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DOUGLAS COUNTY COVID-19 UPDATE #649

(Douglas County, Ore.) A QUICK LOOK AT THE NUMBERS, AS OF WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2021

Today's Total Number of New Local COVID-19 Cases	Total Number of Residents Currently Hospitalized	Total Number of Hospitalized Patients that are NOT Fully Vaccinated**
50*	25	21 of the 25

**Our COVID quick look includes the total number of new cases in Douglas County, which combines people with positive test results and presumptives. **We follow the CDC definition for fully vaccinated, which states that a fully vaccinated person is someone who has received both doses of a two-dose COVID-19 vaccine, or one dose of a single-dose COVID-19 vaccine and at least 14 days have passed since the individual's final dose.*

COVID-19 UPDATE FOR WEDNESDAY, NOVEMBER 3, 2021

As of 12:00 pm today, Wednesday, November 3, 2021, there are **FORTY-FOUR (44)** people with new positive test results, **SIX (6)** new presumptives and **TWO (2)** new COVID-19 related deaths to report bringing the total number of cases of people with positive test results and presumptives in Douglas County to **12,555**. Currently, there are **TWENTY-FIVE (25)** Douglas County COVID-19 patients that are being hospitalized, fifteen locally and ten out-of-the-area. We continue to work with Mercy to provide information on our COVID patients being hospitalized locally, currently there are 2 COVID positive patients in the Intensive Care Unit (ICU) and 0 in the Progressive Care Unit (PCU). 10% of the total hospitalized patients at Mercy are COVID positive. Of our hospitalized patients today, **TWENTY-ONE (21)** of the 25 patients are not fully vaccinated.

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

Date	Saturday, October 30, 2021	Sunday, October 31, 2021	Monday, November 1, 2021	Tuesday, November 2, 2021	Wednesday, November 3, 2021
Total COVID-19 Cases to Date**	12,426	12,437	12,464	12,505	12,555
People w/ Positive PCR or Antigen Test Results	12,051	12,061	12,088	12,127	12,171
Presumptive	375	376	376	378	384
Total Currently Hospitalized	30	34	32	29	25
Total COVID-19 Related Deaths	255	255	255	256	258

†Our COVID case update chart includes the total number of cases reported in Douglas County since the beginning of the pandemic in our county on March 8, 2020. The chart illustrates the combination of residents with positive test results and confirmed presumptives, as well as the breakout of each of those. 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 in our over-all total.

COVID-19 RECAP FOR TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 2, 2021

On Tuesday, November 2, 2021, at 12:00 pm we had **THIRTY-NINE (39)** people with new positive test results, **TWO (2)** new presumptives and **ONE (1)** new COVID-19 related death to report bringing our total number of cases of people with positive test results and presumptives in Douglas County to **12,505***. We had **TWENTY-NINE (29)** Douglas County COVID-19 patients hospitalized, twenty-one locally and eight out-of-the-area. We continue to work with Mercy to provide information on our COVID patients being hospitalized locally, currently there are 3 COVID positive patients in the Intensive Care Unit (ICU) and 4 in the Progressive Care Unit (PCU). 15% of the total hospitalized patients at Mercy are COVID positive. Of our hospitalized cases on Tuesday, November 2, 2021, **TWENTY-FOUR (24)** of the 29 patients were not fully vaccinated.

→ Information (541) 672-3311

COVID-19 RELATED DEATHS OF DOUGLAS COUNTY RESIDENTS

Douglas County Public Health has confirmed the deaths of three more Douglas County residents related to the COVID-19 virus. Our **two hundred and fifty-sixth** COVID-19 related death was a 59-year-old man who was diagnosed with COVID-19 on Wednesday, September 1, 2021 and passed away on Monday, November 1, 2021. He was not vaccinated. Our **two hundred and fifty-seventh** COVID-19 related death was a 92-year-old man who was diagnosed with COVID-19 on Friday, October 22, 2021 and passed away on Tuesday, November 2, 2021. He was not vaccinated. Our **two hundred and fifty-eighth** COVID-19 related death was a 57-year-old man who was diagnosed with COVID-19 on Thursday, September 16, 2021 and passed away on Tuesday, November 2, 2021. He was not vaccinated. In the interest of privacy for the loved ones of these residents, and as our ethical responsibility to follow all medical laws, no additional information will be released. We thoroughly scrutinize and investigate all deaths, and review all medical records to make sure that everyone we report has met the requirements for a COVID related death, as per the [Oregon Disease Investigative Guidelines for COVID-19](#). Each death related to COVID-19 is painful for all Douglas County residents, and a sad reminder of the terrible impact COVID-19 has had in our local communities. The Douglas County Board of Commissioners, Dr. Dannenhoffer, DPHN and our Douglas County COVID-19 Response Team extend our heartfelt condolences and sympathies to all family members, friends, relatives, co-workers and community members of those who have passed after contracting this deadly virus.

