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## news release

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### 8 New Hospitalizations, 304 New Cases During Past Seven-Day Period

Humboldt County Public Health reported eight new hospitalizations today, two residents in their 50s, one in their 60s, four in their 70s and one aged 80 or older. An additional 218 confirmed positive cases of COVID-19 were reported as well as 86 new probable cases for the period between Tuesday, May 24, and Tuesday, May 31. The total number of confirmed cases in the county stands at 18,561. An additional 3,509 cases are reported as probable.\*

Local vaccination data has been updated on the COVID-19 Data Dashboard. Highlights include:

- Since the last weekly report on May 25, an additional 98 residents completed their vaccine series.
- A total of 90,311 individuals, or approximately 66% of the county's total population, have been fully vaccinated as of Tuesday.

OptumServe continues to offer rapid antigen testing and PCR testing services at the Wharfinger site. PCR tests are available only on a walk-in basis and must be specifically requested from the attendee. Walk-in attendees should receive only rapid antigen testing unless the attendee specifically states they require a PCR test. Appointments for antigen testing can be made at [lhi.care/covidtesting](https://lhi.care/covidtesting) or by calling 888-634-1123.

Vaccines remain readily available throughout Humboldt County and, as always, Humboldt's vaccination and testing services are available free of charge. Walk-ins are welcome at all Public Health clinics and some pharmacy vaccination sites. Appointments can also be made at [MyTurn.ca.gov](https://MyTurn.ca.gov).

As part of the federal government's National COVID-19 Preparedness Plan, the nationwide Test to Treat Initiative launched last month, with one Humboldt location at the Wharfinger Building. At Test to Treat locations, people are tested for COVID-19 and if a person tests positive, is 12 or older and treatments are deemed

appropriate for them, Paxlovid antiviral medication will be administered at no charge. A registered nurse is onsite with a Telehealth link to a medical doctor in order to dispense medication, should the patient choose.

See the schedule below for specific Public Health vaccination and testing clinic dates, times, locations and available services. Questions about clinic services can be directed to Public Health at 707-445-6201.

**Eureka – Thursday, June 2, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m.**

Betty Kwan Chinn Day Center (133 Seventh St.)

Ages 5 and older

Pfizer/Johnson & Johnson/Moderna

PCR and rapid testing available on a first-come first-served basis

Walk-ins are welcome.

**Petrolia – Friday, June 3, 11 a.m. to 1:30 p.m.**

Mattole Valley Resource Center (167 Sherman St.)

Ages 5 and older

Pfizer/Johnson & Johnson/Moderna

PCR and rapid testing available on a first-come first-served basis

Walk-ins are welcome.

**Honeydew – Friday, June 3, 3:30 to 5:30 p.m.**

Honeydew Elementary (1 Wilder Ridge Road)

Pfizer/Johnson & Johnson/Moderna

PCR and rapid testing available on a first-come first-served basis

Walk-ins are welcome.

**Eureka – Saturday, June 4, 11 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

Jefferson Community Center (1000 B St.)

Ages 5 and older

Pfizer/Johnson & Johnson/Moderna

PCR and rapid testing available on a first-come first-served basis

Walk-ins are welcome.

**Eureka – Monday, June 6, 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Closed from noon to 1 p.m.**

Public Health Main (529 I St.)

Ages 5 and older

Pfizer/Johnson & Johnson/Moderna

PCR and rapid testing available on a first-come first-served basis

Walk-ins are welcome.

**Willow Creek – Tuesday, June 7, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Closed from noon to 1 p.m.**

Public Health Office (77 Walnut Way)

Ages 5 and older

Pfizer/Johnson & Johnson/Moderna

PCR and rapid testing available on a first-come first-served basis

Walk-ins are welcome.

**Rio Dell – Wednesday, June 8, 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m.**

Rio Dell Fire Dept. (50 West Center St.)

Ages 5 and older

Pfizer/Johnson & Johnson/Moderna

PCR and rapid testing available on a first-come first-served basis

Walk-ins are welcome.

\* “Confirmed cases” represent the total confirmed positive PCR tests results or detection of SARS-CoV-2 by genomic sequencing, and “probable cases” are individuals who:

- Have a positive antigen (Ag) test for COVID-19, or
- Were diagnosed by a health care provider with COVID-19 disease, or
- Have symptoms of COVID-19 disease after being in close contact with a person having a PCR-confirmed test result, or
- Were a decedent whose death certificate lists COVID-19 as a cause or significant contributing factor of their death, in the absence of a positive PCR test result.

Sign up for COVID-19 vaccination: [MyTurn.ca.gov](https://myturn.ca.gov)

Check for vaccine availability at a local pharmacy: [Vaccines.gov](https://vaccines.gov)

Local COVID-19 vaccine information: [humboldt.gov/VaccineInfo](https://humboldt.gov/VaccineInfo)

Humboldt County COVID-19 Data Dashboard: [humboldt.gov/3246](https://humboldt.gov/3246)

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