# **Local Snapshot**

Pacific County Positive Cases: 1850

New Cases since September 22, 2021: 83

Pacific County Active Cases: 87

Pacific County Hospitalizations to Date: 98

New Hospitalizations this week: 8

Pacific County Deaths: 28

New Pacific County Deaths this week: 1

The Pacific County Emergency Operations Center is Open Monday - Friday, 8:00am - 4:00pm Please give us a call with any COVID-19 related questions or concerns.

North County: (360) 875-9407 / South County: (360) 642-9407.

If you are experiencing a medical, or, other type of emergency, please contact 9-1-1 immediately. If no one is available to take your call during regular business hours please leave a message and someone will get back to you within 3 business days.

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For the latest Washington State COVID-19 data please click on the link below: <a href="https://www.doh.wa.gov/Emergencies/Coronavirus">https://www.doh.wa.gov/Emergencies/Coronavirus</a>

For the latest PACIFIC COUNTY COVID-19 DATA please click on the link below. The page is very informative and illustrates how we are trying to disseminate information and resources: <a href="https://www.pacificcountycovid19.com/">https://www.pacificcountycovid19.com/</a>

Next Monthly Community Forum: Thursday October 6, 2021 at 11:30 (re-occurring) via Zoom or

Facebook Live

https://us02web.zoom.us/j/84282447783

1-253-215-8782 meeting id: 84282447783#

## **Statewide Snapshot**

WA State Total Positive Cases as of 09/28/2021: 652,011 WA Total Hospitalizations: 36,388 WA Total Deaths: 7,591 Neighboring Counties: Wahkiakum County 247 cases, Grays Harbor 7,484 cases, Lewis County 8,821 cases, Clatsop County 2,269 cases.

**Pacific County to Offer Increased Testing Opportunities** 

Beginning Monday October 4, Pacific County residents will have additional opportunities to be tested for Covid-19. These opportunities are currently planned for the next four weeks.

**Monday, October 4<sup>th</sup>** Drive Up Testing at the Port of Willapa Harbor Stan Hatfield Industrial Site, 819 Ocean Ave., Raymond Washington. Testing is from 12:00 noon to 4:00 p.m.

**Tuesday, October 5<sup>th</sup>** Drive Up Testing at the South Pacific County Administration Facility, 7013 Sandridge Road Long Beach, WA 98631. Testing is from 11:00 a.m. to 3:00 p.m.

#### Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine Booster Dose Recommended for Certain Individuals

DOH will immediately begin offering <u>booster doses of the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccine</u> to certain individuals following recommendations from the U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA), Advisory Committee on Immunizations Practices (ACIP), and Western States Scientific Safety Review Workgroup. Read the full news release.

# These DOH Guidance Documents Have Been Updated

<u>Secretary of Health's Mask Order FAQ</u>, to align with a technical update to the <u>secretary's order</u> related to athletes and coaches at large outdoor gatherings. <u>K-12 COVID-19 Requirements for Summer 2021 and the 2021-2022 School Year</u>, to integrate the relevant information on vaccine requirements for staff, clarification on medical or disability accommodations to face covering requirements, and other technical updates to align with CDC recommendations on testing for close contacts.

# Inslee Updates Worker Vaccine Requirement Proclamation.

Gov. Jay Inslee amended the proclamation on vaccine requirement to include on-site contractors who contract with certain state agencies. Read the full news release.

# Inslee Updates Eviction Moratorium Bridge Proclamation.

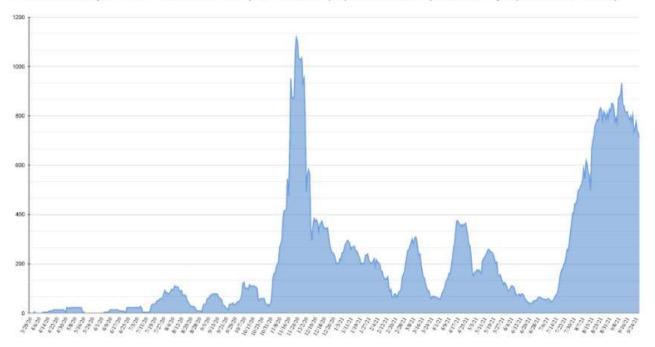
The eviction bridge transition is extended through 11:59 p.m. on Oct. 31, 2021, to allow more time for local jurisdictions to distribute rental assistance funding. Read the full news release.

