

# West Allis & West Milwaukee

## COVID-19 (Coronavirus) Weekly Summary Report

Week of 06/11/2020 to 06/17/2020

**+61**  
New Positive Cases in West Allis & West Milwaukee since last report on 06/10/2020

### COVID-19 BY THE NUMBERS

Date Updated 6/17/2020

Data Source: Wisconsin Department of Health Services

**NEGATIVE**  
Coronavirus Test Results (State)  
**423,736**

**POSITIVE**  
Coronavirus Test Results (State)  
**23,454**

**NEGATIVE**  
Coronavirus Test Result (West Allis & West Milwaukee)  
**5,213**

**POSITIVE**  
Coronavirus Test Result (West Allis & West Milwaukee)  
**513**  
\*394 Healthy and Out of Isolation

COVID-19 RELATED DEATHS	
IN WISCONSIN	<b>712</b>
IN MILWAUKEE COUNTY	<b>324</b>
IN WA & WM	<b>25</b>

### BRIDGING THE GAP BETWEEN THE HEALTH DEPARTMENT AND THE COMMUNITY



This week the West Allis Health Department met *virtually* with community leaders **Chris Mambu Rasch** (Director of Strategic Partnerships and Government Relations at Sixteenth Street Community Health Centers) and **Daisy Jimenez** (Social Worker and dedicated leader of the Liberty Heights Neighborhood Association) to learn about community health needs and challenges during a pandemic.

The health department's biggest role in COVID-19 is tracking the virus (contact tracing) and educating the public on how to slow the spread of disease (outreach). With Sixteenth Street and the Liberty Heights Neighborhood Association we discussed and developed outreach strategies to best inform our residents and prevent the spread of COVID-19.

Ultimately, **impacting health at a community level is a collaborative process.** To make progress, we need to recognize that *place matters!* Where you live, work, learn, and play (social & economic factors) can greatly impact and contribute to one's overall health status.

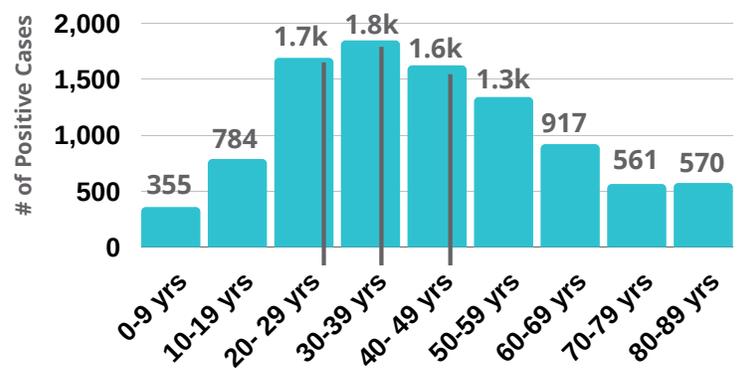
**WANT TO REOPEN YOUR WEST ALLIS BUSINESSES SAFELY?**



Check out the Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation (WEDC) website for guidelines on how to safely open and operate your business while keeping staff and customers healthy. <https://wedc.org/reopen-guidelines>

### STATE AND LOCAL UPDATES

#### Confirmed Case Count By Age in Milwaukee County

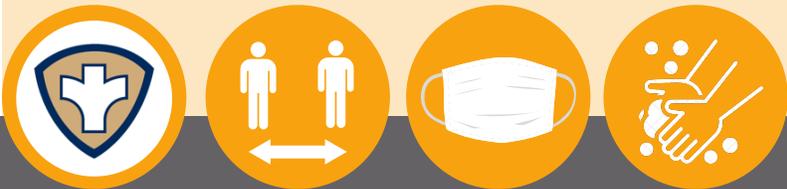


Data Source: Milwaukee County COVID-19 Dashboard

Young adults are not immune to COVID-19. In the last two weeks (6/03/20 to 6/17/20) there has been **16 new cases** identified in West Allis of residents **20-29 years old**, the highest of any age group in the city.

People of all ages can be infected by COVID-19. And while the World Health Organization (WHO) suggests that older people, and people with pre-existing medical conditions (such as asthma, diabetes, heart disease) appear to be more vulnerable to becoming severely ill, **anyone can spread the virus** to their community.

**The takeaway:** It is important to continue to wear masks in public and physically distance yourself from others when possible.



Stay 6 feet away from others

Wear a Mask (If Possible)

Wash Hands Often



### PRACTICE PREVENTION

VISIT [CDC.GOV/COVID19](http://CDC.GOV/COVID19) FOR MORE INFORMATION