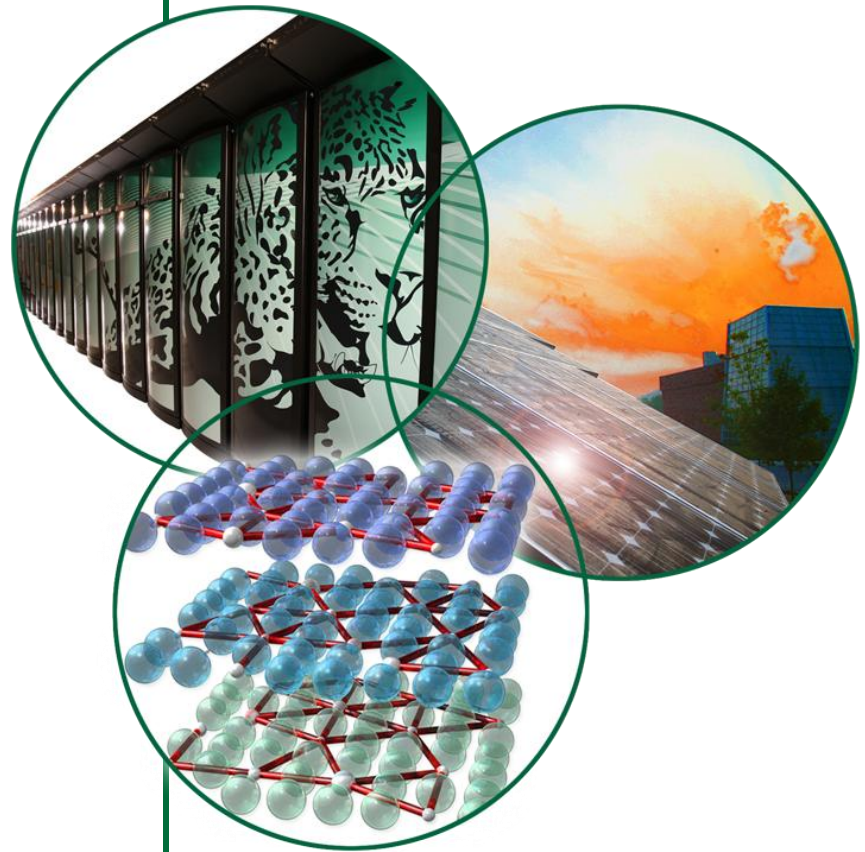


Dealing with H1N1 Flu

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What is the status of H1N1 Flu in Tennessee?

- **There were nine reported cases in Tennessee as of noon on May 4**
 - **6 in Davidson County (Nashville), all unconfirmed**
 - **1 in Shelby County (Memphis), unconfirmed**
 - **1 in Knox County (Knoxville), unconfirmed**
 - **1 in Williamson County (Franklin), confirmed**
- **Four schools are closed, including one in Knoxville**
- **Thus, Tennessee has so far had relatively low impact**
- **I hope each of you returns home from this meeting healthy**

H1N1 Influenza (Swine Flu)...What You Can Do to Stay Healthy?



H1N1 Virus

- **Take everyday actions to stay healthy.**
 - Cover nose & mouth with a tissue when you cough or sneeze. Throw the tissue in trash after use.
 - Wash your hands often with soap and water, especially after you cough or sneeze. Alcohol-based hands cleaners are also effective.
 - Avoid touching your eyes, nose or mouth. Germs spread that way.
 - Stay home/at your hotel if you get sick. CDC recommends that you stay home from work and limit contact with others to keep from infecting them.
- **Follow local public health advice** when told to avoid crowds and use other social distancing measures.
- **Develop a family emergency plan** as a precaution (www.pandemicflu.gov)
- **Stay informed.** Monitor world and nation-wide pandemic status and activities (www.cdc.gov/h1n1flu/)
- **We will keep you informed if the local area or local DOE status changes**

Apply common sense and avoid unnecessary exposure...it isn't worth it!