# Pacific County Weekly COVID 19 Case Data

Pacific County Case Data Summary	9/15/2021	9/22/2021	9/29/2021		
Cases (Total)	1692	1767	1850		
Active Cases	106	72	87		
New cases this week	93	75	83		
New cases over 14 days	178	168	158		
Total Hospitalizations	84	90	98		
New hospitalizations this week	6	6	8		
Deaths (total)	24	27	28		
Case rate per 100,000 population over 14 days	841	776	712		

Updated 9/29/2021

Pacific County COVID-19 Case Rate per 100,000 population over past 14 days (trend over time)



Updated 9/29/2021

# Case Rates: Fully vaccinated vs not fully vaccinated (since Jan 1, 2021)

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Proportion of cases in	Cases in People who are fully vaccinated	165			177			205		
people since January 1st who are fully vaccinated	Total cases since January 1st>	1098	=	15.0%	1173	=	15.1%	1256	=	16.3%
Proportion of cases in	Cases in people who are NOT fully vaccinated>	933			996			1051		
people since January 1st who are NOT fully vaccinated	Total cases since January 1st>	1098	=	85%	1173	=	85%	1256	=	84%
Breakthrough case rate	Cases in People who are fully vaccinated	165			177			205		
(% of people who are fully vaccinated who test positive for COVID 19)	Total # of people who are fully vaccinated	10567	=	1.6%	10678	=	1.7%	10739	=	1.9%

# Pacific County COVID-19 Cases by Age Group

Age	9/29/2021
0-9	149
10-19	255
20-29	225
30-39	296
40-49	276
50-59	233
60-69	206
70+	189
Incomplete data	1829

Undated 9/29/2021

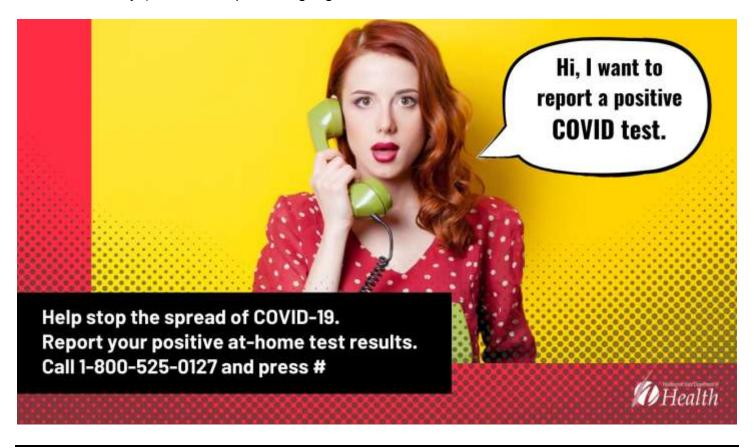
Case Rate by Zip Code	9/29/2021		
Bay Center (98527)	13		
Chinook (98614)	34		
Ilwaco (98624)	77		
Long Beach (98631	213		
Lebam (98554)	2		
Naselle (98638)	112		
Nahcotta (98637)	5		
Menlo (98561)	2		
Ocean Park (98640)	188		
Oysterville (98641)	6		
Seaview (98644)	43		
Raymond (98577)	780		
South Bend (98586)	292		
Tokeland (98590)	14		
Grayland (98547)	36		
Incomplete data	33		

# Pacific County Cases by Zip Code

- Confirmed case count is specific to each zip code.
- Represents permanent residence of Pacific County COVID-19 cases.
- Not a representation of where COVID-19 exposure or transmission occurred.

# Report Your Positive At-Home COVID Test Results.

Call the COVID-19 Hotline 1-800-525-0127 and press #. Our Hotline team will walk your through the reporting process. Hotline hours: Monday from 6 a.m. to 10 p.m., and Tuesday to Sunday (and observed holidays) 6 a.m. to 6 p.m. Language assistance is available.



