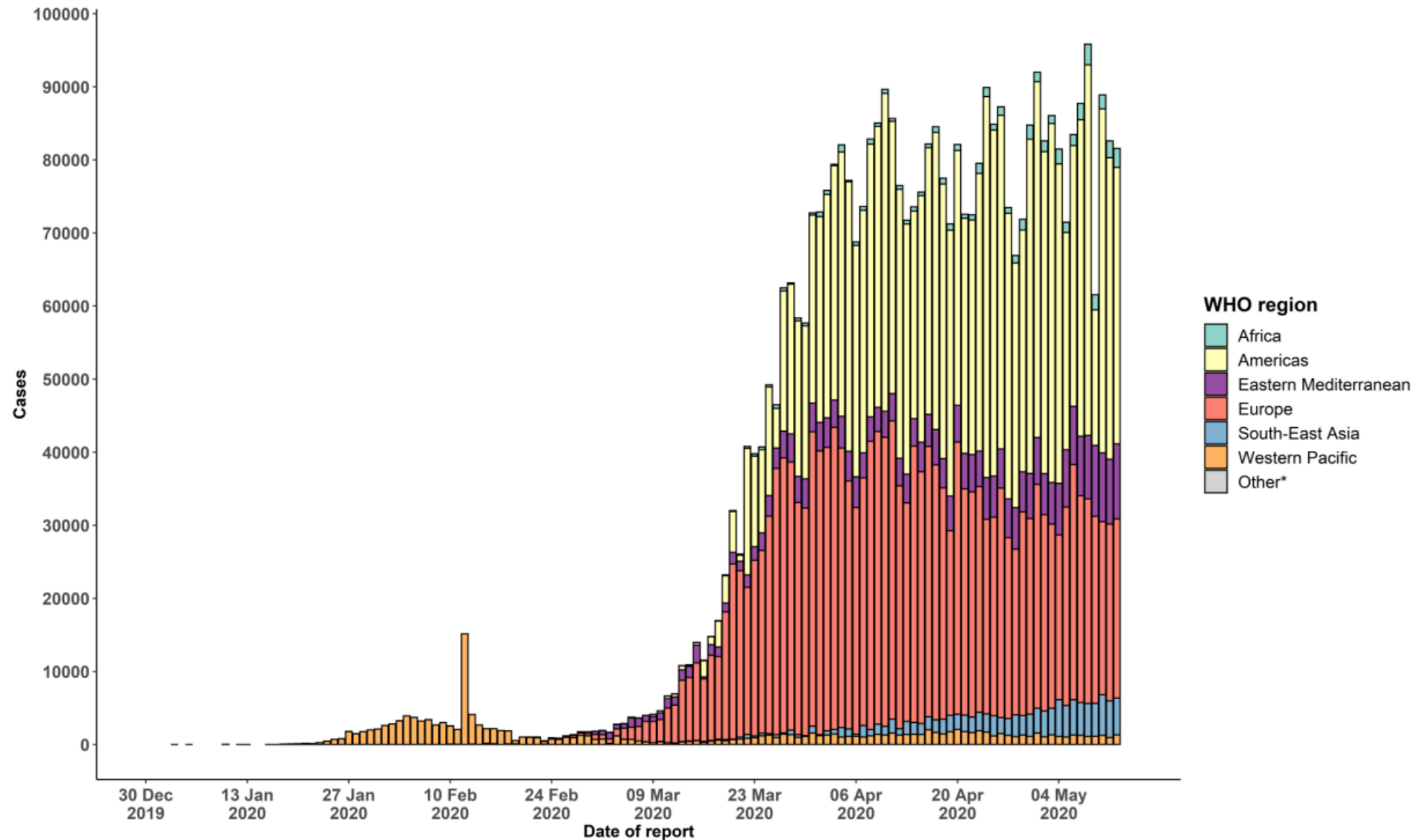
<b>Africa</b>	49 429 cases (2 600)	1 500 deaths (51)
<b>Americas</b>	1 781 564 cases (37 847)	106 504 deaths (1 955)
<b>Eastern Mediterranean</b>	284 270 cases (10 243)	9 259 deaths (121)
<b>Europe</b>	1 780 316 cases (24 527)	159 799 deaths (1 918)
<b>South-East Asia</b>	110 932 cases (5 031)	3 746 deaths (149)
<b>Western Pacific</b>	163 201 cases (1 329)	6 578 deaths (51)

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# Kids Do Get COVID-19



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- ✓ As more cases of COVID-19 have been seen around the globe, children have not escaped infection, critical illnesses and a some deaths
- ✓ In particular, those  $< 1$  year may have critical illness although all ages, including teens have been identified
- ✓ There are less known COVID-19 infections in pediatrics, around 2% of total cases throughout the world

