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HUMBOLDT COUNTY REPORTS 154 NEW COVID-19 CASES

WINNEMUCCA, Nev. — Humboldt County has been notified of 154 more positive cases of COVID-19, from Friday, October 22, through Wednesday, October 27, raising the overall cumulative total to 2411.

In all, the county has 2160 recovered and 217 active cases. One local person was hospitalized and released during the week; nine other COVID-19 patients remain hospitalized. In all, 34 county residents have died, including two this past week.

Humboldt County Health Officer Charles Stringham, MD, continues to recommend that unvaccinated and vaccinated individuals wear masks while indoors or while in crowded outdoor settings. He also continues to recommend that all eligible residents get fully vaccinated with the two-dose Moderna or Pfizer vaccines.

In other news:

- So far this month (through October 27), the county has confirmed 456 new cases of the virus.
- Of October's 456 cases, 35—or about 7%—were fully vaccinated; four were partially vaccinated; and 92% were unvaccinated. Of September's 531 cases, 45—or 8%—were fully vaccinated; three were partially vaccinated; and 92% were unvaccinated.
- Humboldt County has had five breakthrough infections, meaning a fully vaccinated person who was hospitalized. All five persons have since been released. Per the information provided by the State of Nevada, Humboldt County has not had any vaccinated deaths.
- Humboldt County remains a high risk transmission area according to the Centers for Disease Control [county tracker](#). Humboldt County's average number of tests is **245** (273 on October 21); case rate is **1083** (1124 on October 21); and test positivity rate is **17.8%** (14.9% on October 21).
- Currently, 41% of Humboldt County's population has initiated vaccination and 37% has completed vaccination. In all, 50% of the population over age 12 has initiated vaccination.
- Booster doses of the COVID-19 vaccine are now available for the Moderna, Pfizer and Johnson & Johnson vaccines. Recipients of the Moderna or Pfizer vaccines may receive a booster shot six months after completing their primary vaccination series, and recipients of the Johnson & Johnson vaccine may receive a booster shot two months after receiving their first dose. Recipients may receive either the same or a different COVID-19 vaccine, depending on advice from a healthcare provider, individual preference, availability or convenience. Qualifying recipients of the Modern or Pfizer boosters include people who are 65 and older, adults age 18

and older who are immunocompromised or who have certain underlying health conditions, and adults age 18 and older who are at higher risk due to their occupational or institutional setting. All individuals 18 years of age or older who received a Johnson & Johnson vaccine should receive a booster dose two months after their first shot.

Brief summary information of Humboldt County’s latest cases follows:

Case #	Gender	Age Range	Contact	Status
2258	Man	40s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2259	Man	50s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2260	Woman	50s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2261	Woman	60s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2262	Woman	30s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2263	Woman	60s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2264	Man	60s	Under investigation	Deceased
2265	Woman	20s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2266	Man	20s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2267	Man	60s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2268	Woman	40s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2269	Male	Child	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2270	Man	30s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2271	Female	Teen	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2272	Man	50s	Under investigation	Recovered
2273	Woman	40s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2274	Female	Teen	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2275	Female	Teen	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2276	Woman	40s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2277	Woman	30s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2278	Man	50s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2279	Woman	20s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2280	Female	Child	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2281	Man	50s	Under investigation	Recovered
2282	Woman	50s	Under investigation	Recovered
2283	Woman	60s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2284	Man	20s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2285	Male	Teen	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2286	Woman	50s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2287	Woman	70s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2288	Man	60s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2289	Man	50s	Under investigation	Recovered
2290	Male	Child	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2291	Woman	50s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2292	Man	20s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2293	Man	20s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2294	Man	30s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2295	Woman	20s	Under investigation	Self-isolating

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2296	Man	60s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2297	Woman	60s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2298	Woman	40s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2299	Man	20s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2300	Woman	30s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2301	Man	60s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2302	Woman	30s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2303	Man	40s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2304	Woman	60s	Under investigation	Hospitalized
2305	Man	30s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2306	Man	70s	Under investigation	Hospitalized
2307	Woman	60s	Under investigation	Hospitalized
2308	Man	60s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2309	Female	Teen	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2310	Male	Child	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2311	Woman	40s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2312	Man	40s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2313	Woman	50s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2314	Woman	50s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2315	Man	30s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2316	Woman	30s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2317	Female	Teen	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2318	Woman	30s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2319	Female	Teen	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2320	Male	Teen	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2321	Man	30s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2322	Man	60s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2323	Man	50s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2324	Woman	30s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2325	Woman	30s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2326	Man	30s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2327	Man	40s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2328	Woman	50s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2329	Man	50s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2330	Male	Child	Under investigation	Recovered
2331	Man	40s	Under investigation	Hospitalized
2332	Woman	20s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2333	Man	60s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2334	Man	20s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2335	Woman	60s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2336	Woman	20s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2337	Woman	20s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
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2345	Woman	40s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2346	Man	30s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2347	Female	Child	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2348	Woman	20s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2349	Man	40s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2350	Male	Child	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2351	Male	Teen	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2352	Female	Child	Under investigation	Self-isolating
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2404	Woman	60s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2405	Male	Child	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2406	Man	60s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2407	Male	Child	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2408	Man	40s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2409	Male	Teen	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2410	Male	Child	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2411	Male	Child	Under investigation	Self-isolating

The following vaccination opportunities are available to Humboldt County residents:

- **Ridley's Pharmacy** is offering the Moderna, Pfizer and Johnson & Johnson vaccines to Humboldt County residents age 18 and older. No appointment is necessary; drop by anytime between 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. Monday through Friday, not including holidays.
- **The Walmart Pharmacy** in Winnemucca is offering COVID-19 vaccines to all individuals age 12 and older, including booster and third doses for qualifying individuals. Vaccine type depends on age and availability. No appointment is necessary; go to the pharmacy drop-off window to ask for assistance.
- **The Community Health Nurse** is offering vaccination appointments to all individuals age 12 and older. Moderna and Pfizer third doses are available for immunocompromised persons; additionally, the Pfizer third dose is available for law enforcement, medical and first responder personnel. Moderna, Pfizer and J&J boosters are also available to qualifying persons. Please call (775) 623-6575 to schedule.

Local COVID-19 information is available in Spanish [@CovidEspanol](#). Humboldt County COVID-19 updates and information are available in English at [@HumboldtCountyNV](#), at www.hcnv.us and at [The Humboldt County Report](#).

Humboldt County has established a COVID-19 vaccine recorded information line in both English and Spanish. Call (775) 375-3221 to hear the latest about vaccine allocations, local distribution opportunities and changes as they occur. The line is updated with new information every Friday (not including holidays), or as needed. Information is also available by emailing vaccine@humboldtcountynv.gov.

Humboldt County has a supply of personal protective equipment, including facial masks and hand sanitizer, available to local businesses. To request supplies, businesses should call the Humboldt County Comptroller's office at (775) 623-6467.

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