Winnebago County Health Department
COVID-19 Weekly Data Summary

December 22, 2022

***This will be the last data summary published in 2022. You can find up to date data here.**

COVID-19 WEEKLY SNAPSHOT
FOR WINNEBAGO COUNTY

Community Level:	Cases per Day (7-Day Average):	Hospitalizations in Fox Valley:
LOW	**31**	**25**
No change in level since 8/18/22	-4 cases on avg. since 12/14/22	+9 patients since 12/14/22

Key Points:

- Community Level is **LOW**.
- **UPDATED!** DHS supports the CDC's recommendation that children over 6 months are eligible to receive the updated bivalent COVID-19 vaccine. Beginning January 3, 2023 WCHD will begin offering *only* the Pfizer vaccine (including the bivalent vaccine and booster) to those over the age of 6 months.
- General recommendations (click each statement for more information):
  - #KnowBeforeYouGo - Test before going to group events to help protect others.
  - Get tested if you are ill or suspect exposure.
    - Telehealth Services are now available! Anyone with a positive test can receive free treatment via video chat or phone. Please visit the DHS website for more information.
  - Vaccinate or get your booster if you are eligible.
  - If you are at high risk for severe illness, speak with your health care provider about precautions you can take.
  - Consider wearing a mask if you are in contact with someone who is high risk.

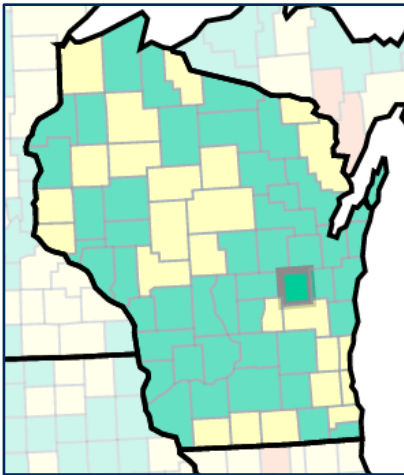**Updated bivalent vaccine now available for anyone 6 months and older!**

Vaccination
WINNEBAGO COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT
www.wcvaccine.org / 920-232-3026

Visit www.wcvaccine.org for local vaccination locations.

WINNEBAGO COUNTY CDC COMMUNITY LEVEL ⬈

Winnebago County's CDC Community Level is **LOW**

Community Recommendations:

- Get tested if you have symptoms or were exposed. Stay home if you are sick and waiting for results.
- Test before you go to a group gathering to help protect others.
- Get vaccinated. Staying up to date on your COVID-19 vaccines is the best thing you can do, no matter the community level.

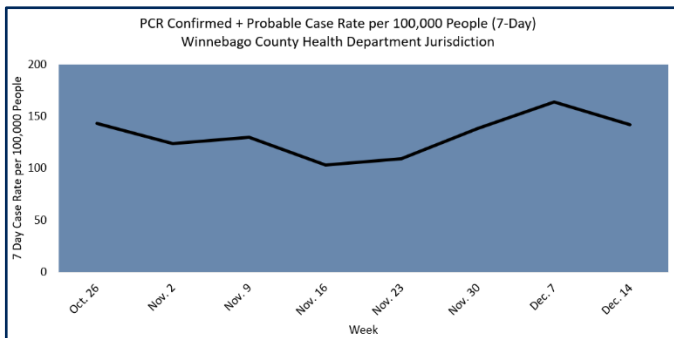**Current Community Level Metrics for Winnebago County:**

- Case rate per 100,000 population: 160
- New COVID-19 admissions per 100,000 population: 5.2
- % staffed inpatient beds, patients with confirmed COVID-19: 3.5%

Find additional information about Community Level on our website.

