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DOUGLAS COUNTY COVID-19 RECOVERY UPDATE

(Douglas County, Ore.) **COVID-19 RECOVERY RECAP FOR JULY 17 AND 18, 2021:**

**WEEKEND
RECAP**

On Saturday, July 17, 2021 we had an astonishing TWENTY-ONE (21) people with new positive test results, ONE (1) presumptive that has been moved to a positive with a positive test result, and TWO (2) new presumptives to report, bringing our total number of cases of people with positive test results and presumptives in Douglas County to 4,145*. We had NINE (9) Douglas County COVID-19 patients hospitalized, six locally and three out-of-the-area. Also, DPHN was supporting 131 cases in isolation, 131 cases in quarantine for a total of 262 in isolation and quarantine.

On Sunday, July 18, 2021 we had SEVEN (7) people with new positive test results to report, bringing our total number of cases of people with positive test results and presumptives in Douglas County to 4,152*. We had EIGHT (8) Douglas County COVID-19 patients hospitalized, five locally and three out-of-the-area. Also, DPHN was supporting 128 cases in isolation, 140 cases in quarantine for a total of 268 in isolation and quarantine.

**MONDAY
UPDATE**

COVID-19 RECOVERY UPDATE FOR MONDAY, JULY 19, 2021:

As of 12:00 pm today, Monday, July 19, 2021, there are SEVEN (7) people with new positive test results to report following our weekend recap listed above. The total number of cases of people with positive test results and presumptives in Douglas County is now at 4,159*. Currently, there are NINE (9) Douglas County COVID-19 patients that are being hospitalized, six locally and three out-of-the-area.

Douglas County, OR - COVID-19 - Case Update Chart*

Date	Thursday, July 15, 2021	Friday, July 16, 2021	Saturday, July 17, 2021	Sunday, July 18, 2021	Today, Monday, July 19, 2021
<i>Total COVID-19 Cases</i>	4,105	4,122	4,145	4,152	4,159
<i>People w/ Positive PCR or Antigen Test Results</i>	3,913	3,930	3,952	3,959	3,966
<i>Presumptive</i>	192	192	193	193	193
<i>Total Currently Hospitalized</i>	9	9	9	8	9
<i>Total Currently in Isolation</i>	101	116	131	128	130
<i>Total COVID-19 Related Deaths</i>	85	86	86	86	86

*Our daily update includes the total number of cases in Douglas County, which combines people with positive test results and presumptives, as well as a breakout of those case numbers. There will be times when a presumptive will move to a positive test result, and our total case number will not change because the case has already been counted.

LOCAL CONTACTS AND CASES BEING SUPPORTED IN ISOLATION AND QUARANTINE

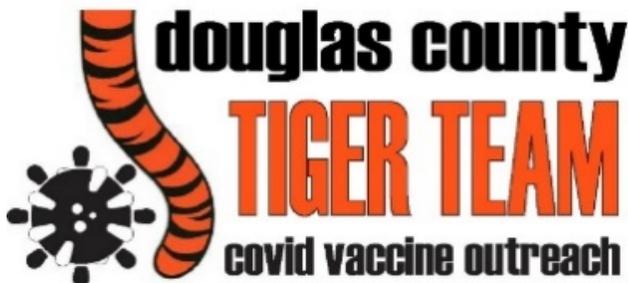
Currently, DPHN is supporting 130 cases in isolation, as well as another 140 contacts in quarantine in Douglas County. Isolation is recommended for confirmed and presumptive cases, quarantine is recommended for contacts of confirmed or presumptive cases. Currently, staff is supporting a total of 270 total contacts and cases in isolation or quarantine. This number represents a snapshot of the significant amount of work being done locally to help control the spread of COVID.

♦ Information (541) 672-3311

DOUGLAS COUNTY COVID-19 RECOVERY UPDATE

Reminder, we are publishing our Douglas County COVID-19 Recovery Updates on Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. We will continue to report and recap daily numbers in each of our updates for the days that we do not publish a local COVID-19 Recovery Update. Our next COVID-19 Update will be on **Wednesday, July 21, 2021**.

