



**PRESS RELEASE**

**September 25, 2020**

## **PORTAGE COUNTY DAILY PRESS RELEASE UPDATE**

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

As of March 26, Portage County will provide daily press releases with information and updates Monday through Friday. These will cover its ongoing response to COVID-19 as well as information from various departments that will help to inform the public. To be clear, these are not the only releases that the county will issue, but we felt it necessary to provide regular updates to the media and to your viewers and readers. As always, please reach out to us with any questions you may have and thank you for all that you do to keep our communities and our region informed.

1. **Update:** PCHHS-DPH/DOC: C-19 Situation Reports  
Please note that these reports are posted the morning after they are released to ensure numbers are reflected accurately. Weekend reports will be included in the following Monday's press release.
2. **Update:** PCHHS-DPH: A Message from Portage County Department of Public Health.

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### **1. PCHHS-DPH/DOC: C-19 Situation Reports:**

9/24/2020- <https://www.co.portage.wi.us/home/showdocument?id=32055>

### **2. PCHHS-DPH/DOC: A Message from Portage County Department of Public Health:**

We continue to receive questions about the hospitalization metrics that are reported on our Facebook page, dashboard, and situation reports. Here is a clip from the Portage County COVID-19 Monthly FAQ video, where Gary Garske, Health Officer and Division of Public Health Manager at Portage County Health and Human Services, answers this question:

<https://www.facebook.com/watch/?v=1199886080381229&extid=NMudELUpjWRL3RK>

The link to the full video can be found on the Portage County [COVID-19 dashboard](#) under the 'Portage County Guidance' tab.

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