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HUMBOLDT COUNTY REPORTS 31 NEW COVID-19 CASES

WINNEMUCCA, Nev. — Humboldt County has been notified of 31 more positive cases of COVID-19, from Thursday, November 4, through Wednesday, November 10, raising the overall cumulative total to 2531.

In all, the county has 2402 recovered and 91 active cases. Four hospitalized people were released during the week; four other COVID-19 patients remain hospitalized. In all, 38 county residents have died, including two reported this past week.

Humboldt County Health Officer Charles Stringham, MD, continues to recommend that unvaccinated and vaccinated individuals wear masks while indoors or while in crowded outdoor settings. He also continues to recommend that all eligible residents get fully vaccinated with the two-dose Moderna or Pfizer vaccines.

In other news:

- As of November 10, the county has confirmed 71 COVID-19 cases.
- Of November's 71 cases, nine—or about 13%—were fully vaccinated; none were partially vaccinated; and 87% were unvaccinated.
- Humboldt County has had five breakthrough infections, meaning a fully vaccinated person who was hospitalized. All five persons have since been released. Per the information provided by the State of Nevada, Humboldt County has not had any vaccinated deaths.
- Humboldt County remains a high risk transmission area according to the Centers for Disease Control [county tracker](#). Humboldt County's average number of tests is **184** (229 on November 4); case rate is **752** (1053 on November 4); and test positivity rate is **14.0%** (17.0% on November 4).
- Currently, 42% of Humboldt County's population has initiated vaccination and 37% has completed vaccination. In all, 51% of the population over age 12 has initiated vaccination.
- Pfizer vaccines for 5- to 11-year-old children have been approved and will soon be available in Humboldt County. We will share more details as they become available.
- Booster doses of the COVID-19 vaccine are now available for the Moderna, Pfizer and Johnson & Johnson vaccines. Qualifying recipients of the Moderna or Pfizer boosters include people who are 65 and older, adults age 18 and older who are immunocompromised or who have certain underlying health conditions, and adults age 18 and older who are at higher risk due to their

occupational or institutional setting. All individuals 18 years of age or older who received a Johnson & Johnson vaccine should receive a booster dose two months after their first shot.

- Immunize Nevada will host a vaccination clinic at the Pleasant Senior Center from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday, November 15. Moderna, Pfizer and Johnson and Johnson boosters will be offered to qualifying individuals; initial vaccinations will also be available. There is no charge and no appointment is needed.

Brief summary information of Humboldt County’s latest cases follows:

Case #	Gender	Age Range	Contact	Status
2501	Woman	60s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2502	Woman	40s	Under investigation	Deceased
2503	Man	30s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2504	Woman	40s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2505	Man	60s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2506	Woman	40s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2507	Man	20s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2508	Man	50s	Under investigation	Hospitalized
2509	Woman	50s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2510	Man	30s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2511	Man	50s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2512	Female	50s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2513	Woman	20s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2514	Woman	50s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2515	Woman	40s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2516	Woman	40s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2517	Woman	20s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2518	Woman	50s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2519	Woman	20s	Under investigation	Recovered
2520	Man	70s	Under investigation	Recovered
2521	Male	Teen	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2522	Male	Teen	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2523	Woman	20s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2524	Man	30s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2525	Woman	30s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2526	Man	60s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2527	Man	40s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2528	Woman	20s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2529	Woman	90s	Under investigation	Deceased
2530	Man	30s	Under investigation	Self-isolating
2531	Woman	60s	Under investigation	Self-isolating

The following vaccination opportunities are available to Humboldt County residents:

- **Ridley's Pharmacy** is offering the Moderna, Pfizer and Johnson & Johnson vaccines to Humboldt County residents age 18 and older. No appointment is necessary; drop by anytime between 9 a.m. and 6 p.m. Monday through Friday, not including holidays.
- **The Walmart Pharmacy** in Winnemucca is offering COVID-19 vaccines to all individuals age 12 and older, including booster and third doses for qualifying individuals. Vaccine type depends on age and availability. No appointment is necessary; go to the pharmacy drop-off window to ask for assistance.
- **The Community Health Nurse** is offering vaccination appointments to all individuals age 12 and older. Moderna and Pfizer third doses are available for immunocompromised persons; additionally, the Pfizer third dose is available for law enforcement, medical and first responder personnel. Moderna, Pfizer and J&J boosters are also available to qualifying persons. Please call (775) 623-6575 to schedule.

Local COVID-19 information is available in Spanish [@CovidEspanol](#). Humboldt County COVID-19 updates and information are available in English at [@HumboldtCountyNV](#), at www.hcnv.us and at [The Humboldt County Report](#).

Humboldt County has established a COVID-19 vaccine recorded information line in both English and Spanish. Call (775) 375-3221 to hear the latest about vaccine allocations, local distribution opportunities and changes as they occur. The line is updated with new information every Friday (not including holidays), or as needed. Information is also available by emailing vaccine@humboldtcountynev.gov.

Humboldt County has a supply of personal protective equipment, including facial masks and hand sanitizer, available to local businesses. To request supplies, businesses should call the Humboldt County Comptroller's office at (775) 623-6467.

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