

# **Economic Recession Will Likely Kill More Children Than Total Coronavirus Death Toll**

The pandemic is real, but the puppet masters of the world are using this situation for abhorrent and frightening power grabs, leaving people seemingly helpless to do anything about it while we are told to “shelter in place” as our rights get stripped away. It’s very convenient for those in power, and it’s frightening what they’re getting away with.

We are addressing this pandemic all wrong.

People with compromised immune systems should be taking precautions while the rest of the world builds immunity. The government should be pushing for the population to make healthier, safer lifestyle choices and this should be a huge reminder to us all that both how we take care of our environment and how we take care of our bodies is paramount. And on that note, as necessary as they may be in some situations, wearing a face mask for long periods of time really isn’t good for you. This whole face-mask obsession could end up causing a lot of illness as well as environmental problems. I’m not recommending wearing face masks. I’m not recommending not to wear them. It’s complicated.

On the other hand, it’s fascinating to see what’s happening, and there’s lots of good news resulting from the way we are “sheltering in place.” The environment is showing signs of remarkable resiliency, people are generally eating much better (restaurant food is really bad for you), homeschooling is the new normal, we’re finally taking a serious look at how we’ve set up “capitalism” and what it means for us in such dire

times, and it's really just a fascinating experiment at a time when we need to look hard at these issues.

But this perspective comes from a place of immense privilege. All across the world business and schools and daycares are closed, incomes have stopped, people are hungry, family members are stuck with abusive family members at such incredibly stressful times, and so much more. The reaction to the pandemic is ruining a lot of lives right now. Even if everything were to get better from today on and just go back to normal, the reverberations would still last a very long time. And this is mostly due to how poorly the U.S. and many other governments are handling the situation.

*Hundreds of thousands of children could die this year due to the global economic downturn sparked by the coronavirus pandemic and tens of millions more could fall into extreme poverty as a result of the crisis, the United Nations warned on Thursday."*

*Reuters*

It's likely that more people will die from the economic collapse of our financial system than from the virus itself. That's not to say that the measures taken are pointless. It's hard to know for sure, but it's possible that if we had gone about business-as-usual we likely would have endured far more deaths and economic destruction than we're dealing with now. Also, you never know how seriously a novel pathogen can impact us until it does. So it's pretty hard to justify lax measures.

The estimate could be low. The risk report included that nearly 369 million children who normally rely on school meals for daily nutrition no longer have this as an option. According to the UN, malnutrition is still the leading cause of death in the world today. The foreseen is being considered, but there's also going to be a heck of a lot of unforeseen in this very novel, globally-connected situation we're in now.

*The potential losses that may accrue in learning for today's young generation, and for the development of their human capital, are hard to fathom. More than two-thirds of countries have introduced a national distance learning platform, but among low-income countries, the share is only 30 percent.*

*United Nations*

## **We Are Doing It All Wrong**

We're radically underestimating the number of coronavirus cases but with that, we're also radically underestimating the numbers of people who have gotten the virus, recovered, and developed antibodies.

A coronavirus vaccine is not going to work any better than the flu vaccine works, which is to say it will make pharmaceutical companies a lot of money only to damage a lot of people. There are multiple reports of people getting the virus more than once and we now know the virus has mutated at least twice. Whether or not the virus was made in a lab or is a result of environmental destruction, more is sure to come. We need a totally different approach for the economy, the environment, and our health. Allopathic medicine, our profit-driven pharmaceutical system, and our economic system are showing everyone around the world that there needs to be a better way, for our health and the environment.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=hsCo8w67FhE&t=244s>

## **What We Should Be Doing**

Under the current system, if I ruled the world, but if I only had a conventional understanding of health, I would implement free healthcare to everyone, a UBI of 80% of everyone's income up to 100,000 a year, paid weekly via direct deposit or debit

card or cash (no restrictions that disproportionately affect poor or minorities).

Small businesses should be able to apply for loans and grants should be available for the ones that are trying to do the work that most needs to be done (like medical and environmental for instance).

Side note: If you wondering "how are we going to pay for all of this?" then please check out this YouTube channel called Economics Explained.

Big businesses should be left to file for bankruptcy and have to restructure and get more competent CEOs who like to save money for such instances instead of continually relying on government bailouts.

We should be making sure everyone has access to raw, fresh, healthy, organic produce. People should start growing as much of their own food as they can, and the government should be helping to facilitate this as well as helping get the food we currently have to the people who need it.

There should be educational campaigns about how people should take care of themselves.

**But none of this would really be necessary if we already knew how to take care of ourselves.** The virus is rarely if ever killing healthy people. If it did, it would exhaust it's host supply too quickly and be far less likely to be an epidemic. Ideally, the immunocompromised would be told to shelter in place, wear masks for short periods of time if they must go out, wash their hands obsessively while out, etc. Grocery stores would know how to reduce transmission and would be disinfecting properly. Then we wouldn't need an economic shutdown.

We really shouldn't even worry so much about "germs." We should be taking better care of ourselves and doing what

Sweden is doing to build up herd immunity.

## **What Am I doing?**

My family and I are fortunate, so far, due to the nature of the businesses we are involved in, and the fact that we were already growing our own food and homeschooling our kids.

We have started an urban farm, both to feed us and for the whole neighborhood.

We have to take certain sanitization measures with our businesses, with which we are using a spray of 65% alcohol and 35% industrial strength vinegar. But other than that, we're doing our normal thing of eating salads and drinking cranberry lemonade every day. We are sure to have on stock Echinacea, Shillington's Blood Detox, reishi mushroom, and our favorite root cider. If we were to feel a tickle in the throat or a snuffy sinus we'd take them all until symptoms are gone, but we haven't had any such issues. Our gut health is as good as it gets, and this is absolutely paramount when it comes to staying healthy. For more on supplements for coronavirus, [click here](#).