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COVID-19 (Coronavirus) UPDATE
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Information about this disease is constantly changing and evolving. For the most up to date information visit: *cdc.gov/covid19*

For an in-depth look at the city's COVID-19 data, please visit: *ocwi.org/COVIDstats* (desktop) or *ocwi.org/COVIDstats.m* (mobile)

COVID-19 in our Area

*Data is updated and shared Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays. Change has been calculated from **February 12** update.*

	Individuals Testing Positive		Individuals Testing Negative		Deaths	
Oak Creek	**4,004**	*(+10)*	**15,714**	*(+94)*	**49**	*(no change)*
*Burden and Positivity Rate are updated each Friday.	Burden*: **354/100,000**			14-Day Positivity Rate*: **9.2%**		
**Used to calculate Burden	Number of new positive cases over 14-day period (1/27 - 2/9)**: **130**					
Milwaukee County	**97,062**	*(+251)*	**445,765**	*(+1,829)*	**1,188**	*(+2)*
Wisconsin	**555,708**	*(+1,660)*	**2,568,204**	*(+11,116)*	**6,166**	*(+15)*

*Source: **Wisconsin Department of Health Services** - Testing data represents the number of people tested by the diagnostic test that detects the virus in the nose or throat (and not a blood test that detects antibodies). Multiple tests per person are not included in these summary statistics.*

NOTE: Due to changes in contact tracing practices resulting from the large increase in the number of new positive cases, we will no longer be reporting the number of recovered individuals.

Individuals are released from isolation (and previously counted in the "recovered" number) when 10 days have passed since symptom onset (or test date for asymptomatic individuals) AND they have been fever-free without taking fever-reducing medication for 24 hours AND they have improvement of other symptoms.

Preventive Actions

Wash hands frequently with soap and water

Avoid touching face with unwashed hands

Avoid close contact with sick individuals

Stay home if you are sick

Cover your sneeze and cough

Clean and disinfect high-touch surfaces

Practice physical distancing

Avoid gatherings

Wear a cloth face cover when outside your home