

## August 23 COVID Case Data Update

As we begin the second week of classes, we would like to share the following reminders and updates regarding COVID:

### **COVID Testing and Cases on Campus**

For the week of August 15 – 21:

- 58 COVID tests were done at Cosiano
- 5 new positive cases were identified (there were 4 positive cases the previous week)
- 26 people received the first dose of the Moderna COVID vaccine at the on campus clinics

***Please remember that if you test positive for COVID, you need to inform the Cosiano Health Center (419-434-4550) so contact tracing can be initiated.***

### **Face Coverings**

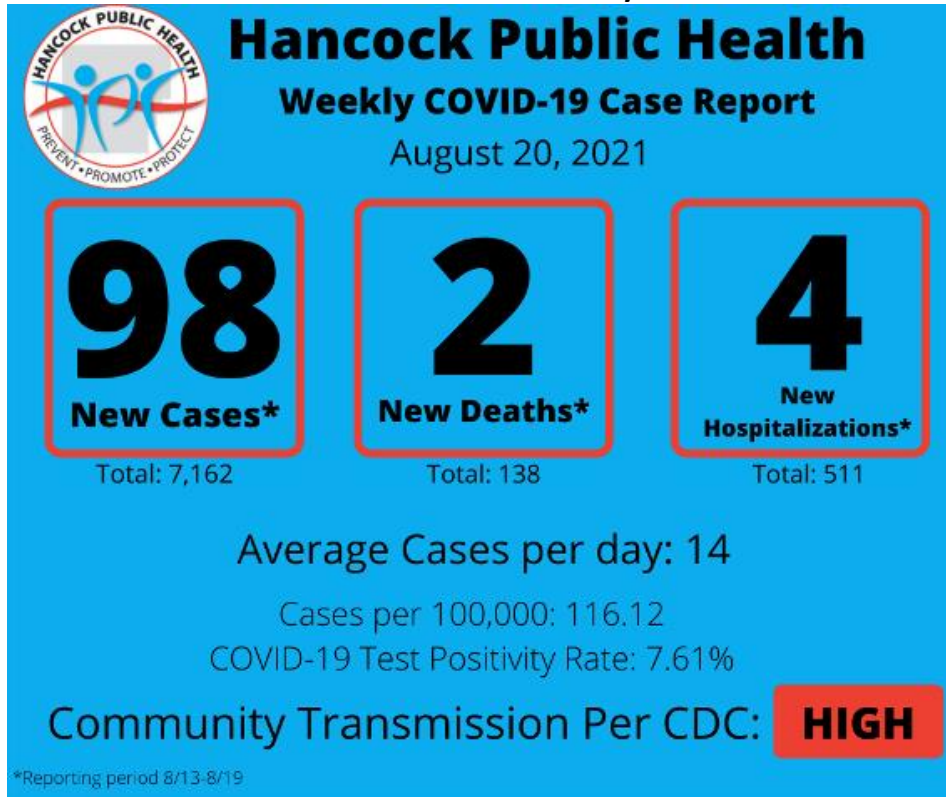
Anyone (including but not limited to all students, employees, contractors, vendors, suppliers and visitors) entering any campus building, including office buildings, academic buildings, recreational facilities, and housing facilities, must wear an appropriate face covering.

- The face covering must be worn in all classrooms, hallways, public spaces, and common areas, as well as shared office spaces.

The only times face coverings are not required to be worn are as follows:

- When outside.
- By employees working alone in their offices.
- By resident students in their own on campus housing area (visitors to housing areas must wear face coverings).
- When participating in activities in which a face covering cannot be worn or would prohibit respiratory function (while in the act of eating, drinking, playing a musical instrument or singing, exercising, playing sports).
- By individuals with a federally recognized disability and/or an accommodation that prevents them from wearing a face covering. Exceptions from the state government or other federal guidelines may also apply. Those that need accommodations should contact [Human Resources](#) (employees) or the [Office of Accommodation and Inclusion](#) (students).

Current COVID Information for Hancock County



Given that Hancock County now has a classification of “HIGH” for community transmission, we would advise the use of face coverings indoors whenever you are out in the community.

We will continue to share updates as needed, and appreciate your cooperation. Thank you for your help in keeping Oiler Nation healthy.

Regards,

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