



Warren County Health Department

Media Release

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COVID-19 Case Update in Warren County

The Warren County Health Department is confirming the 20th COVID-19 related death. The individual was a male between the ages of 80-100. Our deepest sympathies go out to family and friends. We continue to urge our community to do what you can to slow the spread of the virus.

The health department is announcing 17 additional confirmed cases of coronavirus disease (COVID-19), bringing the total cases to 991. 821 cases have had their symptoms resolve. Due to federal privacy restrictions, release of any additional information is prohibited. To date there have been 6646 negative tests.

The new cases include:

- 2 females between the ages of 20-40
- 3 females between the ages of 40-60
- 1 female between the ages of 60-80
- 2 males between the ages of 20-40
- 7 males between the ages of 40-60
- 1 male between the ages of 60-80
- 1 male between the ages of 80-100

County level COVID-19 metrics for **Week 46** from **November 8–November 14, 2020** have kept **Warren County at the WARNING level**. IDPH uses numerous indicators when determining warning signs of increased risk in the county. A county is considered at a warning level when at least two of the following metrics trigger a warning.

	Week 43	Week 44	Week 45	Week 46
New cases per 100,000	270	434	652	851
# of deaths	1	1	2	1
Test positivity (8%)	11.7%	13.5%	19.7%	23.4%
ICU availability	40.5%	37.9%	37.2%	31.8%
Emergency Dept visits	8.9%	10.9%	16.54%	26.3%
Hospital admissions	<5	<5	5	12
Tests performed	427	564	575	595



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These metrics are intended to be used for local level awareness to help local leaders, businesses, health departments, and the public make informed decisions about activities they choose to participate in. The metrics are updated weekly, from the Sunday-Saturday of the prior week. Warren County weekly metrics can be found at: www.dph.illinois.gov/countymetrics

Test sites located in Warren County: OSF Medical Group-Monmouth at 309-734-1414 (symptomatic only) and Cottage Clinic at 309-734-0100. Knox County Health Department at 309-344-2225 and Eagle View Health Systems at 309-867-2202 are community-based test sites that can test symptomatic or asymptomatic along with HyVee Pharmacy on E Main in Galesburg-register at www.doineedacovid19test.com

Effective Friday, November 20, 2020 the State of Illinois will move into Tier 3 Resurgence Mitigation in order to combat the surge of COVID-19 across Illinois.

The requirements for Tier 3 can be found at: <https://coronavirus.illinois.gov/s/restore-illinois-mitigation-plan>

Where can I get the most reliable and up to date information?

- The Illinois Department of Public Health www.dph.illinois.gov
- The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention www.cdc.gov
- The Warren County Health Department www.warrencohealth.com