***This data is from December 15. Please visit CDC Community Level website Thursday evening for updated information.

7 DAY CASE RATE FOR PCR CONFIRMED + PROBABLE CASES ⬈
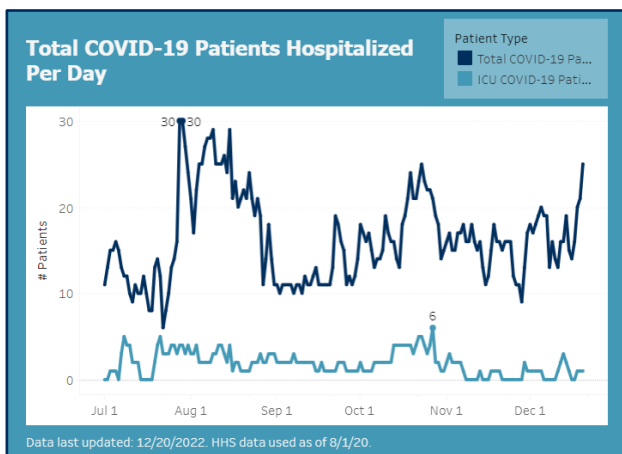
WINNEBAGO COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT JURISDICTION

PCR Confirmed + Probable Case Rate per 100,000 People (7-Day)
Winnebago County Health Department Jurisdiction

141.8
Cases per 100,000 people

163.9
Previous week

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HOSPITALIZATIONS IN FOX VALLEY HERC REGION ⬈
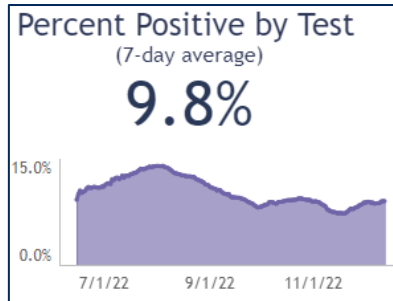
Total COVID-19 Patients Hospitalized Per Day

Patient Type
Total COVID-19 Pa...
ICU COVID-19 Pati...

Data last updated: 12/20/2022. HHS data used as of 8/1/20.

25
Number of patients hospitalized

16
Previous week

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PERCENT POSITIVITY FOR WISCONSIN (PAST 7 DAYS) ⤢

Percent Positive by Test
(7-day average)
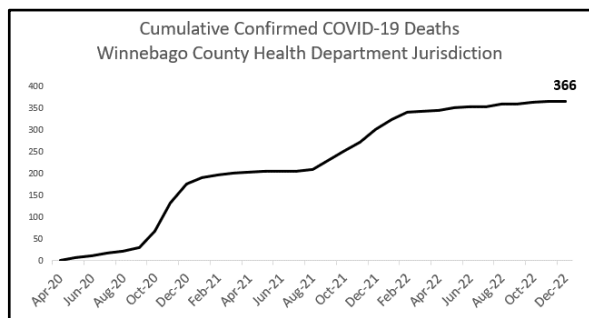**9.8%**

15.0%

0.0%

7/1/22   9/1/22   11/1/22

10.4%
Percent
Positivity
current week

9.8%
Percent
Positivity
previous week

⬆

Click here for testing locations in Winnebago County.

NEW DEATHS OCCURING IN THE PAST 4 WEEKS

Cumulative Confirmed COVID-19 Deaths
Winnebago County Health Department Jurisdiction

366

400
350
300
250
200
150
100
50
0

Apr-20 Jun-20 Aug-20 Oct-20 Dec-20 Feb-21 Apr-21 Jun-21 Aug-21 Oct-21 Dec-21 Feb-22 Apr-22 Jun-22 Aug-22 Oct-22 Dec-22

366
Total deaths
in our
jurisdiction

+1
Deaths
in the past
4 weeks

Additional COVID-19 Information:

WCHD COVID-19 Webpage

COVID-19 Vaccination Locations and Resources

Weekly Data Summaries

Situation Update

WI DHS COVID Data

Vaccination Data

Isolation Guidance

CDC Guidance: Schools & Child Care Programs

CDC Variant Tracker

COVID-19 Testing Locations and Resources

CDC Community Level

New York Times Winnebago County Data

Wastewater Surveillance Data

Telehealth Appointments

With various respiratory illnesses on the rise, it is important to protect yourself and others against influenza, RSV, and COVID-19. To help prevent the spread of these illnesses you can:

- Stay home if you are sick
- Get tested if you have symptoms

- Wash your hands frequently
- Get vaccinated against the flu and COVID-19

Staying up to date with vaccines, getting tested if you have symptoms or were exposed, and isolating if infected continue to be important tools in reducing spread of COVID-19.

Questions? Call the Public Health Hotline at 920-232-3026.