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Monroe County Department of Public Health COVID-19 Update

4 p.m. on March 24, 2020

Confirmed Cases

There are 106 confirmed cases of COVID-19 in Monroe County.

New Cases

There are 11 new confirmed cases of COVID-19 since the 10 a.m. update. These new individuals include:

- 1 Female in her 20s
- 1 Male in his 20s
- 3 Males in their 30s
- 3 Females in their 50s
- 2 Males in their 50s
- 1 Male in his 70s
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COVID-19 Testing in Monroe County

- 1,573 test results have been received to date
106 positive results, 1,467 negative results

This information includes all testing by physicians, healthcare facilities, and licensed clinical laboratories in Monroe County and will be updated every day at 4 p.m.

Hospitalized patients

Of the 105 confirmed cases, 15 people are hospitalized, 9 of these 15 are in ICU.

Deaths related to COVID-19

3 patients

Mandatory Quarantine

The Health Department has placed 472 people into mandatory quarantine and isolation.

Additional Details

IMPORTANT REMINDER ABOUT TESTING FOR COVID-19.

There are a limited number of COVID-19 tests available in Monroe County and not everyone with potential symptoms of COVID-19 can be tested.

For most people, the results of a test for COVID-19 will have no impact on what happens next. Everyone should already be staying home, practicing social distancing, and talking with their healthcare providers to manage any symptoms. Having a positive test result does not change this guidance.



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The tests are reserved for individuals for whom test results will have an impact on what happens next. For example:

- A healthcare worker or first responder who tests negative can return to work more quickly.
- A hospitalized patient who tests negative can be removed from isolation, which saves PPE usage.
- A hospitalized patient who tests positive will receive more targeted treatment.

Monroe County continues to ask residents to stay home, practice social distancing, and follow the guidance of the Monroe County Department of Public Health. Wash your hands, and call your healthcare provider if you are experiencing a fever (100.4 degrees or higher), cough, or shortness of breath.

Everyone has a role to play as we work to stop the spread of COVID-19 in our community.

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