

Menasha COVID-19 UPDATE



City of Menasha Health Department

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What's New?

WI Neg Results: 377,362 WI Case Count: 22,246

Menasha: 57

- The City of Menasha is now reporting the number of COVID-19 cases who have ever been hospitalized for COVID-19, as well as the number of recovered COVID-19 cases in our city. For complete case count information, view our website here.
- City Hall is expected to open to the public on Monday, June 15 at 8:00AM. Please contact your department head with any questions.

REMINDER:

Call your healthcare provider before going into a clinic if you are experiencing mild to moderate symptoms of COVID-19. This will allow them to provide guidance, prepare ahead if you need to be seen, and minimize risk to others.

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



City of Menasha COVID-19 Resource Page



Wisconsin Governor's Office

City of Menasha Closure Updates: PWF, Menasha Utilities, Library and Senior Center remain closed to public. The Library is now offering curbside service for picking up ordered materials and for material drop off. City Hall is expected to open to the public on Monday, June 15 at 8:00AM.

Donating or buying items from a thrift store?

Making a Donation

- Contact or check the website of the business or organization ahead of time to make sure they are accepting donations and the types of items you wish to donate.
- Before making any donation, clean the item according to the manufacturer's instructions.
- Ideally, make arrangements for a curbside drop-off where you do not come into contact with anyone.

Accepting Donations

Stores and organizations that accept donations can:

- Provide proper protective equipment to the staff and volunteers who handle new donations. Anyone handling donations before they have been cleaned or disinfected should wear a face mask or cloth face covering and disposable gloves.
- Store donations for 72 hours before cleaning and disinfecting.
- Wash clothing in the hottest water recommended. Clean and disinfect other items according to manufacturer guidelines.

What can shoppers do?

- Stay home if you are sick.
- Shop alone or with as few people as possible.
- Do not handle items unless you intend to purchase them.
- Wash/sanitize hands often; bring wipes to clean visibly soiled hands, then use sanitizer when they are clean.
- Maintain at least 6 feet of physical distance from other people whenever possible.
- Wear a cloth face covering over your mouth and nose in public settings where it is difficult to stay 6 feet away from others.



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Connected. Stronger. Thriving.

Applications open on Monday for the "We're All In" small business grant program

If you operate a small business and have been impacted by COVID-19, you may be eligible for a grant of up to \$2,500. The application portal will be open Monday, June 15 through Sunday, June 21. To be eligible, you must:

- Be a Wisconsin-based, for-profit business.
- Employ 20 or fewer full-time equivalent (FTE) employees, including the owner.
- Earn greater than \$0 but less than \$1 million in annual revenues (gross sales and receipts).
- Have started operating prior to January 1, 2020 and have been in business in February 2020.

Additional information on the "We're All In" program is available on the Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation (WEDC) website.

A flyer is now available on the DHS How to Get Tested webpage for COVID-19 testing. The 3-page flyer provides the following information:

- What you should do while waiting for test results
- When to expect a phone call with your test results
- What you should you do if you receive a positive result
- What you should do if you receive a negative result

To view the full flyer click, here.

COVID-19 FAQ

I have been exposed to COVID-19, and my work is making me stay home for 14 days. Can't I just get a test at my doctor and, if it's negative, go back to work?

No. According to the CDC, the incubation period (the time from being exposed to beginning symptoms) for COVID-19 is thought to extend to 14 days, with a median time of 4-5 days from exposure to symptom onset. A negative test result before 14 days post-exposure only means that you did not have COVID-19 at the time of testing. So even if you have a negative test on day 7, you still must finish out the 14 days of quarantine.

Resilient Wisconsin: What is Resilience?

We all experience ups and downs in life. Feelings of loss or uncertainty. A serious health or relationship problem. Stress at work or harmful substance use in the home. Even natural disasters and large-scale emergencies, like the COVID-19 pandemic. Trauma and adversity can make it difficult to take care of yourself and the people around you. Learning ways to cope with, and recover from, tough times in healthy ways is the heart of building resilience. Without it, we can become overwhelmed by toxic stress, trauma, or other mental and behavioral health challenges like chronic disease or harmful substance use.