# Kids Have Different S/S



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- ✓ GI symptoms, with diarrhea, vomiting, abdominal pain, nausea & anorexia
- ✓ Nasal congestion
- ✓ Less respiratory symptoms; dry cough & SOB seen; sometimes thick secretions,
- ✓ Sore throat
- ✓ Fatigue
- ✓ Headache
- ✓ Myalgias & Arthralgias
- ✓ Other co-infections with COVID also found

# New Syndromes in Kids



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- ✓ Recent reports from Europe, Asia and now in the US of 2 different syndromes
  - Kawasaki-like syndrome
  - Toxic Shock
- ✓ Called Pediatric Multi-System Inflammatory Syndrome
- ✓ Both critical and milder cases – All Must Be Found for treatment
- ✓ Syndrome may be ID'd first & then COVID tested
- ✓ Need quick supportive care & specialist care
- ✓ Deaths have occurred

# Transport When Suspected



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Condition may change rapidly:

- ✓ A child with persistent fever and/or ill
- ✓ Rash
- ✓ Swollen or peeling hands/feet
- ✓ Bloodshot eyes
- ✓ Irritation/swelling of the mouth, tongue, lips or throat
- ✓ Evidence of single or multi organ failure (i.e. shock, cardiac or respiratory failure, renal, GI or neuro disorder)



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- Volume down for most agencies except those hardest hit
- Second Weekend dip in COVID call volume
- Some 911 agencies no longer asking screening questions
  - Assuming all could have COVID-19
- Cyber Attacks Increased

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# COVID-19 Monitoring



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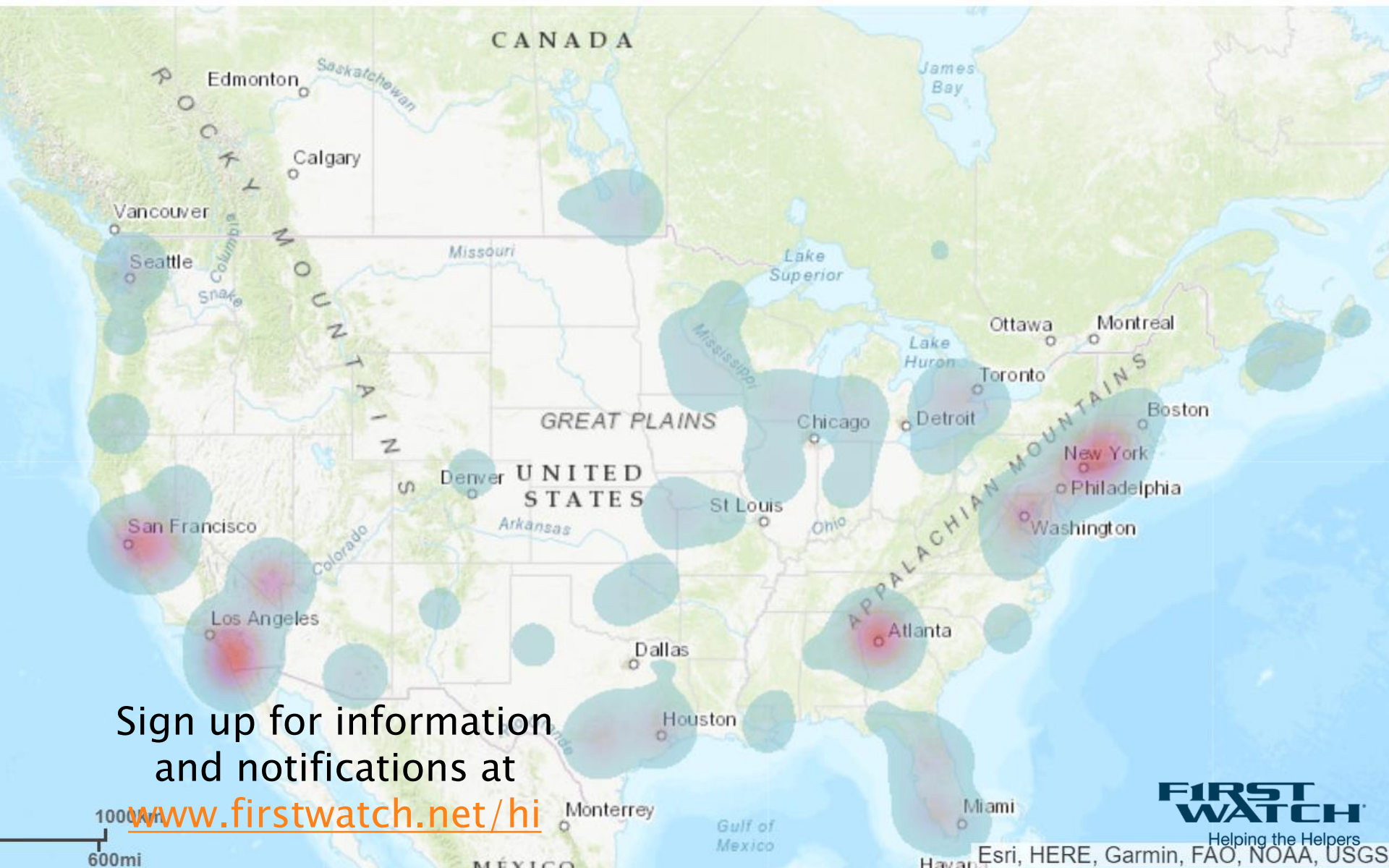


