



The City of Chicopee has transitioned to daily updates as the COVID-19 situation has warranted a centralized/increase in the distribution of information. These updates are intended to keep all informed of the actions being taken to reduce the impacts of Coronavirus on the community.

On Wednesday, June 30, 2021, the following City of Chicopee Departments have reported:

Mayor's Office

- The Delta variant continues and is now prevalent in the US and accounts for 1 out of 5 new infections
- Dr. Fauci believes the Delta variant is the biggest threat to the US at this time, but vaccinations have been shown to prevent severe reactions to the Delta variant
- Some individuals still feel there may be a new surge of COVID in the US due to the Delta variant
- The state reported there were 63 new cases yesterday for a total of 1,361 open cases which continues the decline in infections
- The state numbers indicated 1 new death yesterday
- The state had 104 cases in hospitals, with 31 in an ICU. The average age of hospitalization was 60 years old
- The state seven day average positivity is 0.33%
- Testing is continuing with 19,683 molecular tests reported and brings the cumulative tests to 23,793,862 tests
- The state numbers are stable but low
- The vaccination bus was successful in Wisniowski Park with a large number of individuals getting a dose
- Holyoke Health Center will be working with our schools to vaccinate students and family members at the middle and high schools. There are about 10,000 potential individuals but we do not know of their current vaccination status

Health

- City Case Counts
 - There are 10 open cases
 - There are 26 deaths
 - 121 N/A
 - 4,321 recovered
 - A total of 4,478 cases to date

Police Department

- Status quo on services
- We are working on National Night Out and measures we want to consider
- Resource Fair is scheduled for July 17th at Wisniowski Park with C3 Unit

Fire Department

- Status quo on services
- Have test kits available for any outbreak if one should occur
- New recruits will be tested for academy

Emergency Management

- Status quo on services and staffing

Safety

- Status Quo on staffing
- We had another slow day at the test center with only 6 tests yesterday and all were negative for COVID
- For the Fire Works we will see if there is any increase and potential need to reopen testing as individuals were congregating

DPW

- Status quo on staffing

COA

- Status Quo on staffing and services
- We are ready for reopening on the 6th

Human Resources

- Status Quo on services

Treasurer

- Status Quo