DOUGLAS COUNTY TIGER TEAM HOSTING FREE POP-UP COVID-19 VACCINATION CLINICS



The **Douglas County Tiger Team** continues to bring free COVID-19 vaccines directly to rural areas via our mobile medical vans (MMV) via their pop-up vaccine clinics. They are visiting businesses, farms, fire stations and other locations all around Douglas County. The Douglas County Board of Commissioners, who have led the charge for our Douglas County COVID-19 Response Team efforts since the beginning, have coordinated with DPHN to organize our local Tiger Team to manage our vaccine outreach efforts through ‘pop-up’ vaccine clinics.

The **Douglas County Tiger Team** will be hosting **FREE POP UP COVID VACCINE CLINICS** at the locations listed below. **The clinics are currently open to anyone 18 years of age and older, and preregistration is not necessary:**

- **Tuesday, July 20, 2021: Roseburg and surrounding area.** Clinic will be at **Music on the Half Shell** located in Stewart Park at 1003 Stewart Park Drive in Roseburg from 5:00 pm to 8:00 pm.
- **Wednesday, July 21, 2021: Winston and surrounding area.** Clinic will be at **Grocery Outlet** located at 151 NW Douglas Blvd in Winston from 10:00 am to 3:00 pm.
- **(Tentative) Thursday, July 22, 2021: Roseburg and surrounding area.** Clinic will be at **Linus Oaks Village – Retirement Community** located at 2665 Van Pelt Blvd in Roseburg from 10:00 am to 2:00 pm. Please call before you go to make sure event is still happening: (541) 670-3110 or our local COVID-19 Hotline at (541) 464-6550.
- **Friday, July 23, 2021: Myrtle Creek and surrounding area.** Clinic will be at the **Myrtle Creek Summer Festival** located in Millsite Park at 231 Volunteer Way in Myrtle Creek from 10:00 am to 5:00 pm.
- **Saturday, July 24, 2021: Myrtle Creek and surrounding area.** Clinic will be at the **Myrtle Creek Summer Festival** located in Millsite Park at 231 Volunteer Way in Myrtle Creek from 10:00 am to 5:00 pm.

Look for the Douglas County Tiger Team at local events and festivals and around our communities offering information and access to vaccinations. Our Tiger Team coordinates with [Umpqua Valley Ambulance](#) to bring a certified vaccinator and a medical assistant to each clinic. If you are interested in having the Douglas County Tiger Team come to your business, fire department, farm or town to provide a pop-up vaccine clinic or if you have any questions about our Douglas County Tiger Teams and want a schedule of their upcoming pop-up vaccination clinics, please call (541) 670-3110 or our local COVID-19 Hotline at (541) 464-6550.

AVIVA HAS A DEDICATED FREE COVID-19 VACCINATION CLINIC SITE IN ROSEBURG



Shared from [Aviva Health](#). Aviva Health has a dedicated COVID-19 vaccination clinic site at 4221 NE Stephens Street, Suite 101 in Roseburg, just across the street from its main Roseburg Clinic location near Costco and offers free COVID-19 vaccines by appointment. The COVID-19

vaccination clinic will be open Monday through Friday, from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm and is open for residents ages 12 and older**. To schedule an appointment please call (541) 672-9596.

***As a reminder: Parental or guardian consent is required to vaccinate residents 12 to 14 years old. Written consent can be obtained in advance. Under Oregon law, minors 15 years of age and older may consent to medical treatment, including vaccinations, when provided by a physician, physician assistant, naturopath, nurse practitioner, dentist or optometrist, or other professionals operating under the license of these providers; however, families are encouraged to make decisions about vaccinations together.*

