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RACINE COUNTY COVID-19 UPDATE **June 9, 2020**

Confirmed coronavirus cases

United States: 1,968,867

Wisconsin: 21,308

Central Racine County Health Department: 593 confirmed, 130 probable, 8,569 negative, 31 deaths

City of Racine Health Department: 1,361 confirmed, 173 probable, 7,965 negative, 20 deaths

Racine County total: 1,954 confirmed, 303 probable, 16,534 negative, 51 deaths

Positive test percentage: 10.5%

Central Racine County and City of Racine Health Departments

Dr. Robert Redfield, Director of the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, recommends that individuals who have participated in mass gatherings such as protests or demonstrations get tested for COVID-19. This is especially true in areas that still have significant community spread. These gatherings have high potential to spread the virus because of large crowds gathering together, shouting, and marching shoulder-to-shoulder. He advised that participants should get tested 5-7 days after participation to make sure they are not infected. Anyone showing symptoms is encouraged to seek testing immediately and is requested to stay home from work and other activities until they are well.

Resources

For Racine County updates on the COVID-19 outbreak, please visit

www.racinecounty.com/coronavirus. The City of Racine coronavirus webpage can be found at www.racinecoronavirus.org. The Central Racine County Health Department's COVID-19 page is www.crchd.com/covid-19.

For national information on COVID-19, please go to the Centers for Disease Control's website:

www.cdc.gov/coronavirus.

You can also find current information on the Wisconsin Department of Health Services website, which has guidance that is updated regularly for travel, self-quarantine, and school districts, among other important information: <https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/disease/covid-19.htm>.

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