

## St. Joseph County Department of Health

"Promoting physical and mental health and facilitating the prevention of disease, injury and disability for all St. Joseph County residents"

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## **COVID-19 Cases Update**

St. Joseph County- As of today, the county's total number of confirmed cases is at 2,521. We are confirming three new deaths bringing the County's total deaths to 86 (82 deaths have been St. Joseph County residents). St. Joseph County is reporting 563 active cases and is averaging 44.6 cases per day over the last seven days.

Beginning today, all complaints for violations of the Public Health order 2-2020 will need to be submitted online at <a href="www.sjcindiana.com/health">www.sjcindiana.com/health</a>. No complaints will be taken over the phone or through email. Utilizing an online process for complaints will allow us to ensure violations are handled in an efficient manner.

St. Joseph County Department of Health and South Bend Clinic have partnered to operate two additional testing sites in St. Joseph County. The two sites are available Monday-Friday, 8:00 am – 4:00 pm and are located at:

- St. Adalbert's Catholic Church, 501 S. Olive St., South Bend, IN 46619
- WUBS, 702 Lincolnway W., South Bend, IN 46616

To schedule a time for testing, please call 574-307-6870 (English) or 574-334-9559 (Spanish) to set up an appointment time.

For all COVID-19 testing sites in St. Joseph County, you can view an interactive map at <a href="https://www.coronavirus.in.gov/2524.htm">https://www.coronavirus.in.gov/2524.htm</a>. Please be aware each site may have different criteria for testing.

The St. Joseph County Department of Health urges the continuation of the following actions:

- Practice extreme physical distancing.
  - o Maintain at least 6ft between individuals.
  - Wearing a mask does NOT eliminate the need for physical distancing.
- Practice frequent and proper hand hygiene & cough etiquette.
  - Wash hands often, for at least 20 seconds, with soap & water; coughing and sneezing into your sleeve.
- Stay home if ill.
- Abide by the current Public Health Order, requiring face coverings when going into an <u>enclosed</u> public space or business <u>and</u> when 6 feet of physical distance cannot be maintained within the enclosed public space or business.

For more information on COVID-19, visit the Indiana State Department of Health at <a href="www.in.gov/isdh">www.in.gov/isdh</a> and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention at <a href="www.cdc.gov">www.cdc.gov</a>. For general questions as it relates to COVID-19 infection, please call 2-1-1.

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