



Warren County Health Department

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COVID-19 Case Update in Warren County

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

In addition, the health department is announcing 15 additional confirmed cases of coronavirus disease (COVID-19), bringing the total cases to 1406. 1285 cases have had their symptoms resolve. Due to federal privacy restrictions, release of any additional information is prohibited. To date there have been 8221 negative tests and 33 confirmed COVID-19 related deaths.

New cases include:

Ages	Female	Male
0-10	0	0
10-20	0	0
20-40	5	0
40-60	3	1
60-80	4	0
80-100	1	1

County level COVID-19 metrics for **Week 49** from **December 6–December 12, 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 45	Week 46	Week 47	Week 48	Week 49	Week 50
New cases per 100,000	652	851	810	687	628	687
# of deaths	2	1	4	3	3	4
Test positivity (8%)	19.7%	23.4%	18.4%	21.9%	19.7%	20.9%
ICU availability	37.2%	31.8%	30.2%	20.8%	15.8%	15.4%
Emergency Dept visits	16.54%	26.3%	26.8%	21.3%	9.2%	15.3%
Hospital admissions	5	12	9	11	<5	<5
Tests performed	575	595	719	608	578	555



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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

IDPH Community Based Test Site will be back at the Monmouth-Roseville High School parking lot on December 24th and December 31st from 8-4.

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