## **Booster Dose Information**

Pacific County providers are now offering booster doses of the Pfizer vaccine! The booster doses are currently recommended for people who received Pfizer for their first 2 doses and who completed their initial Pfizer series over 6 months ago, and fall into one of the following groups:

- People are over the age of 65; OR
- People 65 and older; OR
- Residents in long-term care facilities
- People 50-64 years old with underlying medical conditions
- People 18-49 years old with underlying medical conditions
- And people 18-64 years old who are at increased risk for COVID-19 exposure and transmission because of their occupation may receive a booster, based on their individual benefits and risks.

According to the CDC, occupations at increased risk for COVID-19 exposure and transmission include front line essential workers and health care workers, including:

- First responders (healthcare workers, firefighters, police, congregate care staff)
- Education staff (teachers, support staff, daycare workers)
- Food and agriculture workers
- Manufacturing workers
- Corrections workers
- U.S. Postal Service workers

- Public transit workers
- Grocery store workers

If you meet all of the requirements above, you are eligible for a booster vaccine. As of today (9/28), eight booster clinics are currently scheduled. They are:

# Ocean Beach Hospital & Medical Clinic

October 1st

115 First Ave N Ilwaco (Ilwaco Library)

Register: https://prepmod.doh.wa.gov/appointment/en/reg/8561105092

Ocean Beach Hospital & Medical Clinic

# Ocean Beach Hospital & Medical Clinic

October 5th

115 First Ave N Ilwaco (Ilwaco Library)

Register: https://prepmod.doh.wa.gov//appointment/en/reg/9257101697

# **Ilwaco Pharmacy**

October 22nd

810 State Route 101 Chinook (Chinook School)

Register: www.covidvaccine360.com

# **Raymond Pharmacy**

September 30th, Oct 1st, and Oct 24th, Oct 27th, and Oct 28th 515 Commercial Street Raymond Call 360-942-2634

# **South Bend Pharmacy**

Sept 23rd, Oct 1st, and Oct 5th 101 Willapa Ave South Bend Call 360-875-5757

If you are unable to get an appointment at one of the above listed clinics, please be patient. We have plenty of vaccine for everyone and additional clinics are scheduled continuously. You can find additional booster dose clinics as they are scheduled, on our website at www.pacificcountycovid19.com.

# **Booster Dose Frequently Asked Questions**

## Where Can I get a Booster Dose?

Answer: Anywhere offering Pfizer vaccine. The booster doses are the same as the first and second Pfizer doses, so you can get a booster dose from medical clinics and pharmacies offering Pfizer vaccine. You can find a location near you by searching www.pacificcountycovid19.com

# Can I Get My Booster Dose at the Same Time as My Flu Shot?

Answer: Yes – great idea! You can get your COVID-19 vaccine at the same time as other vaccines, including the annual influenza vaccine.

# If I Need a Booster, Does that Mean the Vaccine isn't Working?

Answer: No. COVID-19 vaccines continue to be very effective at preventing severe illness, hospitalization and death, including against the delta variant. But studies are showing that protection against mild and moderate illness may decrease over time, especially among certain higher risk

groups. Getting a booster dose 6 months after completing the first two doses will provide an increased immune response and better protection against COVID-19.

# Am I Still Considered Fully Vaccinated If I Do Not Get a Booster?

Answer: Yes. People are still considered fully vaccinated two weeks after their second dose in a two-dose series (Pfizer or Moderna) or two weeks after a single-dose vaccine (Johnson & Johnson).

# What About People Who got Moderna or Johnson & Johnson Vaccines?

Answer: The current booster dose recommendations apply only to those who received the Pfizer vaccine. Federal health officials will review data on the Moderna and Johnson & Johnson vaccines in the coming weeks and may issue booster dose recommendations for those vaccines in the future.

More information about the CDC recommendations for Pfizer booster doses is available here: https://www.cdc.gov/.../2019-ncov/vaccines/booster-shot

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