



COVID-19 Community Report







Date: Wednesday, October 21, 2020

Time: 6:00 PM

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Brevard EOC and LSA Total Statistics as of 10/21

				
Days activated	Face Masks distributed	Gowns distributed	Glove pairs distributed	Calls received
227	1,808,324	132,242	949,403	34,674

CDC recommendations for keeping yourself and your pet safe during COVID

Can pets at home spread the new coronavirus (2019-nCoV)?



Brevard Cares Program Total Statistics as of 10/21

				
Individual Assistance	Small Business Economic Relief Program	Small Business PPE Kits	Food Stability Farmer's Market	Food Stability Weekend Feeding
1,320 Applications	2,931 Applications	2,220 Kits Distributed	13,381 Households	42,075 Meals

COVID-19 Numbers

[Daily Positive Cases](#)

(select Brevard and cases by county tab)

[Total Test Results to Date](#)

(Scroll to Brevard report)

[The CDC updated its frequently ask questions webpage on COVID and Animals. The FAQ include information on Stay healthy around animals, protecting your pet if you are sick, and using a daycare or a groomer.](#)

Brevard County:

- Visit the Brevard CARES website for details on the [Small Business and Nonprofit Organizations grant on-line application](#).
 - Small businesses and nonprofit organizations may be eligible for grants up to \$10,000 to offset expenses and lost revenue related to impacts from COVID.
- Rental/Mortgage Assistance Program and Utility/Security Deposit Program applicants must review and submit all required documents and attachments to qualify for assistance listed on [HHS Coronavirus Assistance Program Application Form](#)
- [Workforce Recovery Assistance Program](#) is available through December 30, 2020. This program aids Small Businesses (fewer than 50 employees) impacted by COVID-19. businesses rehire their laid off or furloughed employee(s) by funding hourly wages.
- The UF/Brevard Extension Service is hosting a weekly farmer's market where eligible residents can obtain CARES Act dollars for vendor purchases.
 - Thursdays at Wickham Park, 2500 Parkway Drive Melbourne, 3-6 PM
 - Fridays at the Welcome Center, 419 South Hopkins Avenue, Titusville, 3-6 PM
 - 1st/3rd Saturdays at Riverview Park in Melbourne from 10 AM – 3 PM
 - 2nd/4th Saturday at 4220 Dixie Highway NE in Palm Bay from 10 AM – 2 PM

Community Feeding Operations:

- For information on food pantry locations and how to access help, utilize the [United Way of Brevard's COVID-19 Community Resource guide](#). It is recommended that you call ahead to verify availability
- Brevard County Public Schools continue to offer meals for all children up to 18 years old at various food distribution sites through December 31.
 - Food distribution sites are open Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays.
[Distribution Locations](#)
- The county has partnered with the Children's Hunger Project to distribute 42,075 weekend meals to date
- Brevard County's "Pop up Pantry" feeding operation has distributed 2.15 million meals to date. From 10/13 - 10/20, served 2,858 cars and 29 walk-ups for a total 3,107 families



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On-line Resources:

- [CDC Website](#)
- [CDC Facebook](#)
- [CDC GOV Twitter](#)
- [CDC Emergency Twitter](#)
- [FDOH Website](#)
- [FDOH Twitter](#)

Brevard County COVID-19 Testing Sites (no symptoms required)



DOH- Brevard	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Appointment required, call 321- 454-7141 • Monday – Friday, 8:15 AM to 12 PM • Viera Clinic, 2555 Judge Fran Jamieson Way • Testing available for adults and children of all ages
EFSC Palm Bay Campus (State Operated Site)	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Drive-through, no appointment required • Monday – Sunday, 9 AM to 5 PM • 250 Community College Parkway. (Use the entrance from San Filippo Dr. SE & Jupiter Blvd.) • Testing available for adults and children of all ages • Insurance information will be requested but is not required to receive a test <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • There will be no copay or any fee charged • Identification is no longer required but does expedite the process
Health First	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Appointment required, call 321-434-3131 • Monday – Saturday, 9 AM to 12 PM • Pro-Health & Fitness, 255 Borman Drive, Merritt Island
Parrish	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Appointment required for locations, call 321-268-6139 or text “covid test” to 321-204-1699. • Locations are rotated throughout the week <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Tuesday, 1:30 to 3:30 PM, at the Parrish Health and Fitness Center parking lot, 2210 Cheney Hwy, Titusville • Wednesday, 12 PM to 3 PM, at the Greater St. James Missionary Baptist Church, grass lot south of church, 2396 Harry T. Moore Ave. Mims • Thursday, 12 PM to 1 PM, at the Harry T. Moore Social Services Center parking lot, 725 S. Deleon Ave. Titusville • Friday, 9 AM to 12 PM, at the Parrish Medical Offices parking lot, 7075 US 1 Port St. John • Saturday, 9AM to 11 AM, at the Gibson Youth Center parking lot, 835 Sycamore St. Titusville