# COVID-19 Surveillance



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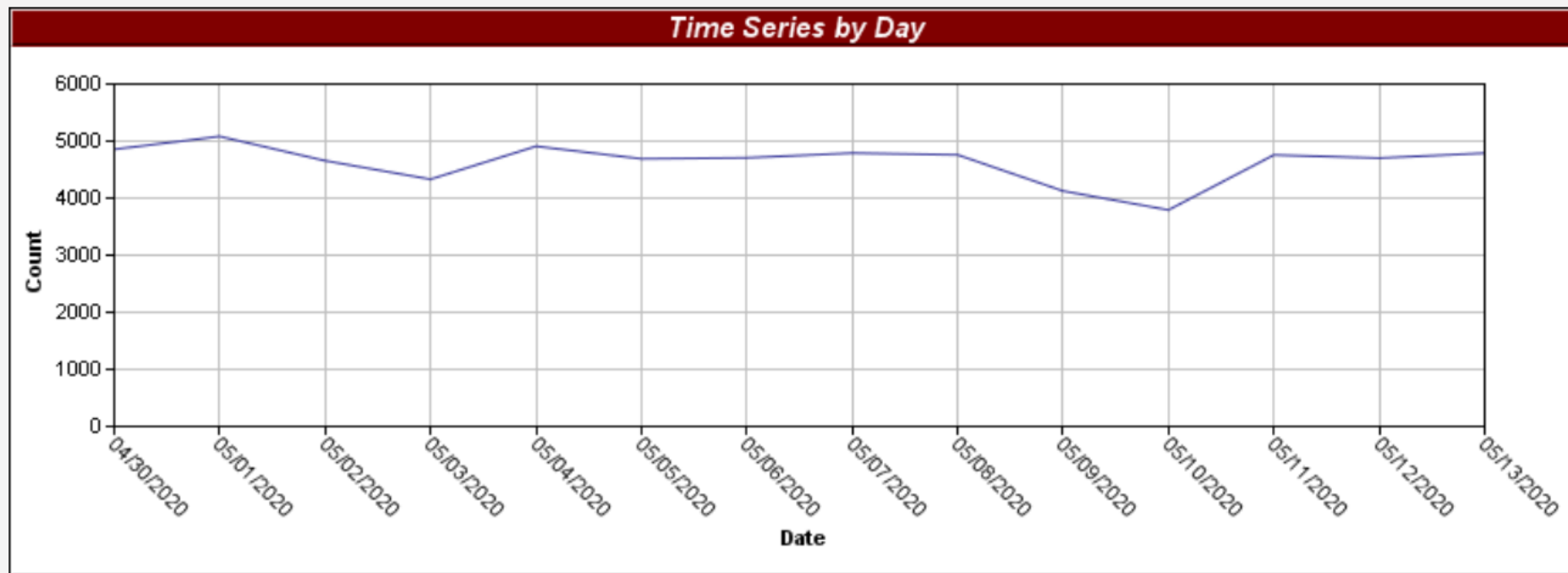
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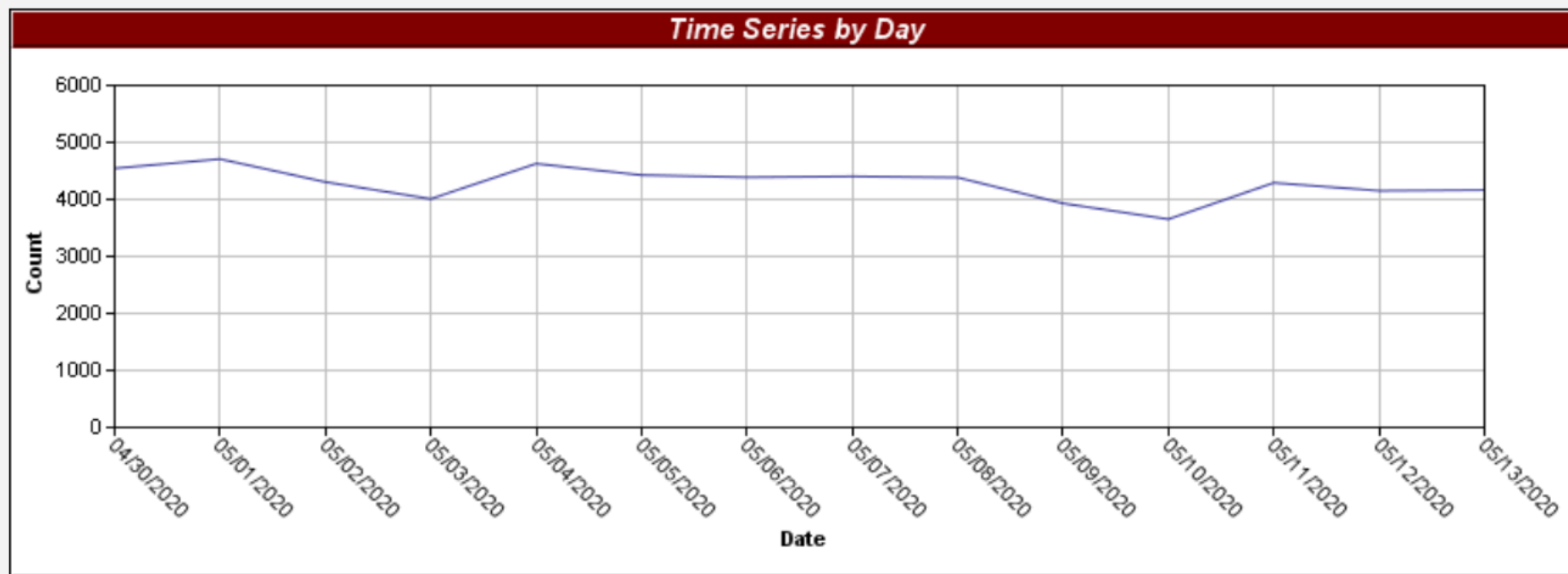
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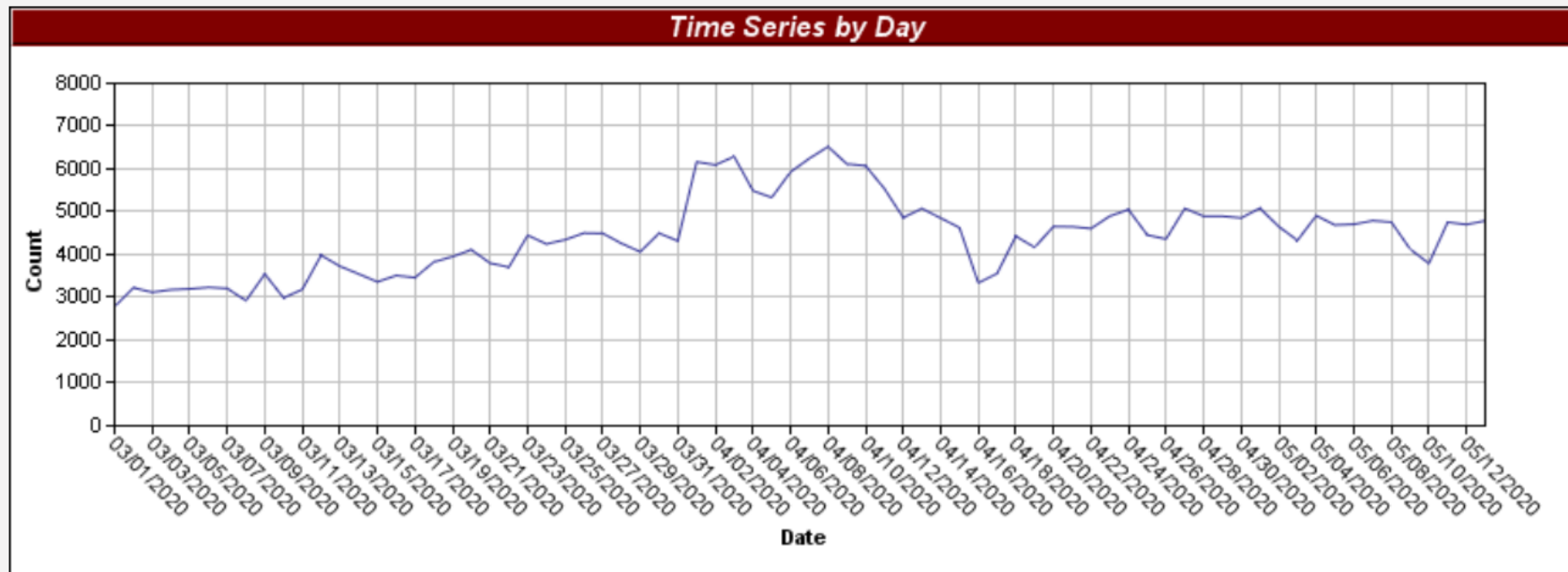
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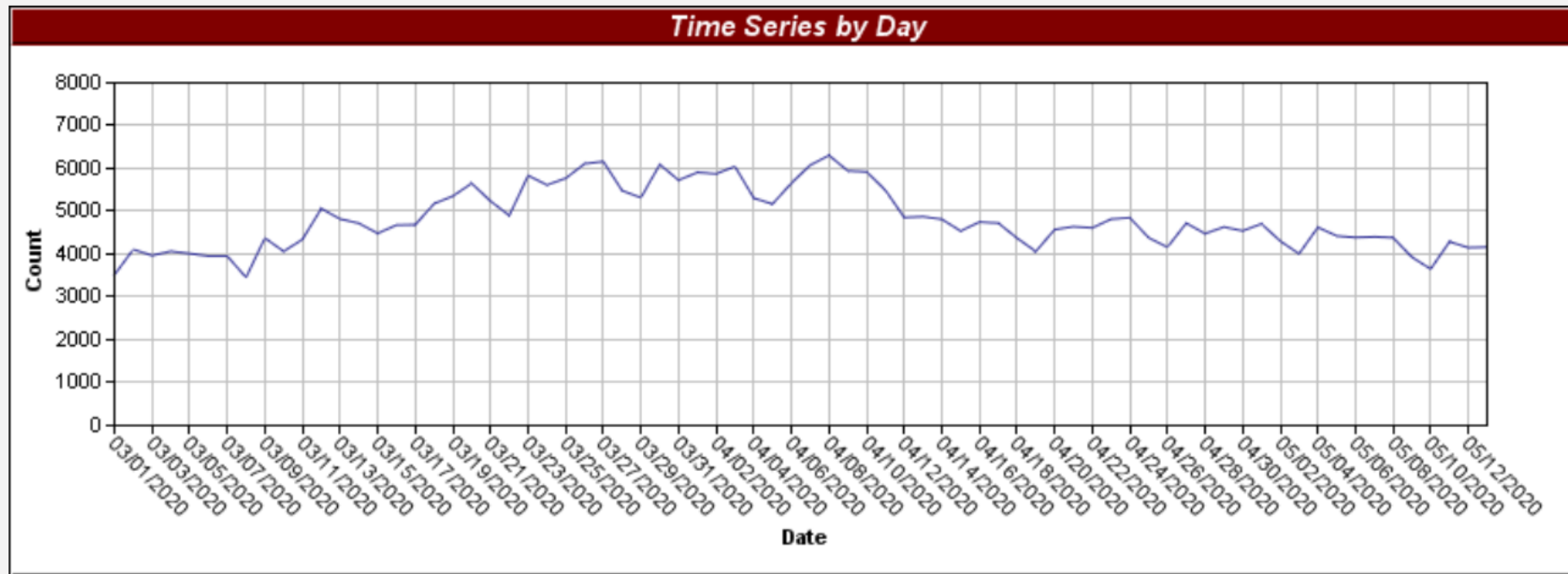
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### South County Fire COVID-19 Procedure Manual

During the April 30, 2020 COVID-19 webinar we hosted with the Paramedic Chiefs of Canada (PCC) and the International Academies of Emergency Dispatch (IAED), Dr. Richard Campbell shared their South County Fire COVID-19 Procedure Manual (playbook). Attendees were extremely impressed with the manual, and in the spirit of helping, South County Fire offered to share PowerPoint versions as it is updated for other agencies to learn from and use as-is, if desired. FirstWatch is proud to provide this page specifically for making the latest version available. [View information about the webinar here](#), including the recording.

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Note to folks reviewing this presentation later:

At this point in the webinar, we switched over to the Snohomish County / South County Fire COVID-19 Procedure Manual (Playbook) PowerPoint document, and Shaughn Maxwell walked us through it. That version is available, but the most recently updated version will be at: [www.firstwatch.net/hi/snoco](http://www.firstwatch.net/hi/snoco)



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