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Rise slows on number of new area COVID-19 positives

The number of novel coronavirus cases continues to increase but at a much slower pace than in recent weeks.

After some daily increases of 40 to almost 80 positive tests at the county level, and leaps of positives for the 60942 zip code, Public Health Administrator Doug Toole announced 11 new cases Sunday and 21 Monday at the county level.

Meanwhile, Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH) information Tuesday morning showed an additional six positive tests in 60942, to 107.

That is the cumulative number of positive test results for Hoopeston and Cheneyville. The number of

current active cases in the zip code is not provided by IDPH.

Vermilion County currently has 177 active cases. Of those, 163 are on home isolation and 14 are hospitalized. There have been 1,507 total confirmed cases, with 1,318 released/recovered and 12 deaths.

Total negative tests number 36,296.

Although the county's average positive rate is 7.7 - down from 8.3 - it is on the state's warning list for numbers the week of October 11-17.

That week, the county had 337 new cases per 100,000 residents, far above the state maximum of 50

See POSITIVES on other side

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Positives continued from other side

per 100,000. The 9.5 positive rate that week was 9.5, above Gov. JB Pritzker's maximum of eight percent.

Vermilion County was also in warning territory for adult emergency department visits, at 5.2 percent hospital admissions for patients with Covid-like symptoms, at 22 for the week.

The target in both categories is decreasing or stable numbers for the week.

Fire Calls

Hoopeston Fire Department was called at 6:06 a.m. Monday for a reported structure fire in the 500 block of South Fifth St. The fire was located outside on the corner of the back of the house.

Minimal damage was done to the house and no injuries were reported.

Weather

Mostly sunny today. High 55. Tonight, cloudy, rain likely. Low 40. Tomorrow rain likely. High 50, low 33..

For real time Hoopeston weather, visit justthefacts.net/weather/.

Despite the increases, Vermilion County's ICU bed availability of 46.1 percent is above the state standard of 20 percent.

In the surrounding area, some communities have seen increases in the Chinese virus, while others remain stable.

Those with no changes include Alvin, 8; Bismarck, 19; Rankin, 14; Rossville, 20; and Wellington, nine.

Potomac has had five additional positive tests since last week and is now at 31. In Iroquois County, Cissna Park's total went up three, to 29. Milford's

total was at 23 last week and was at 27 Tuesday. Watseka's total Tuesday was 70, up one from last week.

The percentage of men and women who have tested positive remains the same at 48 and 52, respectively. By age range, positive testing numbers are:

0-9	10-19	20s	30s	40s	50s	60s	70s	80+
119	173	230	203	182	210	178	150	62

Classifieds

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