

Cerro Gordo County Joint Information Center

COVID-19



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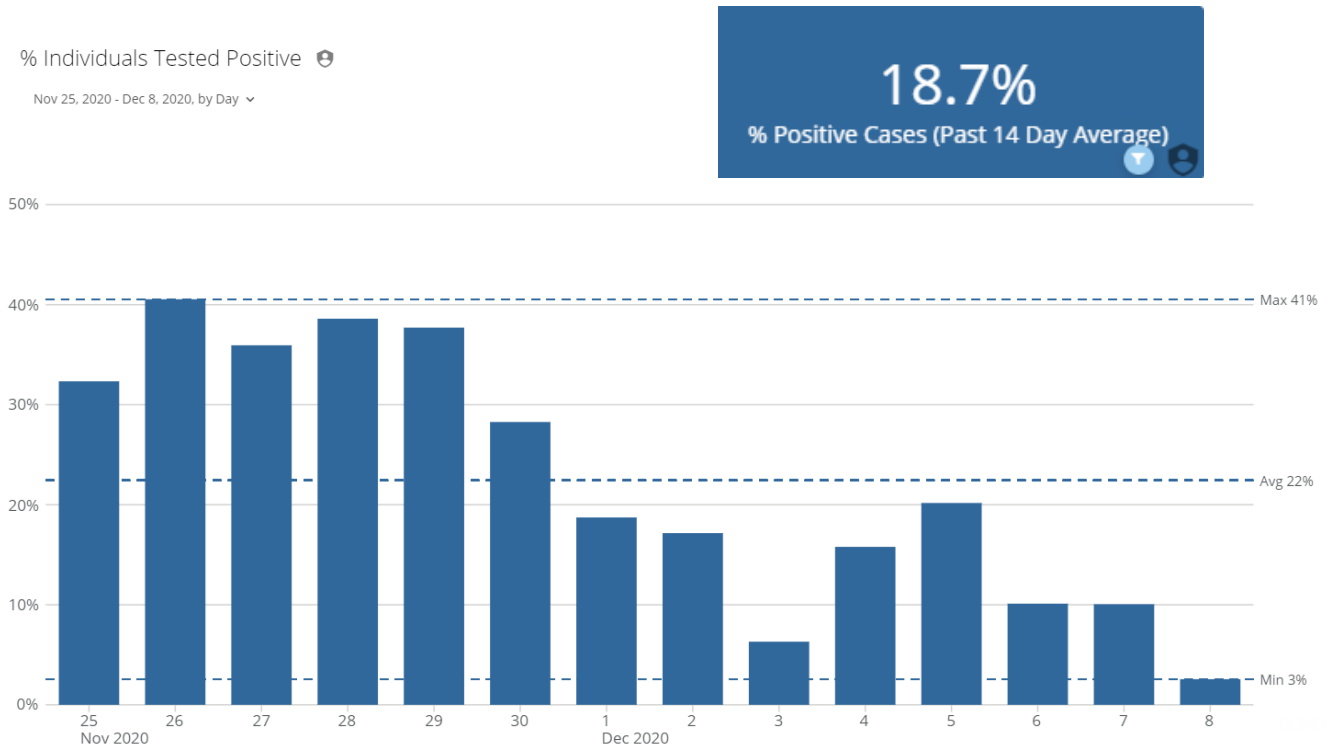
COVID-19 Joint Information Center Update

Data Snapshot

- 248,782 total lab-confirmed cases of COVID-19 in Iowa (12/09/2020).
 - 3,901 total lab-confirmed cases of COVID-19 in Cerro Gordo (12/09/2020).
 - 2,438 total recovered in Cerro Gordo (12/09/2020).
 - 1,416 total active cases in Cerro Gordo (12/09/2020).
- 3,021 deaths in Iowa (12/09/2020).
 - 47 deaths in Cerro Gordo (12/09/2020).

A status report of monitoring and testing of COVID-19 in Iowa, including county-level data, provided by the Iowa Department of Public Health can be found at <https://coronavirus.iowa.gov/#CurrentStatus>.

