

Cerro Gordo County Joint Information Center

COVID-19



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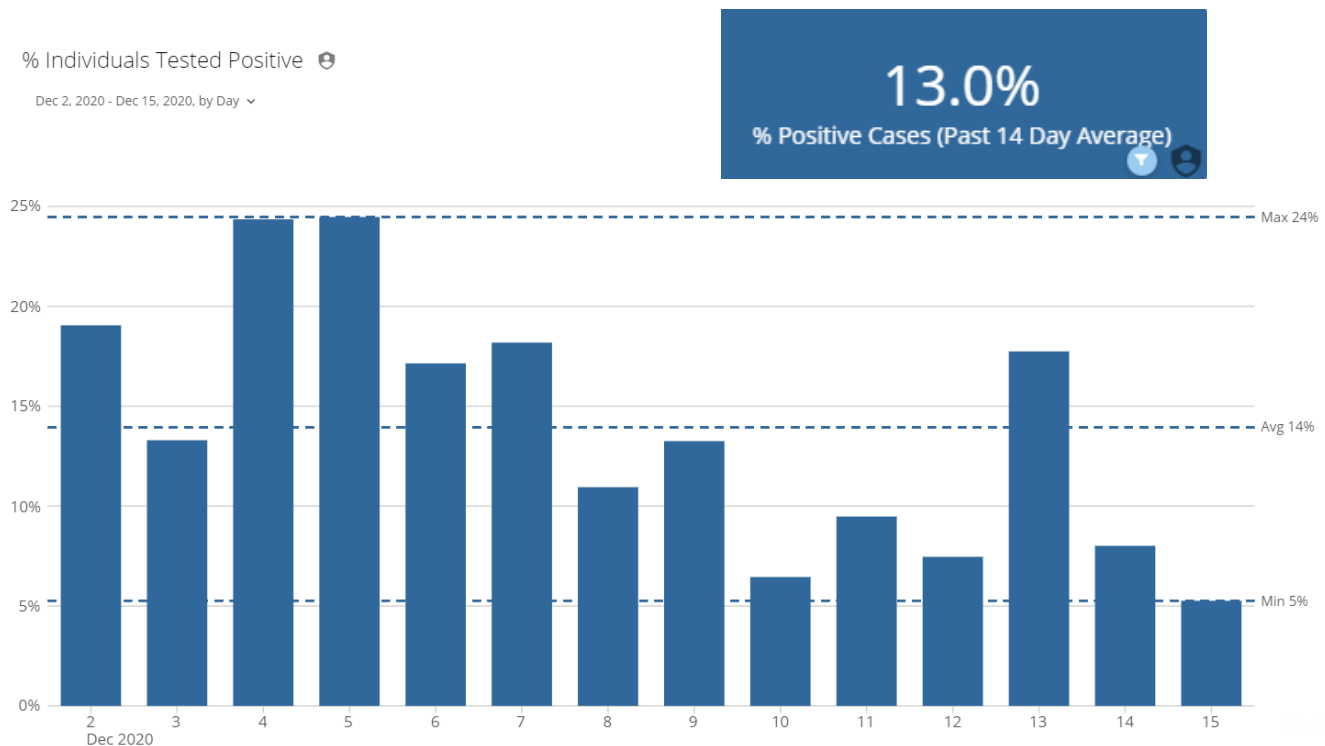
COVID-19 Joint Information Center Update

Data Snapshot (as of 10:00am)

- 260,237 total lab-confirmed cases of COVID-19 in Iowa (12/16/2020).
 - 4,061 total lab-confirmed cases of COVID-19 in Cerro Gordo (12/16/2020).
 - 2,999 total recovered in Cerro Gordo (12/16/2020).
 - 1,010 total active cases in Cerro Gordo (12/16/2020).
- 3,354 deaths in Iowa (12/16/2020).
 - 52 deaths in Cerro Gordo (12/16/2020).

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 12/02-12/15 - Max 24%, Min 5%



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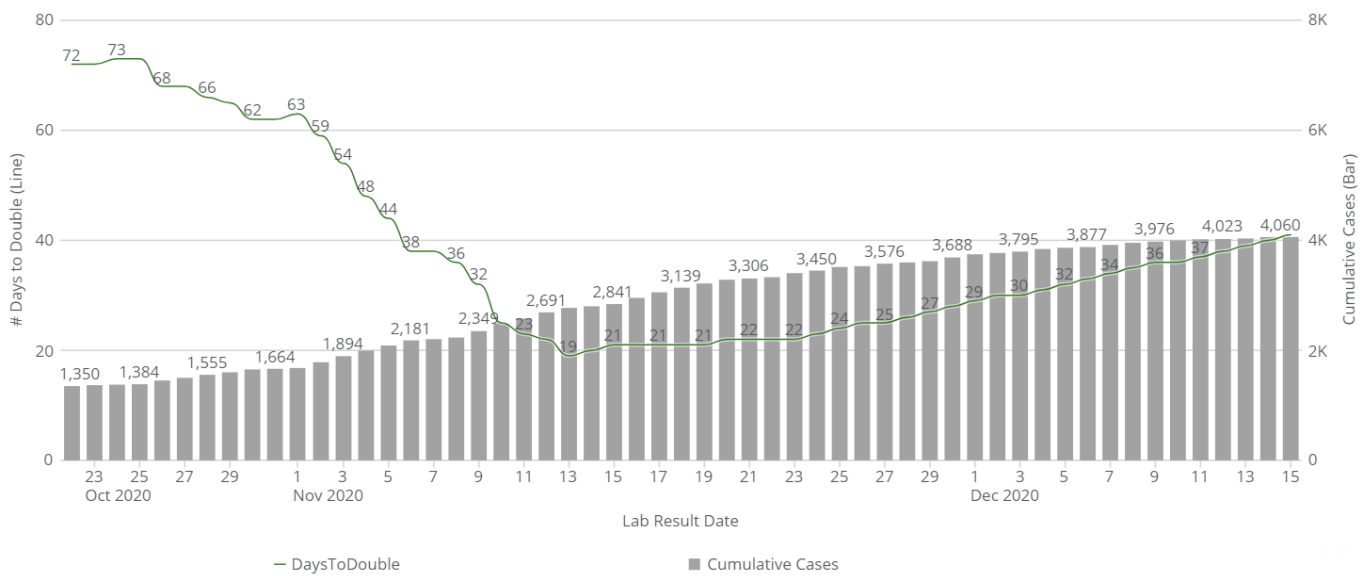


Days to Double

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 15, 2020, by Day ▼

41 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:

- Pastor Dan Gerriets – Senior Pastor, Trinity Lutheran Church
- Dr. Brent Seaton – Clinical Neuropsychologist, 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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