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Tuscarawas County Health Department

Tuscarawas County Health Department's COVID-19 Weekly Report

October 16, 2020

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ODH Call Center

1-833-4-ASK-ODH
Open Seven Days a Week
From 9 a.m. to 8 p.m.

U.S. States with the Most Cases of COVID-19*

*As of October 15, 2020

- California (858,401)
- Texas (809,808)
- Florida (735,685)
- New York (481,030)
- Georgia (336,241)
- Illinois (334,658)
- North Carolina (238,939)
- Arizona (228,748)
- Tennessee (222,827)
- New Jersey (216,994)
- Pennsylvania (177,520)
- Louisiana (176,952)
- Ohio (175,843)*
- Wisconsin (171,122)
- Alabama (169,162)
- Virginia (164,124)
- South Carolina (161,106)
- Michigan (156,913)
- Missouri (150,554)
- Massachusetts (148,547)
- Indiana (141,212)

Situation Numbers

Globally (As of October 16, 2020)

38,789,204 total cases of COVID-19; 1,095,097 deaths (2.8%) (Last week: 2.9%)

United States (As of October 16, 2020)

7,958,254 total cases of COVID-19; 216,917 deaths (2.7%) (Last week: 2.8%)

Ohio (As of October 16, 2020)

177,991 cases of COVID-19

5,054 deaths (2.8%) (Last week: 3.0%)

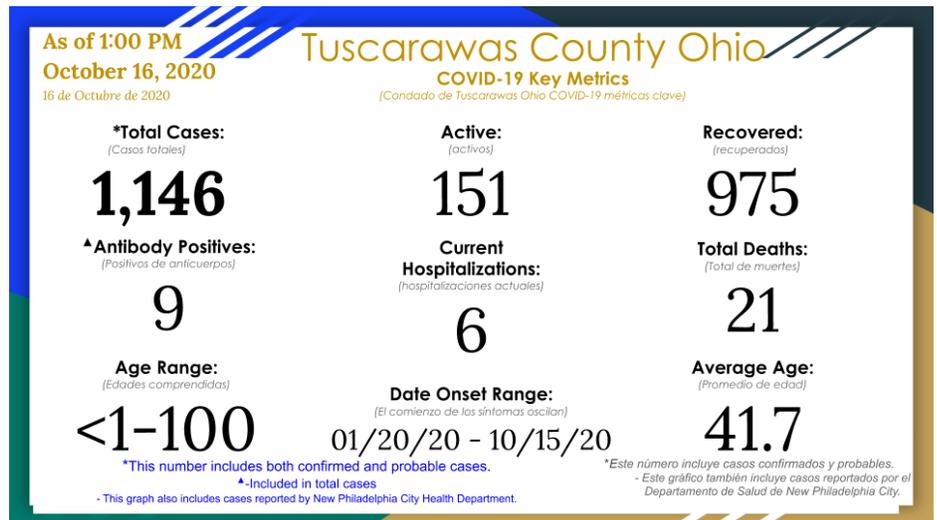
21-day trend (cases) is pictured at the right

More details available at:

<https://coronavirus.ohio.gov>



Tuscarawas County:



Here in Tuscarawas County, we are continuing to experience a large increase in active COVID-19 cases. Of our active cases as of 12:30 pm on Thursday, October 15th, 84% are a result of community spread (defined by the CDC as people who have been infected with the virus in an area, including some who are not sure how or where they became infected), and 16% of current active cases are from those who reside in a congregate setting.

As local case numbers increase, we ask everyone to please remember to follow the safety protocols to social distance, wear masks, avoid large gatherings, and stay home when sick. These steps can help prevent the spread of COVID-19 in our community. Thank you for your efforts to help.



Ohio Public Health Advisory System

LEVEL 1

Public Emergency
Active exposure and spread.

LEVEL 2

Public Emergency
Increased exposure and spread.

LEVEL 3

Public Emergency
Very high exposure and spread.

LEVEL 4

Public Emergency
Severe exposure and spread.



As of
10/15/2020

High Incidence
 Indicates a county approaching Level 4

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Tuscarawas County:

LEVEL 2

(as of 10/15/2020)

On 10/15/2020, Tuscarawas County remained a Risk Level 2/Orange county in the Ohio Public Health Advisory System for the fourth consecutive week. Additionally, Tuscarawas County was classified as "high incidence," which means the county has seen more than 100 cases per 100,000 residents during the past two weeks. To be classified a Risk Level 2, two to three of the 7 indicators must be met.

Tuscarawas County meets the three indicators circled below:

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|---|---|--|---|---|---|---|
| 1.
50 cases/
100,000
Most Recent
2-weeks | 2.
New Cases
Trajectory
increase over a
5 day period | 3.
Proportion in
Non-
Congregate
Settings (LTC) | 4.
COVID-like ED
Trajectory
increase over a
5 day period | 5.
COVID-like OP
Trajectory
increase over a
5 day period | 6.
Hospitalization
Trajectory
increase over a
5 day period | 7.
>80%
threshold for
capacity + 20%
COVID ICU |
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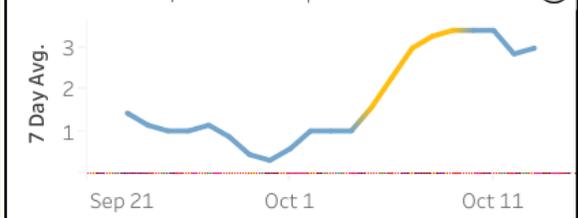
For indicator 3 above, "LTC" represents long term care facilities. For a detailed explanation of the 7 indicators, visit <https://coronavirus.ohio.gov/static/OPHASM/Summary-Alert-Indicators.pdf>

Indicator 1 - New Cases per Capita | Met

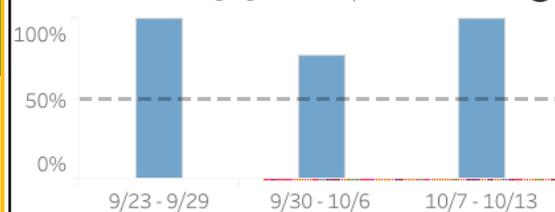


Cases over past two weeks	County Population	Cases per 100k
121	91,987	131.54

Indicator 5 - Outpatient Visits | Met



Indicator 3 - Non-Congregate Cases | Met



Tuscarawas County Health Department's Current Situational Goal:

Continue to provide timely and accurate information to the public and stakeholders while protecting patient confidentiality and minimizing the spread of the virus through contact tracing, notification, and tracking.