August 24, 2020

4:00 p.m. Update Pueblo, CO #PuebloCOVID19

Community Free COVID-19 Testing Site Temporarily Relocated During 2020 State Fair

Pueblo County’s free COVID-19 drive-thru testing relocated just outside the Colorado State Fairgrounds. The site will operate in the parking lot at Arroyo and Acero avenues through September 9 while the 2020 Reimagined Colorado State Fair is in session. The testing site will continue to operate on Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday from 9 a.m. to 2 p.m. There is no limit to the number of people who can be tested per day.

Currently, the following individuals can be tested for COVID-19 at Pueblo’s COVID-19 Drive-Thru Testing:

- Any individual who is symptomatic. Symptoms are new loss of taste or smell, headache, sore throat, cough, fever or chills, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, fatigue, muscle or body aches, congestion or runny nose, nausea or vomiting and diarrhea. This list does not include all possible symptoms. Visit cdc.gov for the list of symptoms as it continues to be updated with more information learned about COVID-19.
- Anyone over the age of 65 (symptomatic or asymptomatic)
- African American, Latino, American Indian Tribes (symptomatic or asymptomatic)
- Anyone who had contact with a person who has tested positive for COVID-19
- Health care workers and first responders (symptomatic or asymptomatic)
- Individuals five years and older and those with access and functional needs, including adults, may be tested by a caregiver or another adult
- Attended a large gathering or protest

Enter the testing site from Arroyo Avenue. Testing is drive-thru only and individuals must be inside an enclosed vehicle for safety. No walk-ups or motorcycles are allowed through the testing site. The site is open to neighboring counties. No physician order is required, and all testing is free.

Governor Polis Extends, Amends Executive Order on On-Premise Consumption of Alcohol

Governor Jared Polis extended and amended the executive order prohibiting the alcohol sales for on-premises consumption. The current order, which is set to expired August 21, prohibited
the sale of alcohol on premises after 10 p.m. The extended order, which went into effect August 22, allows for the sale of on-premises consumption to end at 11 p.m. The amended order will expire September 20. To read the order, click here.

Outbreak Updates
Public Health officials from the Pueblo Department of Public Health and Environment announced a new COVID-19 outbreak in Pueblo County. The Landings at Eagleridge Construction Site reported an outbreak.

The Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment deems an outbreak as two or more confirmed COVID-19 cases in a facility or (non-household) group with onset in a 14-day period.

CDPHE deems an outbreak resolved after 28 days have passed with no new illness reported. Pueblo County has had 16 reported outbreaks with eight resolved. CDPHE’s report of outbreaks at facilities statewide is updated weekly on Wednesdays at covid19.colorado.gov/data.

Pueblo’s COVID-19 Case Updates
Public health officials from the Pueblo Department of Public Health and Environment announced 11 new positive COVID-19 cases in Pueblo County since Friday, August 21. The positives cases are a 16-year-old female, 34-year-old female, 40-year-old female, 73-year-old female, 37-year-old male, 39-year-old male, 43-year-old male, 49-year-old male, 53-year-old male, 72-year male, 82-year-old male. Pueblo County has a total of 810 confirmed positive and probable* cases among Pueblo County residents. The total number of people testing, 15,007 is not reflective of everyone testing negative in Pueblo County.

Confirmed and probable cases have been combined to align with state and national data. However, the COVID-19 Status Update chart will continue to show probable cases.

As cases continue to be investigated, the data in this update is subject to change.

*A probable case meets the clinical criteria and epidemiological evidence, yet it has not been laboratory confirmed with a test. The Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment is now reporting probable cases across the state.
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Confirmed and Probable COVID-19 Case in Pueblo by Age Group
Age     Cases
Group
0-9     20  
10-19   71  
20-29   154 
30-39   121 
40-49   140 
50-59   111 
60-69   80  
70-79   50  
80+     62  

Confirmed and Probable Cases in Pueblo by Sex
Female   444 
Male     350 
Unavailable 16
Pueblo County’s COVID-19 Death by Age Group

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Help Protect Pueblo from COVID-19

To protect the Pueblo community and the most vulnerable, everybody has a responsibility to:

- Follow the Governor’s Safer at Home and in the Vast, Great Outdoors order.
- Follow the Governor’s mask order.
- Minimize social activities and being physically close to other people.
- Isolate yourself if you feel symptoms of COVID-19. Symptoms are new loss of taste or smell, headache, sore throat, cough, fever or chills, shortness of breath or difficulty breathing, fatigue, muscle or body aches, congestion or runny nose, nausea or vomiting and diarrhea. This list does not include all possible symptoms. Visit cdc.gov for the list of symptoms as it continues to be updated with more information learned about COVID-19.
- Seek preventative and routine care through your primary care provider and use the emergency room when medically necessary.
- Wash your hands with soap regularly.
- Cough or sneeze into elbow or tissue.
- Stay home when you’re sick.
- Avoid touching eyes, nose and mouth.
- Avoid close contact with sick people.
- Clean surfaces frequently touched.

Pueblo Department of Public Health and Environment encourages residents and media to seek out credible, reliable sources of information on COVID-19:
All public and media inquiries in Pueblo are answered through the local hotline at Pueblo’s Joint Information Center. Pueblo COVID-19 Hotline is providing resources and answering questions 9AM – 4PM, Monday – Friday (closed for government holidays) 719-583-4444.

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Temporary Relocation During Fair

During the Colorado State Fair relocation to the corner of Arroyo and Acero Avenues
August 24 - September 9

COVID-19 DRIVE-THRU TESTING

COLORADO STATE FAIRGROUNDS
MONDAY TO WEDNESDAY 9 AM - 2 PM

- Vehicle - only people being tested in the car, must have functioning windows
- No motorcycles
- Photo ID

To help the process go faster please write your name, phone number, and address on a piece of paper or in your phone's notes.

Pueblo Department of Public Health & Environment
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