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Thread: [What would it take for this pandemic to reach movie levels?](#)

Scooby - April 25, 2020, 8:25 pm

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Boil - April 25, 2020, 8:28 pm

I mean it has already been predicted by many that this will happen. I can recall back in 2014 with ebola a certain investigative journalist spoke about quarantine will be what the government will create to do their work.

Astrogen - April 25, 2020, 8:29 pm

Lack of food, supplies, and support from the government. The people will be overwhelmed with fear that they are alone and they will start looting stores, rioting, and overall wasting the efforts of the government in containing the virus.

Kant Atta - April 25, 2020, 9:15 pm

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Scooby - April 26, 2020, 6:37 pm

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I totally agree, bit that's bleak as fuck. That's why I'm trying to put it in the framing of a movie. Like, maybe it mutates to only infect the 1%. What would that be like? I bet we'd see more government intervention, for one thing.

Dorrance - April 26, 2020, 6:39 pm

Just chill up in my room for about a few weeks to a month then pop out while everyone kill each other.

shitmaster - April 26, 2020, 6:43 pm

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Simplex - April 26, 2020, 6:44 pm

Yeah np I got this.

- 10x the amount of cases / deaths

- made you mobile (able to move) but technically dead, without a heartbeat or other vital signs

- It made your skin turn pale

- It made you crave human flesh

- Getting bit makes you infected

- made you unemotional, with no mercy toward the unaffected

- made you non-communicative (groaning and howling instead of speaking)

Scooby - April 26, 2020, 6:45 pm

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Aha. Like zombies popping out and everyone is running like in World War Z. That'll happen someday too. Maybe not in the next century. But it will happen. Problem is I won't be there to see it happen.

Nuworld - April 26, 2020, 6:58 pm

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Outbreak is very close to what is happening today.

Good movie.

However what's more important is how the government tried to cover it up in the movie.

Could this be the same thing? Perhaps.

Something to ponder.

Boil - April 26, 2020, 7:32 pm

(Apr 26, 2020 07:30 PM)-Scrub Wrote: [\[CITE\]](#) Already been movies about stuff like this and I'm sure there is going to be ones specifically about this .
I'm sure there will be sadly.

SaintJimmy - April 26, 2020, 9:05 pm

Movie level? Like Resident Evil or Contagion? I think factors like food supplies, water, basic necessities, support from the government in controlling this would be some of the factors. It's close to an outbreak in some parts of the world. Wouldn't be surprised if there's a sudden hostile spread-over in any country and it'd lead to disastrous results.