REMINDER TRAVELING COVID-19 VACCINATION AND TESTING CLINIC IN REEDSPORT

The traveling COVID-19 drive-through vaccination and testing clinic is in Reedsport until Sunday, November 7! The **Reedsport Traveling COVID-19 Vaccination and Testing Clinic** will run from **Tuesday, November 2 through Sunday, November 7, 2021**. The clinic will offer free drive-through COVID-19 vaccinations, COVID-19 PCR testing and COVID-19 booster/3rd vaccine dose for those who are eligible. Additionally, thanks to the efforts of DPHN and Aviva Health, they also have annual flu shots available.

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REEDSPORT
Nov. 2 - 7
11am - 6pm
680 Fir Avenue
Adjacent to the
Douglas County
Courthouse Annex

**TRAVELING COVID-19
DRIVE THROUGH
VACCINATION & TESTING CLINIC**

No Pre-Registration Required
First-Come, First-Served Basis • Open to ages 12 and older

PFIZER & MODERNA VACCINES

JOHNSON & JOHNSON VACCINE

BOOSTER 3rd DOSE VACCINES
for eligible patients

COVID PCR TESTING
RESULTS IN 3-4 DAYS

PLUS ANNUAL FLU SHOTS AVAILABLE

BROUGHT TO YOU IN PARTNERSHIP WITH:

DOUGLAS COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH NETWORK

AVIVA HEALTH

Health

FEMA

REEDSPORT

LOWER UMPQUA HOSPITAL DISTRICT

The clinic will be open from 11:00 am to 6:00 pm each day. The drive-through clinic is located at 680 Fir Avenue in Reedsport (Adjacent to the Douglas County Courthouse Annex). The clinic was made possible by the Douglas County Board of Commissioners and Douglas Public Health Network (DPHN) in collaboration with the City of Reedsport, Reedsport Chamber of Commerce, Lower Umpqua Hospital District, Aviva Health, the Oregon Health Authority (OHA) and the Federal Emergency Management Agency.

The Reedsport Drive-Through COVID-19 Vaccination and Testing Clinic will offer:

- No pre-registration required. Vaccinations and testing are provided on a first come-first served basis
- Vaccines and testing are open to anyone 12-years-of-age and older.*** Please note for residents under the age of 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 licensed medical professional; however, families are encouraged to make decisions about vaccinations together.
- First and second doses of the Pfizer and Moderna Vaccines.
- Single doses of Johnson and Johnson Vaccine.
- COVID-19 PCR testing. This test is not a rapid test, and results will be returned in 3-4 business days.
- Pfizer, Moderna and Johnson and Johnson COVID-19 Booster/third vaccine doses for eligible residents. According to the CDC and OHA: People ages 65 and older, as well as people ages 18 to 64 with underlying health conditions or that work in occupations or in institutional settings that put them at higher risk of COVID-19 exposure and transmission are eligible for a third vaccine dose. These include: health care workers, first responders, firefighters, law enforcement, congregate care staff, teachers, school support staff, daycare workers, food/agriculture workers, manufacturing workers, corrections staff, U.S. Postal Service employees, public transit workers and grocery store workers.



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- Plus, we will have annual Flu Shots available.

For more information about the traveling clinic, please call our Douglas County COVID-19 Hotline at (541) 464-6550.

STATE AND FEDERAL COVID-19 INFORMATION

The Federal and State Governments, and their agencies are the ones that set policy, issue mandates and provide the guidelines for a state of emergency like the current COVID pandemic. For information log onto [U.S. Center for Disease Control \(CDC\)](#) and the [Oregon Health Authority \(OHA\)](#). If you have questions about the current guidelines, mandates or the recommendations, please contact them 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 mandates.

