

## What's New?

WI Negative Results: 51,456

WI Case Count: 5,052

Menasha: 5


Winnebago County: 46

Outagamie County: 38

Calumet County: 6

On 4/21/2020, The City of Menasha announced its 3rd & 4th confirmed case of COVID-19. For more information, view the entire [announcement](#).

On 4/22/2020, The City of Menasha announced its 5th confirmed case of COVID-19.

 Going forward, we will no longer be announcing new cases via press releases or Facebook posts. Please check our [website](#) for daily case count updates.

## Resources to stay up to date on the latest COVID-19 News



[CDC COVID-19 USA Outbreak](#)



[Wisconsin Department of Health Services COVID-19 Page](#)



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City of Menasha  
Health Department  
[City of Menasha COVID-19 Resource Page](#)



[Wisconsin Governor's Office Page](#)

**City of Menasha Closure Updates:** City hall, PWF, Menasha Utilities, Library and Senior Center remain closed to public. The Library will begin curbside service for picking up ordered materials on Monday, April 27.

The [CDC confirmed COVID-19 in two pet cats in New York](#). The cats live in two separate areas of the state. Both had mild respiratory illness and are expected to make a full recovery.

- At this time, routine testing of animals is not recommended, but until more is known, CDC recommends the following:
  - Do not let pets interact with people or other animals outside of the household.
  - Keep cats indoors when possible to prevent them from interacting with other animals or people.
  - Walk dogs on a leash, maintaining at least 6 feet from other people and animals.
  - Avoid dog parks or public places where a large number of people and dogs may gather.
- If you are sick with COVID-19 (either suspected or confirmed), restrict contact with your pets and other animals, just like you would around other people.
  - When possible, have another member of your household care for your pets while you are sick.
  - Avoid contact with your pet, including petting, snuggling, being kissed or licked, and sharing food or bedding. If you must care for your pet or be around animals while you are sick, wear a cloth face covering and wash your hands before and after you interact with them.



Additional COVID-19 pet resources:

[Is my Pet at Risk?](#)

[COVID-19: What pet owners need to know](#)

Safer at Home is working, but we need to stay the course! We know this seems like a long stretch of time to stay home, but we are saving lives by staying safer at home. Here is a great video by Wisconsin's Chief Medical Officer, Dr. Ryan Westergaard explaining how the number of new cases in WI are decreasing.

<https://www.youtube.com/watch?v=LVeGvP-AKaE>



## Safer at Home Extension starts today (4/24/2020)

What's new in this Safer at Home Order that was not in the first order? Most of the order remains the same, and it is structured in the same way. The changes are designed to ensure safety and compliance, while also allowing certain activities to start up again.

Businesses and activities that may increase services and operations:

1. Public libraries: Libraries may provide curbside pick-up of books and other library materials.
2. Golf courses: Golf courses may open, with restrictions including scheduling and paying for tee times online or by phone only. Clubhouses and pro shops must remain closed.
3. Non-essential businesses: Non-essential businesses can do more things as Minimum Basic Operations, including deliveries, mailings, and curbside pick-up. Non-essential businesses must notify workers of whether they are necessary for the Minimum Basic Operations.
4. Arts and craft stores: Arts and craft stores may offer expanded curbside pick-up of materials necessary to make face masks or other personal protective equipment (PPE).
5. Aesthetic or optional exterior work: Aesthetic or optional exterior lawn care or construction is allowed, so long as it can be done by one person.



## COVID-19 FAQ

### Am I at risk for COVID-19 from mail, packages, or products?

- There is still a lot that is unknown about COVID-19 and how it spreads. Coronaviruses are thought to be spread most often by respiratory droplets. Although the virus can survive for a short period on some surfaces, it is unlikely to be spread from domestic or international mail, products or packaging. However, it may be possible that people can get COVID-19 by touching a surface or object that has the virus on it and then touching their own mouth, nose, or possibly their eyes, but this is not thought to be the main way the virus spreads.
- Learn more about [safe handling of deliveries and mail](#).

### Resilient Wisconsin Tip #8

#### Avoid big decisions when possible.

Important decisions are usually stressful in their own right, and can be even harder when you're dealing with a trauma.