



MARYLAND STRONG

ROADMAP TO RECOVERY

BUILDING BLOCKS

- 1** EXPANDED TESTING CAPACITY
- 2** INCREASED HOSPITAL SURGE CAPACITY
- 3** RAMPING UP SUPPLY OF PPE
- 4** ROBUST CONTACT TRACING

EXPANDED TESTING CAPACITY

- Universal testing strategy for **nursing homes, poultry processing plants**
- Expanded testing for **health care workers, first responders**
- Expanded hours and days of operation at all VEIP drive-thru sites



INCREASED HOSPITAL SURGE CAPACITY

- Goal of 6,000 additional beds **exceeded**
- **8,100 surge beds (including ICU beds) available**
- Laurel Medical Center expanding; new rooms at Adventist Hospital nearly complete



RAMPING UP SUPPLY OF PPE

Since March 27:

- KN95 masks: 4.5M units
- Gloves: 3.5M units
- Face Shields: 1.1M units
- N95 masks: 600K units
- Gowns: 150K units
- Hand Sanitizer: 47K gallons
- Infrared Thermometers: 5K units



ROBUST CONTACT TRACING OPERATION

- Partnership with National Opinion Research Center will help us **contact up to 1,000 new cases per day**
- Hiring of hundreds of contact tracers currently underway



RESUMPTION OF ELECTIVE PROCEDURES

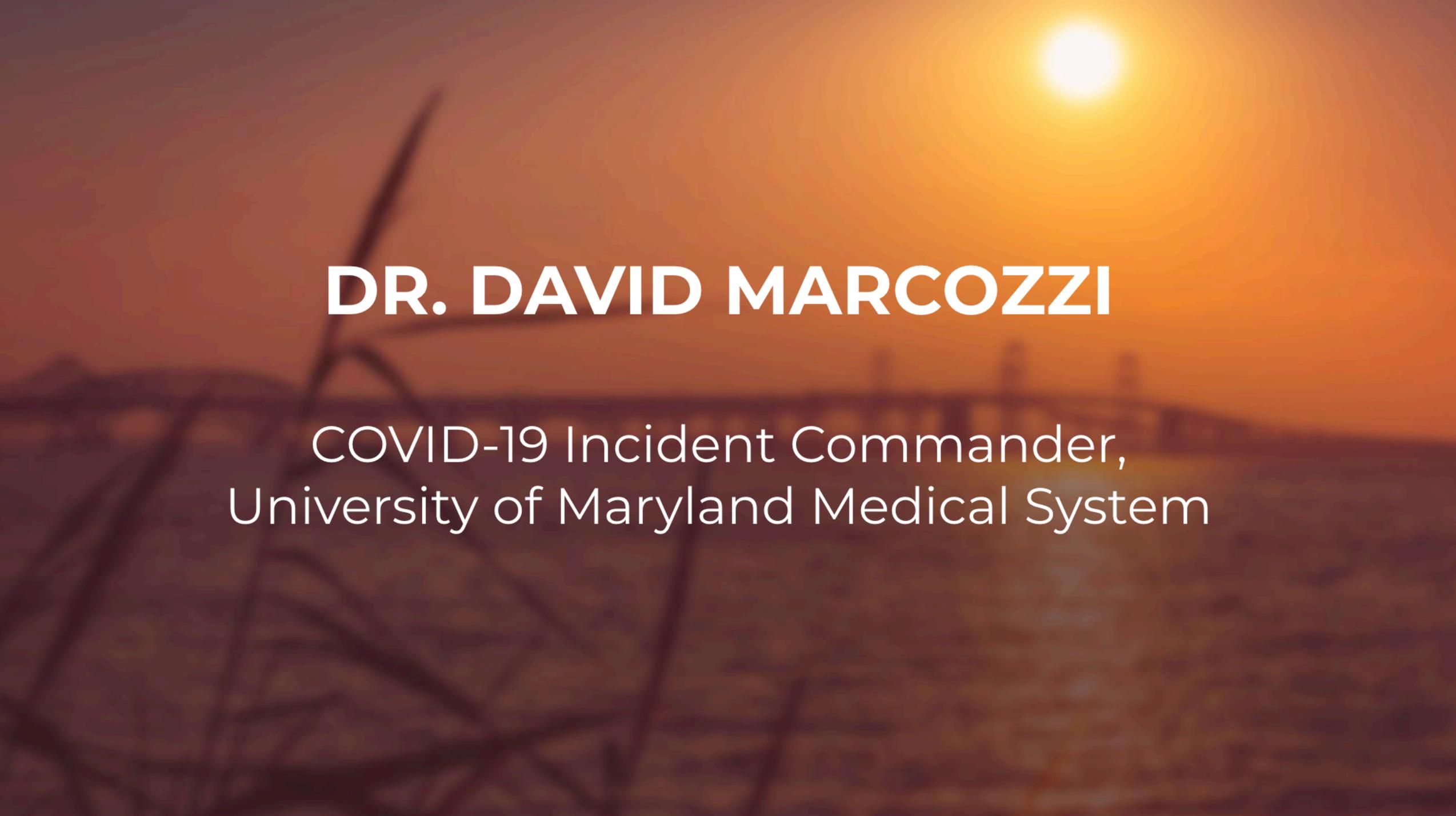
- Health care providers will have discretion for resumption of non-COVID procedures
- Staff and patients must be screened, and physical distancing must be maintained in waiting areas



SAFE OUTDOOR ACTIVITIES

- Outdoor exercise activities, such as walking, hiking, running, or biking
- Now to include **golf, tennis, boating, fishing, and camping**
- Closed activities at state parks and state beaches reopening for exercise



A sunset over a field with a spiderweb in the foreground. The sun is a bright yellow circle in the upper right, casting a warm orange glow across the sky. The foreground is dominated by a dark, intricate spiderweb that stretches across the lower half of the frame. The background shows a dark, silhouetted landscape under the setting sun.

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EDUCATION UPDATES

- \$34M in payments have been made to 3,700+ child care providers serving children of essential personnel; **all payments are now up to date**
- Nearly **8 million meals served** to school-age children



EDUCATION UPDATES

- **Schools will remain closed for the remainder of the 2019-2020 academic year**
- Online and distance learning will continue



MARYLAND TOGETHER

MARYLAND RECOVERY PLAN FOR EDUCATION

RESPONSE TO COVID-19 AND A PATHWAY FORWARD



EDUCATION UPDATES

- **Decisions on graduation ceremonies will be made by local superintendents**
- However they choose to honor the accomplishments of the Class of 2020, they must remain in compliance with the governor's executive orders





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