COVID-19 VACCINE ELIGIBILITY OPEN FOR EVERYONE 12 YEARS OLD AND OLDER***

According to the CDC, State of Oregon and OHA, **ALL** residents ages 12 years old and older*** are eligible to get the COVID-19 Vaccine. The Pfizer COVID-19 vaccine has been approved for people ages 12 to 15. The good news, according to Dr. Bob Dannenhoffer, our Douglas County Public Health Officer, is that we have plenty of vaccines, they are safe and effective and we will be administering them to anyone 12 and above who wants it. **Remember, “it’s your turn!” So, locate a vaccine location near you and show up to get your COVID-19 vaccine today!**



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- 1) 🔍 Log onto: <http://DougCoVaccine.com>.
- 2) ☎️ Call our Douglas County COVID-19 Hotline at (541) 464-6550
- 3) ☎️ Call and set up an appointment with your primary health care provider, ask for a referral to another health care provider or Call and set up an appointment with a local pharmacy.
- 4) Go to one of our vaccination clinics offered in Douglas County with our Tiger Team or through Aviva Health.
- 5) If you are a member of the Cow Creek Band of the Umpqua Tribe of Indians, please contact to set up an appointment at (541) 672-9405 or log onto <https://www.cowcreek-nsn.gov/public-health/>.
- 6) The Roseburg VA Health Care System is setting up appointments for veterans to receive the COVID-19 vaccine. For more information, call the Roseburg VAMC at (541) 440-1000 or log onto <https://www.va.gov/health-care/covid-19-vaccine/>.

****Please note that for residents that are ages 12 to 14, this will require a parent or guardian to accompany them and give written consent for the vaccine. Under Oregon law, minors 15 years of age and older may consent to medical treatment, including vaccinations, when provided by a physician, physician assistant, naturopath, nurse practitioner, dentist or optometrist, or other professionals operating under the license of these providers; however, families are encouraged to make decisions about vaccinations together.*

IF YOU ARE HAVING DIFFICULTIES SCHEDULING A VACCINE APPOINTMENT, HELP IS AVAILABLE

Not everyone is able to use the internet, a tablet, a computer or a smart phone to schedule a COVID vaccine appointment. If you or someone you know needs to schedule an appointment for the COVID vaccine, and do not have access to the internet, you can call one of the numbers below to get help scheduling an appointment.

- Call our Douglas County COVID-19 Hotline at **(541) 464-6550**.
- Coastal Residents can call the Lower Umpqua Hospital District COVID-19 Vaccine Call Center at **(541) 271-2175**.
- U.S. Veterans can call the Roseburg VA Health Care Center at **(541) 440-1000**.
- Members of the Cow Creek Band of the Umpqua Tribe of Indians can call **(541) 672-9405**.
- Seniors can call Douglas County Senior Services at **(541) 440-3677**.

GETTING YOUR SECOND DOSE OF THE COVID-19 VACCINE IS IMPORTANT

Please know that as a part of vaccine efficacy, it is vitally important to for those residents who have received their first dose of the Pfizer or Moderna COVID-19 vaccine, to make sure that you get your second dose of the vaccine to complete the vaccination. By getting both shots, it will provide better immunity and help to protect yourself and those around you that you love. If you have already received your first dose of the COVID-19 vaccine, here are a few answers to questions about your second dose.

- The latest information shows that you can expect to get your second dose about 4-6 weeks after the first dose.
- You should have received a vaccination card when you received your first dose that details the brand of vaccine, its lot number, and the date the vaccine was administered. This card is for your records only, and is not official proof that you have received the vaccine. Proof of your vaccination rests with the State Alert System, which is accessible by medical facilities.
- You should get your second dose from the same provider or organization from which you received your first.
- You will be notified by the provider that gave you your first dose, about where/when to get your second dose.
- I got a first vaccine out of the area; can I get my second vaccine in Douglas County? The second vaccine dose is “paired” to the first dose, and your second dose will be sent to wherever you got your first dose. Therefore, except in rare circumstances, you will need to return to where you got your first dose.
- If you have questions, please contact the provider or organization where you received your first dose.

