

West Allis & West Milwaukee

COVID-19 Weekly Summary Report

Week of 08/27/2020 to 09/02/2020

+60

New Confirmed Cases in West Allis & West Milwaukee since last report on 08/26/2020

COVID-19 BY THE NUMBERS

Date Updated
09/02/2020

Data Source:
Wisconsin
Department of
Health Services

NEGATIVE
Coronavirus
Cases
(State)

1,191,548

POSITIVE
Coronavirus
Confirmed
Cases (State)

77,129

NEGATIVE
Coronavirus
Cases
(West Allis &
West Milwaukee)

14,570

POSITIVE
Coronavirus
Confirmed
Cases
(West Allis &
West Milwaukee)

1,526

*1,396 Healthy and
Out of Isolation

COVID-19
RELATED DEATHS

IN WISCONSIN
1,142

IN MILWAUKEE
COUNTY **409**

IN WA & WM
35

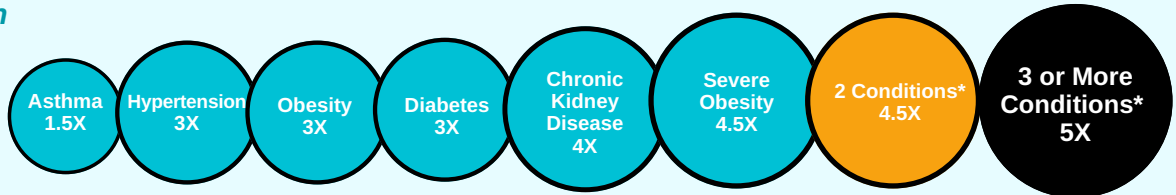


PEOPLE AT INCREASED RISK OF SEVERE ILLNESS FROM COVID-19

Among adults, the risk for severe illness from COVID-19 increases with age, with **older adults (85+)** at highest risk. 8 out of 10 COVID-19-related deaths reported in the United States have been adults aged 65 years and older and **78% of deaths in West Allis and West Milwaukee have been among adults aged 65 years and older.** Severe illness means that the person with COVID-19 may require hospitalization, intensive care, a ventilator, or they may even die.

Other factors, such as having **underlying medical conditions** can also increase your risk for severe illness. By understanding the factors that put you at an increased risk, you can make decisions about what kind of precautions to take in your daily life.

Risk for *hospitalization* if you have any of these conditions and get COVID-19 compared to people without the condition(s)



*Conditions include asthma, obesity, diabetes, chronic kidney disease, severe obesity, coronary artery disease, history of stroke and COPD.

Source: Centers for Disease Control (CDC): Visiting Parks and Recreational Facilities



PROTECTING THE VULNERABLE POPULATIONS IN WEST ALLIS AND WEST MILWAUKEE

The West Allis Health Department understands that people over 65 years old are at greatest risk for complications with COVID-19. As such, we have partnered with local senior living apartments, assisted living facilities, and nursing homes to provide case management, masks and educational materials for the cities' most vulnerable population.

PRACTICE PREVENTION

VISIT CDC.GOV/COVID19
FOR MORE INFORMATION



Stay 6 feet away
from others

Wear a
Mask

Wash Hands
Often

