



INCIDENT BRIEFING	1. Incident Name	2. Date Prepared	3. Time Prepared
	Portage County COVID-19 2020	06/26/2020	1800

Current Cases of COVID-19

Cases	Confirmed	Negative	Fatal	Recovered
Portage	117 (+10)	5047 (+59)	0	69 (59%)
Wisconsin	26,747 (+520)	507,168 (+8,607)	766 (+0)	21,174 (79%)
United States	2,507,691 (+55,415)		126,792 (+2,659)	770,297 (+10,797)
Global	9,641,472 (+146,901)		489,990 (+5,835)	4,865,562 (+82,652)

Portage County: Total individuals investigated to date: 5,283 (includes 117 positive cases, 8 probable cases, 5,047 negative tests, and 111 suspect cases).

Data from: [CDC](#) · [WHO](#) · [ECDC](#) for 06/26/2020

Total hospitalizations of positive cases in Wisconsin at 13% with 3,351 (+25) hospitalizations.
7 total hospitalizations for Portage County.

- Active cases: 4,803 (18%)
- Percent of confirmed cases by race: American Indian (1%), Asian or Pacific Islander (4%), Black (18%), White (55%), Multiple or other races (12%), Unknown (11%)
- Percent of confirmed cases by ethnicity: Hispanic or Latino (32%), Not Hispanic or Latino (57%), Unknown (11%)
- Emergency Department visits:
 - ~Influenza like illness: 30 visits on 6/24, compared to previous 3-day average of 40
 - ~COVID-19 like illness: 130 visits on 6/24, compared to previous 3-day average of 131
- Total hospital bed utilization: 78%

*Starting 6/9/2020, Portage County data is reported through PHAVR

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6. Summary of Current Actions

June 26, 2020 @ 18:00 PM

Public Health DOC/ICS Operation day 100

07:15 WALHDAB Executive Committee Call: SME assignments/Prep for DHS Meeting

08:30 PH ICS daily briefing

10:00 PC Virtual EOC Friday Briefing

11:00 PC PIO Team Meeting

13:18 COVID-19 Daily Update for Local and Tribal Health Departments

Notices: **WEDSS and Courtesy Notification:** As cases increase, this is a friendly reminder to call or email a jurisdiction if you are referring a case to them in WEDSS. A message with the case # should suffice to ensure the receiving health department is able to promptly respond without it getting buried under other incoming results. *(Next week, the open forum will include a poll about creating a document with health department contact and preference information for notification of case referrals in WEDSS.)*

What is New:

- [DHS Releases Recommendations](#) for Safer Visits in Assisted Living Facilities
- [Additional Webinar Scheduled](#) to Learn More about Safe Conservation of the Limited Supply Respirators and Changes to Wisconsin's N95 Decontamination System, Wednesday, July 1 at 9 AM
- DHS SharePoint is undergoing maintenance beginning 11:30 PM on Friday, June 26 and finishing at 5:00 AM on Saturday, June 27. DHS SharePoint sites may be unavailable during this time.
- Beginning Saturday, June 27, DHS staff will not be monitoring the DHSLTHDResponse@wi.gov email inbox on weekends. The new monitoring schedule will be Monday through Friday, 8:00 AM - 5:00 PM. Emails received "after hours" will be responded to the subsequent weekday.

14:00 DHS HO Forum Call

- Discussion of testing. State Testing Framework will be shared on Monday, June 29, 2020.
- August 7 ends WING Testing.
- Pilot testing reimbursement until end of October 2020. \$35 per specimen to replace WING testing (more than medicare).
- Linking testing coordinators with HERC's -potentially
- Discussion of teens and twenty something groups – national trend
- Concerns for the startup of schools and universities

Clean up of WING testing data from 06/10-11/2020. @ 45 testing results not in WEDSS. Seen in the EPIC system and not in WEDSS.

Safety message: UW model projects 33,000 fewer deaths in US if 95% of people wear masks in public. <https://www.kiro7.com/news/local/uw-model-projects-33000-fewer-deaths-us-if-95-people-wear-masks-public/JNV56KZNPRBBNMV4GGBP7LUEBM/>



WI Badger Bounce Back Plan Gating Criteria for 06/26/2020 (Reported by DHS)		
Indicator	Metric	Status
Symptoms	Downward trajectory of influenza-like illnesses (ILI) reported within a 14-day period.	
Symptoms	Downward trajectory of COVID-like syndromic cases reported with a 14-day period.	
Cases	Downward trajectory of positive tests as a percent of total tests within a 14-day period.	
Hospitals	95% of hospitals affirm that they can treat all patients without crisis care.	
Hospitals	95% of all hospitals affirm that they have arranged for testing for all symptomatic clinical staff treating patients at the hospital per CDC guidelines.	
Health care	Downward trend of COVID-19 cases among health care workers calculated weekly.	

 green indicator = gating criteria met (statistically significant downward trend)

 red indicator = gating criteria not met

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Glossary of Acronyms:

ADRC – Aging and Disability Center
CDC – Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
COVID-19 (C-19) – Coronavirus Disease
DATCP – Department of Agriculture, Trade, and Consumer Protection
DHS – Wisconsin Department of Health Services
DPI – Department of Public Instruction
EOC – Emergency Operation Center
EM – Emergency Management
EO – Emergency Order
HO – Health Officer
IC - Incident Commander
ICS - Incident Command System
LHD – local health department
LTC/SNF – Long Term Care/Skilled Nursing Facility
PC – Portage County
PH – public health
PHAVR – Public Health Analysis, Visualization and Reporting
PIO – Public Information Officer
OPS – Operations Section
SHOW – Survey on the Health of Wisconsin
SME – Subject Matter Experts
SPAPSD _ Stevens Point Area Public School District
WALDAB – Wisconsin Association of Local Health Departments and Boards
WEAVR – Wisconsin Emergency Assistance Volunteer Registry
WEDC – Wisconsin Economic Development Corporation
WEM- Wisconsin Emergency Management
WEDSS – Wisconsin Electronic Disease Surveillance System
WING – Wisconsin National Guard Testing

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