Daily percentage of individuals tested positive 11/25-12/08 - Max 41%, Min 3%



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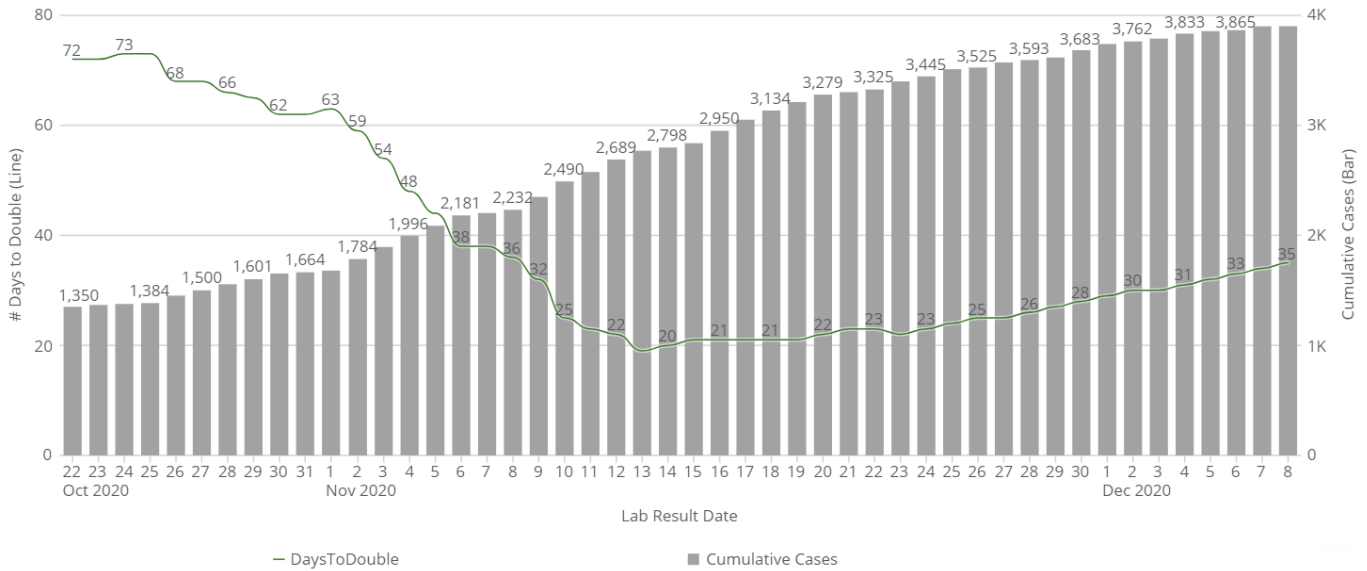


Days to Double

The following graph represents the number of days it would take to double our number of cumulative positive cases in Cerro Gordo County.

Days to Double Oct 22, 2020 - Dec 8, 2020, by Day

35 Current Days to Double



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COVID-19 TESTING OPTIONS

MercyOne Family Health Line	(641) 428-7777
Testlowa	(641) 832-3500
QuickCare	(641) 450-7000
WayPoint	(641) 357-1999
Community Health Center	(641) 450-0601
Family Provider	

Many Iowans are requesting testing,
so you may need to call more than one testing site.

If tested through MercyOne please follow these steps to
obtain results:

1. Visit the Hospital Patient Portal
<https://login.myid.care/> or
2. Call the MercyOne Family Health Line
641-428-7777 or
3. Call the clinic where the test was administered

CG Public Health does not provide COVID-19 testing.



Join us for the Weekly COVID-19 Press Conference

Tune in today at 3:30 pm for the weekly COVID-19 press conference, hosted by Mayor Bill Schickel. Panelists include:

- Dr. Paul Manternach – Chief Medical Officer, MercyOne North Iowa
- Dr. Sandra Crosara – Infectious Disease Physician, MercyOne North Iowa
- Brian Hanft – Public Health Director, CG Public Health

The press conference will be broadcast live at 3:30 pm on the City of Mason City's Facebook page as well as the city's education-government channel, Mediacom cable channel 117-2.

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