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Brevard Public Schools	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • BPS Covid-19 Dashboard is now available, providing information on the schools with COVID-19 positive cases, as well as quarantine statistics for individual schools. The site is updated every Tuesday and Friday • BPS COVID-19 Information
Space Coast Area Transit	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Space Coast Area Transit COVID-19 Information
Cape Canaveral	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Cape Canaveral COVID-19 Information
Cocoa	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Face coverings are required in places open to the public • Coronavirus Water Utilities and Rental & Mortgage Assistance for citizens living within the city limits of Cocoa through City of Cocoa Coronavirus Relief Fund <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Electronic applications are available online and can be submitted via email at: crf@cocoaf1.org • Hard copy applications are available at 65 Stone Street, Cocoa, FL 32922 in the lobby. Applications will be picked up Monday-Friday at 4PM with stamped date. • Only complete applications with COVID-19 hardship from March 1, 2020 - December 20, 2020 will be accepted. • City of Cocoa COVID-19 Information
Cocoa Beach	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Face masks are no longer required effective October 5, 2020 • Visitors to City Hall are still by appointment only, and must have their temperature taken prior to entering
Indialantic	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resolution 20-2020 encourages the use of Face Coverings and requires Businesses to post a Mask Policy
Indian Harbour Beach	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Face coverings are required for businesses and patrons and in designated city facilities • Executive Order 2020-04 requiring face masks is in effect until December 9, 2020
Malabar	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Malabar COVID-19 Information or call 321-727-7764
Melbourne	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • City of Melbourne COVID-19 Information • Newly Received Coronavirus Relief Funds available for Melbourne Residents
Melbourne Beach	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Melbourne Beach COVID-19 Information
Melbourne Village	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Daily operations continue by phone, email or by appointment only. Visitors are required to wear masks. • E-mail Melbourne Village, call 321-723-8300 or visit the Melbourne Village website.

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Palm Bay	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Coronavirus Relief Fund (CRF) rent and utility payment assistance is available • Qualified organizations can apply for Community Development Block Grant – Coronavirus funding until October 30, 2020 by 3PM • Palm Bay COVID-19 information
Palm Shores	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Face coverings are required in Town Hall and recommended throughout the town effective September 30, 2020
Rockledge	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The use of face masks is strongly encouraged within the city limits through October 31, 2020 • Rockledge COVID-19 Information
Satellite Beach	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Resolution No. 1032 encourages residents and visitors in Satellite Beach to continue wearing face coverings to stop the spread of Covid-19 • Satellite Beach COVID-19 Information
West Melbourne	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • The mask requirement for essential businesses has been extended to October 26, 2020 • West Melbourne COVID-19 information

State/National Updates

- [The Florida Department of Health released recommendations for staying safe during Halloween activities](#). These include:
 - Wash your hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds before and after preparing goodie bags
 - While visiting a pumpkin patches or orchards use hand sanitizer before touching pumpkins or picking apples
 - Attend a small, outdoor and open-air costume parade or have a virtual costume contest
- The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention is partnering with CVS and Walgreens to offer on-site COVID-19 vaccination services for residents of Long- Term Care Facilities. An [overview of the program](#) as well as [frequently asked questions](#) regarding the program is available on the Agency's website at http://ahca.myflorida.com/COVID-19_Facilities.shtml#facility
- [The CDC updated COVID-19 Pandemic Travel Guidance](#). Travel increases your chances of getting and spreading COVID-19 depending on whether you and those around you take steps to protect yourself and others; such as wearing masks and staying 6 feet away from people outside your household. Airports, bus stations, train stations, and rest stops are all places travelers can be exposed to the virus in the air and on surfaces. These are also places where it can be hard to keep your distance from others. In general, the longer you are around a person with COVID-19, the more likely you are to get infected.