



March 2, 2022

COVID-19 Status Report
Oak Park Village Board of Trustees

To: Village President and Village Board of Trustees

Fr: Lisa Shelley, Interim 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.

The Oak Park Health Department is working with the Village Manager's office on ideas to change the report for the 2022 calendar year especially as new information continues to be released from the IDPH about reporting changes in the future. Once it is confirmed what data will continue to be available, a revised report will be developed.

New COVID-19 Cases

The Village of Oak Park Department of Public Health received official notification of 103 COVID-19 cases from February 24-March 2, 2022. This is an 11.9% increase over the last 7-day period, and an 56.2% 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 February 24-March 2, our weekly COVID-19 rate of 189 cases per 100,000 placed us in high community transmission range. The CDC recommends tracking community transmission rates and using this to set control measures for hospitals and long-term care 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 Feb 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 189 per 100,000), and less than 10% of staffed inpatient beds occupied by COVID-19 patients (we have 5.6% 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.

Having case counts at the top end of the low category, the Public Health Director is asking the community to be vigilant and employ COVID-19 prevention strategies so that we do not officially

move to the medium COVID-19 Community Level. Prevention strategies that are known to slow the spread of COVID-19 include universal indoor masking, ventilation and air filtration upgrades, social distancing, avoiding crowds, staying home when sick, quarantine if a close contact to someone diagnosed with COVID-19, and testing at the first sign of symptoms.

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 87.7% of residents receiving their first dose and 80.0% completing their primary vaccination series.

The Oak Park Department of Public Health is hosting a vaccination clinic this week 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 3, 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 1 to 94 years.

Age Range	Cases Feb 24-Mar 2	% of Cases Feb 24-Mar 2
0-4	7	6.7%
5-13	23	22.3%
14-19	5	4.8%
20-29	8	7.7%
30-39	15	14.5%
40-49	18	17.4%
50-59	13	12.6%
60-69	3	2.9%
70-79	7	6.7%
80-89	1	0.9%
90-99	2	1.9%
Unknown	1	0.9%
Total	103	