

Health and Human Services

**Calumet County Public Health Covid-19 Status Update**

July 2, 2020

**CALUMET COUNTY COVID-19 CASES AND DATA DASHBOARD**

NOTE: Dashboard does not include data from the portions of City of Menasha or City of Appleton that are within Calumet County. Those cities have their own Public Health jurisdictions separate from Calumet County Public Health.

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**WHAT'S NEW**

The long days and warm weather naturally tend to pull us outdoors for cookouts, campouts, and fireworks displays. These occasions often bring people close together and increase the chance of spreading COVID-19, especially through people that have the virus and don't know it. Here are some alternative suggestions for getting together with people safely this summer:

- Go see a drive-in movie or find ways to recreate the experience at home.
- If you choose to attend outdoor events like fireworks displays, watch from a distance and away from other people. Wear a cloth face covering.
- Attend virtual gatherings using video chat instead of getting together in person.
- Go camping in your backyard. Set up a tent. Roll out the sleeping bags. Roast marshmallows. Enjoy the comforts of your own bathrooms.
- Read more tips in: [A Summer Like No Other: How to Stay Safe and Healthy This Season](#)



## DHS Guidance on Public Restrooms Now Available

- DHS has posted guidance related to public bathrooms. This guidance identifies behaviors to lower the risk of catching or spreading the virus, provides additional recommendations for using a public restroom, and lists key strategies for maintaining bathroom facilities during the COVID-19 pandemic.
  - Guidance for the general public is posted on the [COVID-19 Avoid Illness page](#)
  - Guidance for facility managers is posted on the [COVID-19 Community page](#)

## Travel Guidance Updated

- The [DHS COVID-19 Travel page](#) has been enhanced to include risk reduction messaging, extra planning considerations to account for quarantine/isolation requirements, and limiting group sizes.
- **State guidance around travel remains the same: Staying home is the best way to protect yourself and others from getting sick.** DHS recommends Wisconsin residents cancel or postpone all travel, including travel within the state.
- [DHS Urges Residents to Stay Home Ahead of July 4th Weekend](#)

The American Red Cross of Wisconsin is launching a Virtual Family Assistance Center to support families struggling with loss and grief due to the ongoing coronavirus pandemic. People can visit the Virtual Family Assistance Center online at <https://www.redcross.org/virtual-family-assistance-center/wi-family-assistance-center.html> to access a support hub with special virtual programs, information, referrals, and services to support families in need following the death of a loved one.

## OFFICIAL WEBSITES TO ACCESS STATE, REGIONAL, AND COUNTY DATA

- [Wisconsin COVID-19 cases mapped by County](#)
- [Wisconsin DHS COVID-19 State and County summary data](#)
- [Wisconsin DHS Facility Investigations by region and county](#)
- [Wisconsin Hospital Association \(WHA\) COVID-19 hospitalization data by region](#)
- The Department of Health Services' [COVID-19 testing map](#) tracks community testing sites across the state.

## ADDITIONAL INFORMATION

- [Reopening Calumet County - Public Health Recommendations Guide](#)
- List of all [CDC updates](#) in chronologically order
- List of Previous Press releases from [WI Department of Health Services](#)
- List of Previous Executive and emergency orders from [WI Department of Health Services](#)
- **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.
- **If you have any immediate questions, please call the United Way's Resource Line to speak with a trained specialist. It is available 24/7 for non-emergency questions about COVID-19 and referrals to local health and human services.**
  - Dial 211 on your phone
  - Text "COVID19" to 211-211 to receive links to CDC information.
  - Visit <http://211.org/>
  - Or contact Calumet County Public Health during business hours (M-F 8:00 AM - 4:30 PM) at 920-849-1432.
- Visit the [Calumet County COVID-19 webpage](#) and scroll down to the 'Resources and FAQs' tab for a variety of helpful resources regarding COVID-19.