



December 11, 2020

**COVID-19 Status Report
Oak Park Village Board of Trustees**

To: Village President and Village Board of Trustees

Fr: Cara Pavlicek, Village Manager

The memo is a means to share a brief summary of information regarding Village of Oak Park operational activities in response to COVID-19. In most cases, formal public guidance or employee guidance has been publicly disseminated via the Village website or Village social media channels.

New Public Health Guidance

Today, the Village of Oak Park Department of Public Health received notification of the following new COVID-19 cases:

<u>Date</u>	<u># of Cases</u>	<u>Age of Cases</u>
December 10 th (Thursday)	22	<20 to 70s
December 11 th (Friday)	27	<20 to 80s

Excluding individuals for which street addresses are not yet determined, the State of Illinois reports a total of one thousand eight hundred and sixty-one (1861) Oak Park COVID-19 cases. It is important to note that as patient tracking and case follow-up occurs, individuals listing the number of Oak Park cases reported may change depending on residency confirmation.

Also, Interim Oak Park Public Health Director Joseph Terry reported today the forty-fourth death of an Oak Park resident believed to be related to the COVID-19 coronavirus. The fatality is a 96-year-old female residing at one of our long-term healthcare facilities who had tested positive for COVID-19 on November 6, 2020. Director Terry expresses his sincere condolences to the residents' friends and families for the loss of their loved one.

The Oak Park Department of Public Health is notified of positive tests as established by state and local public health protocol. Because of privacy laws, no additional information can be released about the individuals. It is noted, that privacy precludes location information regarding individuals tested to anyone other than Public Health Officials and First Responders.

The Oak Park Department of Public Health is working closely with officials from the Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH), investigating and notifying anyone who may have had exposure to the individual who tested positive for COVID-19. Local public health officials, hospitals and first responders are following protocols consistent with the latest guidance from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC).

Cases related to Long-Term Care and Assisted Living Facilities

Interim Public Health Director Terry reports one new COVID-19 positive resident and two new COVID-19 positive staff members at Belmont Village, 1035 Madison Street. The chart below has been updated.

Facility Name	# of Resident Cases	# of Resident Deaths	# of Staff Cases
Belmont Village of Oak Park	14	5	24
Berkeley Nursing & Rehab Center	47	11	15
Brookdale Oak Park	10	2	19
Oak Park Arms	6	1	4
Oasis of Oak Park	23	12	12

Village Employees Test Positive

The Village reports multiple new staff cases this week. On Thursday, December 10, 2020 one (1) Village employee received a positive diagnosis of COVID-19 who is a sworn employee in the Police Department. On Friday December 11, 2020, two (2) employees received a positive diagnosis of COVID-19. One is a sworn employee in the Fire Department and one employee is a sworn employee in the Police Department. With the addition of these three new employee positive cases, since the start of the pandemic, a total of 31 Village employees have tested positive for COVID-19. We continue to follow closely protocols for contact tracing in the workforce and notify all employees any others who have had direct close contact with these individuals in the course of their work, are notified and placed in quarantine status. Because of privacy laws, no additional information can be released. A careful analysis of these new cases indicates that growth in current staff cases mirrors that of the general population excepting that Village employees have a lower positivity rate than the community.

Public Health Data

Interim Public Health Director Terry has shared the following data related to COVID-19.

“New cases per 100,000 People”. This metric looks at the number of recent COVID-19 cases per 100,000 people to describe the potential number of people who are currently ill and may be infectious. This is the number of new cases reported by IDPH in the previous week. Calculated as a rate = [Village of Oak Park case count for 7 days] / [Village population] x100,000.

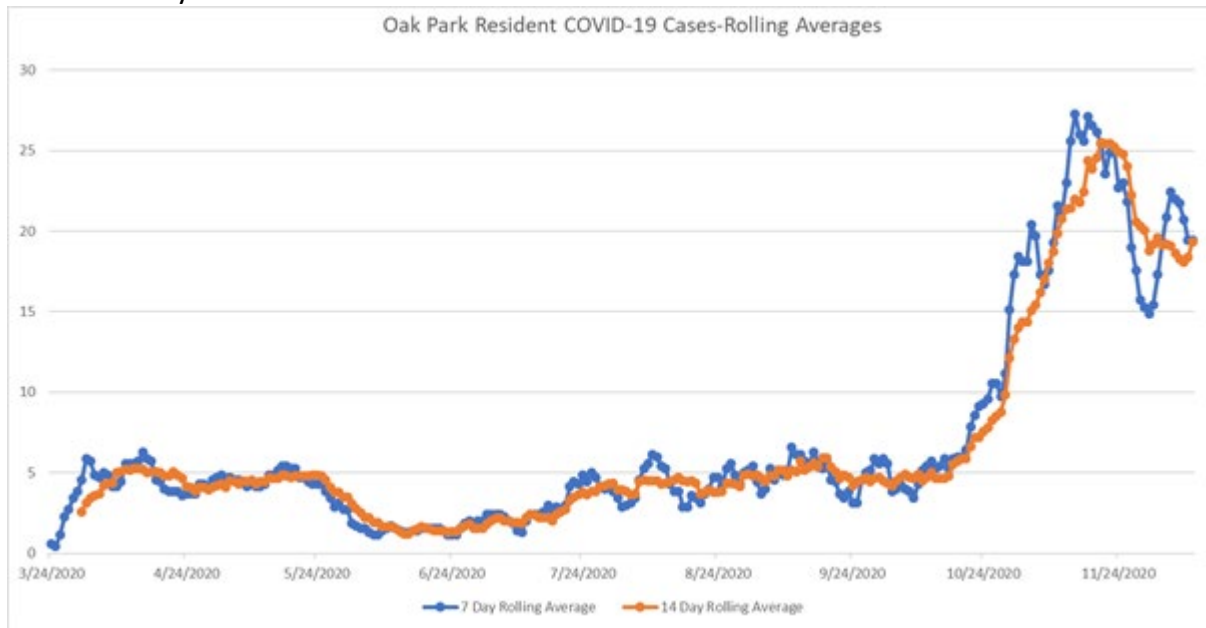
- Oak Park rate: 261/100,000
- Cook County rate: 469/100,000 (11/22/2020 Through 11/28/2020)
- Target for County-level data: Cases for the week are fewer than 10 or the rate is fewer than 50 cases per 100,000 people
- Warning for County-level data: New case rate is greater than 50 cases per 100,000 people

AGE RANGE DATA – OAK PARK

Age Range	Total	% of Cases
0-4	41	2.2%
4-13	79	4.2%
14-19	174	9.3%
20-29	329	17.7%
30-39	292	15.7%
40-49	283	15.2%
50-59	263	14.1%
60-69	201	10.8%
70-79	123	6.6%
80-89	49	2.6%
90-99	27	1.5%
Total	1861	

7 & 14 DAY ROLLING AVERAGES (CASES/DAY) – OAK PARK

- 7 day: 19
- 14 day: 19



7 & 14 DAY ROLLING AVERAGES (CASES/DAY) – STATE OF ILLINOIS

- 7 day: 8,980
- 14 day: 9,135