COVID-19 FACEBOOK LIVE WITH DR. BOB

As a part of our COVID-19 Recovery Phase, DPHN will continue to host our COVID-19 Facebook Live events once a week, on Tuesday evenings at 6:00 pm. The next Facebook Live event featuring Dr. Bob Dannenhoffer, our Douglas County Public Health Officer will be **Tuesday, July 20, at 6:00 pm**. You can submit your questions during our live show or in advance at: Facebookquestions@douglaspublichealthnetwork.org. Dr. Bob and the DPHN team will do their best to respond to as many questions as they can during the Facebook event. The Facebook Events are hosted by DPHN on the [DPHN Facebook page](#).

STATE AND FEDERAL COVID-19 INFORMATION

It is important to understand that Federal and State Government and their agencies are the ones that set policy and issue the guidelines for a state of emergency like the pandemic. Locally, we are following the recommended guidance issued by the [U.S. Center for Disease Control \(CDC\)](#) and the [Oregon Health Authority \(OHA\)](#). If you have questions about the current guidelines or the recommendations, please contact the CDC or OHA directly for more information. OHA posts their daily updates at www.healthoregon.org/coronavirus. **Please do not call 911, Douglas County Sheriff's Office or Douglas County Offices to report issues with the State of Oregon, OHA or the Governor's orders.**

DOUGLAS COUNTY COVID-19 RESPONSE TEAM

The Douglas County COVID-19 Response Team (DCCRT) was established on March 12, 2020 and redirected on Wednesday, July 7, 2021. It was created by the Douglas County Board of Commissioners, as an emergency response body to bring together community partners in order to cooperatively focus efforts, address issues, mobilize resources, develop programs and strategic plans, and effectively communicate our efforts to residents in response to the world-wide coronavirus pandemic on a local level. For 470 days, the DCCRT worked as a unified team, and now we have shifted our focus to local COVID-19 Recovery efforts. **The shift to the recovery phase is a natural progression in the emergency response process and also means we are not ending our COVID-19 efforts.** As the established Public Health Authority for Douglas County, the Douglas County Board of Commissioners will continue to oversee, contract with, fund and support Douglas Public Health Network (DPHN) for as long as necessary for our **COVID-19 Recovery Response**. If needs or circumstances arise that necessitate us to reestablish the DCCRT, we are prepared to do so immediately.

ACCESS TO LOCAL COVID-19 RESOURCES

Local Online Access to Updates

Stay up to date with accurate and local COVID-19 information in Douglas County by visiting the [Douglas County Government website](#) or [DCGOV Facebook page](#) or the [DPHN website](#) or [DPHN Facebook page](#).

Free Local e-Newsletter Subscription

You can also sign up for the Douglas County e-Newsletter that publishes and sends out the update to our subscription base free. You can sign up for the Douglas County e-Newsletter at www.co.douglas.or.us.

Douglas County COVID-19 Hotline (541) 464-6550

Your Douglas County Board of Commissioners and DPHN continue to offer a local resource hotline for Douglas County residents for COVID-19. The hotline provides answer to frequently asked questions, basic information and referrals to resources and services. Our local hotline number is (541) 464-6550 and is staffed from 8 am to 5 pm, 7 days a week.

Aviva Health Offers Vaccine Frequently Asked Questions Webpage

Aviva Health has created an online FAQ page to answer questions related to COVID-19 regarding availability and scheduling. Log onto <https://aviva.health/covid-19-vaccine-faqs/>

COVID Vaccine Call Center at Lower Umpqua Hospital District in Reedsport

Lower Umpqua Hospital District has a COVID-19 Vaccine Call Center for COVID-19 vaccine information in the Reedsport, Douglas County Coastal area. Call **(541) 271-2175**, Monday through Friday from 9 am to 4 pm.

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Contact [Tamara Howell](#), Douglas County Public Information Officer & Emergency Communications & Community Engagement Specialist – Phone: (541) 670-2804 – Cell: (541) 957-4896 – Email: tjhowell@co.douglas.or.us

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