ACCESS TO LOCAL COVID-19 RESOURCES

 **Local Online Access to Updates:** Stay up to date with accurate and local COVID-19 information 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 free Douglas County e-Newsletter that publishes and sends out the update to our subscription base. Log onto: 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 answers to frequently asked questions, basic COVID information and referrals to local resources and services. Our local hotline number is (541) 464-6550 and is staffed from 8:00 am to 5:00 pm, 7 days a week.

 **DPHN Vaccine Information:** Want more information on the vaccines? Log onto: <http://DougCoVaccine.com>.

 **DPHN Informational Videos:** Check out [DPHN's YouTube Channel](#) for informational videos about COVID-19.

 **Aviva Health: UPDATED 11-03-21: COVID-19 Leisure Testing:** Aviva offers **fee-based leisure** COVID-19 testing, **by appointment only**, at its drive-through testing clinic located at 4221 NE Stephens Street, Suite 101A, in Roseburg, Monday through Friday, from 8:30 am to 11:30 am and 1:00 pm to 4:30 pm to individuals who require a negative test for travel, public events such as college football games, return to work, and other non-medically necessary purposes. Rapid BINAX tests are \$60, and PCR tests are \$35. **COVID-19 Symptomatic Testing:** They continue to offer no- and low-cost COVID-19 testing for residents, **by appointment only**, who are symptomatic by billing their insurance or for uninsured individuals charging on an income-based, sliding-fee scale. **ALL testing is by appointment only.** Residents may schedule a testing appointment by calling (541) 492-2067. **COVID Vaccine:** Aviva continues to offer free drive-through COVID-19 vaccination services, **by appointment only** to patients and non-patients. Patients must be Douglas County residents. Residents may schedule a vaccine appointment by calling (541) 492-2067. Vaccinations are also available on a limited basis, **by appointment only**, at Aviva Health's outlying clinics in North County, Sutherlin, Glide, and Myrtle Creek. People seeking vaccinations at their outlying clinics should call (541) 672-9596, to determine availability. **COVID-19 Boost Vaccines:** Aviva Health is now offering the Pfizer, Moderna, and Johnson & Johnson COVID-19 boosters to certain groups of people, **by appointment only**, at its vaccination clinic located at 4221 NE Stephens Street, Suite 101A, Monday through Friday, from 8:30 am to 11:30 am and 1:00 pm to 4:30 pm. **ALL vaccinations are by appointment only.** Please call (541) 492-2067 to schedule your booster appointment. For more information please visit www.aviva.health/covid-19-resources/. Aviva also has an online [COVID FAQ page](#) with answers to frequently asked questions.

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

 **Cow Creek Health and Wellness Center**: **UPDATE**: Cow Creek Public Health has moved their drive-thru Mobile Vaccine Site from Stephens Street in Roseburg to the south parking lot of Seven Feathers Casino Resort in Canyonville. The drive-thru site is open by appointment only, 9:30 am to 2:30 pm every Monday through Friday. If you received your primary dose vaccination series from CCPH and want to receive a booster dose, CCPH will contact you to explain the criteria and schedule appointments for eligible individuals. If you received your primary dose series from another health agency and want to receive a booster dose, call (541) 529-9471 to schedule an appointment. Individuals will be required to sign a consent form self-attesting to booster eligibility based on CDC guidance. CCPH is temporarily pausing all primary dose vaccinations. Pediatric Pfizer vaccinations for children ages 5-11 will be available once approved; parents and guardians can register their interest with an online survey. Visit www.cowcreek-nsn.gov/public-health to complete the survey and have your child added to a waitlist. **REMINDER**: Cow Creek Health and Wellness Center is no longer offering free community testing. Testing is available by appointment only for Cow Creek Health and Wellness Center patients, Tribal Members, employees of Cow Creek Government Offices and affiliated businesses at the new Roseburg Clinic at 2589 NW Edenbower Blvd and the South Clinic in Canyonville at 480 Wartahoo Lane.

 **Roseburg VA Health Care System**: Veterans can set up an appointment COVID-19 vaccine, by calling the Roseburg VAMC at **(541) 440-1000**.

 **Douglas County Senior Services** can help seniors with questions, locating testing and vaccines at **(541) 440-3677**.

****Please note for residents ages 12 to 14, this will require a parent or guardian to accompany them and give written consent for the vaccine. Written consent can also 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.*

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