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Yavapai County

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Yavapai County has 172 COVID-19 Cases, Third Death Still Under Investigation

Apache 630  Coconino 618  Cochise 40  Graham 19  Greenlee 2
Gila 17  La Paz 20  Maricopa 5,196  Mohave 158  Navajo 912
Pima 1,465  Pinal 530  Santa Cruz 38  Yavapai 172  Yuma 148

111,086 Arizonans have been tested for COVID-19 with 9,945 positive cases and 450 deaths. Yavapai County has tested 3,712 residents (and increase of 335 tests since yesterday), 172 positives, 12 recovered, and 2 deaths, with one still under investigation. The “testing blitz” case results have begun to arrive on the YCCHS Epidemiologist’s desk, with some included in this update. He and the Public Health Nurses continue to critically assess test data, provide contact tracing, and address outbreaks. Continued testing will be conducted today for students at Mingus Mountain Academy by Yavapai Regional Medical Center professionals. We expect results by the weekend.

VVMC reports no hospitalization from COVID-19, and 5 persons under investigation (PUI) as of yesterday afternoon. YRMC reports 1 hospitalization with COVID-19, with 4 PUIs on West Campus, 2 on the East Campus. The VA has no COVID-19 hospitalizations or PUIs.

COVID-19 symptoms typically occur two to 14 days after exposure, and include headache, fever, cough, and shortness of breath, according to the CDC. However, some cases of the virus are entirely asymptomatic. Practices to avoid infection include social distancing (of at least six feet), washing your hands, avoiding unnecessary trips and not touching your face. COVID-19 can survive on cardboard for up to 24 hours, and on stainless steel and plastic surfaces up to three days.

If you think you have been exposed to COVID-19 and develop a fever, cough or difficulty breathing, speak with a healthcare provider for medical advice. According to the CDC, people who are mildly ill with COVID-19 are able to recover at home. Stay at home and avoid public transportation but stay in touch with your doctor. If you do leave your home, wear a facemask and clean your hands often. If you develop more severe symptoms (persistent pain or pressure in the chest, confusion, bluish lips) get medical attention immediately. Your local health authorities will give instructions on checking your symptoms and reporting information.

National Guard to conduct flyover for Navajo Nation and Northern AZ Today - The formation will launch this morning at around 11 from Tucson and conduct an air refueling mission. The first tribute will be over hospitals in Gallup, New Mexico, around 12:49 p.m. Arizona time. Then the formation will go over the Navajo Capitol at 12:54 p.m., Fort Defiance at 12:55 p.m., Chinle at 1:02 p.m., Kayenta at 1:11 p.m., Tuba City at 1:23 p.m., Flagstaff at 1:37 p.m. and Prescott at 1:51 p.m.

• For Yavapai County data and COVID-19 Resources for Re-Opening, www.yavapai.us/chs
• The Yavapai Emergency Phone Bank - 928-442-5103 M-F, 8-5. COVID-19 information en español
• #YavapaiStrongerTogether - https://justicementalhealth.com/resources-support/#covid19