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Sheboygan County COVID-19 Status Update

DATE: 9/16/2022, 2:00pm CST

***We will be providing these updates on Fridays by 4pm.*

Local data updated on the [Sheboygan County Dashboard](#) Monday - Friday.

*Updated information is denoted by a ** prior to the bullet in the report below*

Today's Community Messaging:

****DHS Supports FDA Authorization, CDC Recommendation for Updated Bivalent COVID-19 Vaccine Boosters for Individuals 12 Years of Age and Older:**

- The Wisconsin Department of Health Services (DHS) supports the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC) [recommendation](#) for use of the updated COVID-19 booster in individuals 12 years of age and older are now eligible to receive the updated Pfizer bivalent COVID-19 vaccine booster and adults 18 years of age and older are now eligible to receive the updated Moderna bivalent COVID-19 vaccine booster. Read the DHS' news release [here](#), and the full bulletin [here](#).
- For more information on staying up to date with your COVID-19 Vaccines and Boosters, please visit the following link to the [CDC Website](#)
- Sheboygan County's Walk-In Wednesday clinic this week will have these boosters, however they have a very limited supply and are recommending that you book an appointment ahead of time here: <https://vaccinate.wi.gov/en-US/>
 - This week if you walk-in for a booster without an appointment, you may be turned away due to our limited supply.
 - There are also other providers that have these boosters. go to vaccines.gov to find a location near you!

****[Wisconsin DHS Health Alert #48: Expanded Monkeypox Vaccine Eligibility Criteria](#). Sheboygan County Public Health will be vaccinating this population on Tuesdays beginning September 13th by appointment only.** If you believe you are eligible, please leave a message on our Public Health hotline at 920-459-0321 and a Public Health Nurse will contact you.

Below you will see more information about eligible individuals for the JYNNEOS vaccine.

Beginning September 6, 2022, the JYNNEOS vaccine will be available to Wisconsinites who meet at least one of the following criteria:

- Known contacts who are identified by public health via case investigation, contact tracing, and risk exposure assessments (PEP).
- Presumed contacts who may meet the following criteria (PEP++):
 - People who know that a sexual partner in the past 14 days was diagnosed with monkeypox.



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- People who attended an event or venue where there was known monkeypox exposure.
- Gay men, bisexual men, trans men and women, any men who have sex with men, and gender non-conforming/non-binary individuals, who have had multiple sexual partners in the last 14 days.
- People considered to have elevated risk of exposure to monkeypox in the future (PrEP):
 - Gay men, bisexual men, trans men and women, any men who have sex with men, and gender non-conforming/non-binary individuals who expect to have multiple or anonymous sex partners. This may include people living with HIV and people who take HIV PrEP because of increased risk of sexually-transmitted infections.
 - Clinical laboratory personnel who perform testing to diagnose orthopoxviruses, including those who use polymerase chain reaction (PCR) assays for diagnosis of orthopoxviruses, including Monkeypox virus.
 - Research laboratory workers who directly handle cultures or animals contaminated or infected with orthopoxviruses that infect humans, including Monkeypox virus, replication-competent Vaccinia virus, or recombinant Vaccinia viruses derived from replication-competent Vaccinia virus strains.
 - Certain health care providers working in sexual health clinics or other specialty settings directly caring for patients with sexually transmitted infections.

Vaccines:

- [COVID Booster Information](#)
- [Tips on how to be there for your child during vaccinations](#)
- [Next Steps: After you receive the COVID-19 vaccine](#)
- Find a vaccine provider at [Vaccines.gov](https://www.vaccines.gov)
- [White House's Approach to Combat COVID-19](#)
- [CDC COVID-19 Vaccine Booster Guidance](#)

COVID-19 Variants Update:

- [COVID-19: Emerging SARS-CoV-2 Variants](#)
- [SARS-CoV-2 Variant Classifications and Definitions](#)

CDC Guidance:

- [Quarantine and Isolation Calculator](#)
- The CDC has released its [Recommendations for Fully Vaccinated Individuals](#)
- [Quarantine and Isolation Guidance](#)
- Please work with your child's school to determine their return date if they test positive for COVID or have been exposed. See below for resources to help to determine return dates for children and adults:
 - [COVID-19 Positive or Symptomatic Isolation Guidance](#)
 - [COVID-19 Exposed: Up-to-date on your vaccine & booster](#)
 - [COVID-19 Exposed: Not up to date on your vaccine & booster](#)



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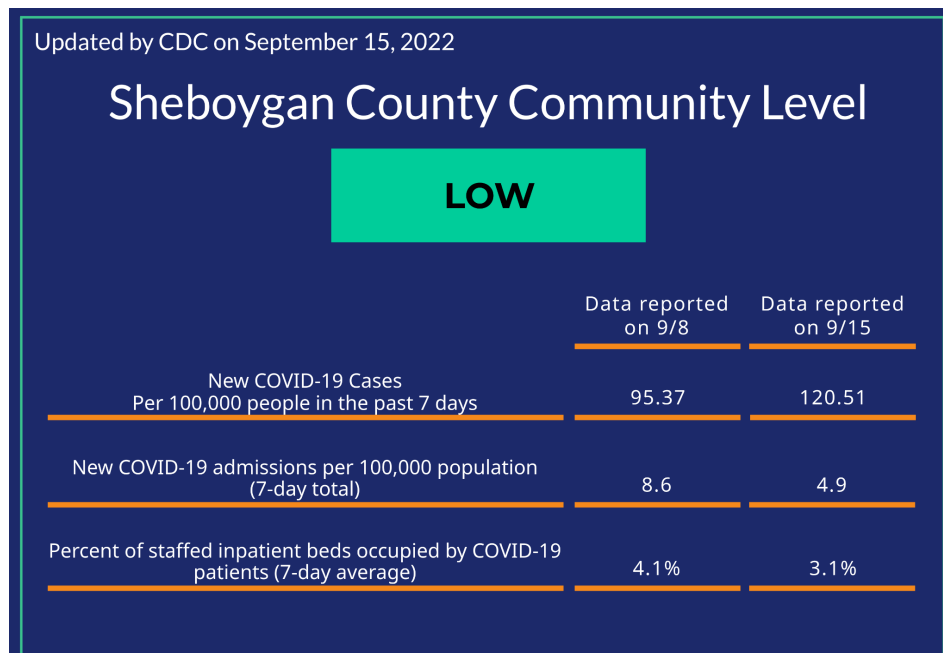
Data:

- [Sheboygan County Data Dashboard](#)
- [WI DHS Data](#)

Testing:

- [DHS Launches Program to Offer Free COVID-19 Self-Tests to Wisconsinites](#)
- [At-Home testing frequently asked questions](#)
- Sheboygan County [Testing Options](#)
- [Get free at-home COVID-19 tests](#)
- [Sheboygan County COVID Positive Case Interview Form \(Spanish\) \(Hmong\)](#)
- [Curative Testing Site](#)

****Sheboygan County Community Level:**



- [5/20/22 Sheboygan County CDC Community Level Moves to Medium](#)
- For more information on CDC's Community Levels visit, <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/science/community-levels.html>

****All of the information that is removed from the update can be found on the website****

Please watch for our local community updates through our [public health email](#), our [website](#), and [Facebook](#). If you have any immediate questions, please call 211 for general inquiries or contact the Sheboygan County Division of Public Health during business hours (Monday-Friday; 8:00 am - 5:00 pm) at 920-459-0321.