

West Allis & West Milwaukee

COVID-19 Weekly Summary Report

Week of 08/13/2020 to 08/19/2020

+103

New Confirmed Cases in West Allis & West Milwaukee since last report on 08/12/2020

COVID-19 BY THE NUMBERS

Date Updated
08/19/2020

Data Source:
Wisconsin
Department of
Health Services

NEGATIVE
Coronavirus
Cases
(State)

1,075,397

POSITIVE
Coronavirus
Confirmed
Cases (State)

66,830

NEGATIVE
Coronavirus
Cases
(West Allis &
West Milwaukee)

13,230

POSITIVE
Coronavirus
Confirmed
Cases
(West Allis &
West Milwaukee)

1,388

*1,120 Healthy and
Out of Isolation

COVID-19
RELATED DEATHS

IN WISCONSIN
1,052

IN MILWAUKEE
COUNTY
395

IN WA & WM
34

WHAT HAPPENS WHEN AN EMPLOYEE TESTS POSITIVE FOR COVID-19?

When a person tests positive for COVID-19 their test result is sent to the Health Department in the jurisdiction where they live. From there, the positive case will receive a phone call from a contact tracer who completes an interview. During the interview the **contact tracer will ask if that person has been to work during their illness** including two days before symptom onset.

COVID-19 business exposures are handled by staff at the West Allis Health Department. After a work place disease exposure, a staff member will follow up with each business and ask about possible close contact exposures as well as ask and educate on current prevention and control practices.

Since April, the Health Department has followed up with over 150 West Allis/West Milwaukee businesses.

Businesses

Expect a call from the Health Department after an employee has tested positive. The Health Department will help you manage and stop further spread of disease.

Customers

Continue to wear masks in public places and practice physical distancing.

Positive Cases

Give as much information as possible to the contact tracer about where you work and employees and customers you were in close contact to while working.



RECAP: STATE FAIR DRIVE THRU COVID-19 TESTING

This week the West Allis Health Department partnered with the Wisconsin National Guard and the Wisconsin State Fair to offer free drive-thru COVID-19 testing.

Staff from all organizations worked quickly to turn the historic Milwaukee Mile into a centrally located and easy to access testing site.

For an up-to-date list of local testing locations visit: westalliswi.gov/coronavirus

PRACTICE PREVENTION

VISIT CDC.GOV/COVID19
FOR MORE INFORMATION



Stay 6 feet away
from others

Wear a
Mask

Wash Hands
Often

