



March 23, 2022

COVID-19 Status Report
Oak Park Village Board of Trustees

To: Village President and Village Board of Trustees

Fr: Kevin Jackson, Village Manager

The memo is a weekly status report presented Wednesdays and provides a brief summary of information regarding Village of Oak Park operational activities in response to COVID-19.

New COVID-19 Cases

The Village of Oak Park Department of Public Health received official notification of 59 COVID-19 cases from March 16-22, 2022. This is a 59% increase over the last 7-day period, and a 36% decrease over the cases 30 days ago.

COVID-19 Community Transmission Rates

Based on the positives cases reported to the Village of Oak Park, for the week of March 16-22, our weekly COVID-19 rate of 108 cases per 100,000 placed us in high community transmission, ending our two weeks in substantial community transmission. The CDC recommends tracking community transmission rates and using this to set control measures for hospitals and congregate living facilities.

These numbers do not reflect those who tested positive using at home self-administered test. At-home test must be confirmed at an official testing site (pharmacy, physician office, health department, school, etc.) so that information can be transferred to the health department.

COVID-19 Community Levels

On February 25, 2022, the CDC introduced COVID-19 Community Levels of low, medium, and high. Oak Park is in the low level, as defined by less than 200 cases per 100,000 (we have 108 per 100,000), and less than 10% of staffed inpatient beds occupied by COVID-19 patients (we have 3.5% of our hospital beds occupied by COVID-19 patients). We currently track our COVID admissions as cumulative totals, and the CDC definition requires new cases per 7 days. We will continue to adapt our data to align with CDC definitions so we can track and report on this metric.

Deaths

There were 0 reported deaths to residents from COVID-19 in the community for this time period.

Oak Park Residents Vaccinated

Oak Park reports 88.5% of residents receiving their first dose and 80.5% completing their primary vaccination series.

The Oak Park Department of Public Health is hosting vaccination clinics for anyone age 5 and older who need their first, second, or booster dose. Immunocompromised adults are encouraged to get their fourth dose, and immunocompromised children over the age of 5 are encouraged to get their third dose when eligible.

- Thursday, March 24, 4-6 pm at Cheney Mansion, 220 N. Euclid

Age Range Data

Oak Park residents who tested positive for COVID-19 ranged in age from 3 to 87 years. Children 19 and younger represent over 50% of our cases this week. We are also experiencing our first school related COVID-19 outbreak in seven weeks. As we remove mask requirements in indoor settings, it is important to rely on other COVID-19 mitigations such as social distancing and ventilation in order to prevent COVID-19 spread and outbreaks.

Age Range	Cases March 10-16	% of Cases March 10-16
0-4	4	6.8%
5-13	23	39.0%
14-19	4	6.8%
20-29	4	6.8%
30-39	7	11.9%
40-49	10	14.9%
50-59	2	2.4%
60-69	1	1.7%
70-79	3	5.1%
80-89	1	1.7%
90-99	0	0%
Unknown	0	0%
Total	59	