BLUE ISLAND HEALTH CENTER Advisory Council Meeting

August 17, 2022

COOK COUNTY HEALTH

New Mission

Establish universal access to the world's best care and health services for all Cook County residents, regardless of the ability to pay, so all may live their healthiest life.

New Vision

To ensure healthcare as a human right.

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WELCOME & INTRODUCTIONS

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Today's Meeting Agenda

Welcome & Introductions
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FY23-FY25 Strategic Plan Update
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Cook County Health in the Community
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Announcements by Partners & Questions

Adjournment

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Our CCH Blue Island Team

We want to work with you!

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Our CCH Blue Island Advisory Council Members

Thank you for serving in our/your Council!

- **LaShun James**, Addus Homecare, Inc.
- **Rochelle Davenport** Bright Health
- **Carol Petersen**, Catholic Charities
- **Alma Cano**, Cook County School District 130
- **Samantha Vargas**, Cook County School District 130
- **Mayra Pimentel**, Corazón a Corazón
- **Allen Andersen**, Guildhaus
- **Kevan Casson**, Housing Authority of Cook County
- **Rhonda Hardemon**, Malcolm X College
- **Irronda Harrington**, Moraine Valley Education Center in Blue Island
- **Christine Suddreth**, Pathlights
- **Kenneth Henderson**, West Harvey School District 147
- **Beulah Brent**, Sisters Working It Out, NFP
- **Lori Dill**, South Suburban Council
- **Patricia Edmond**, Senior Lifestyle's Prairie Green and Dixie Crossing
- **Twin Green**, The Link & Option Center, Inc.
- **Dominique Cobbs**, University of Illinois Extension

COOK COUNTY HEALTH UPDATE

Marcelino Garcia
Director of Community Affairs

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Cook County Announces Provident Scholarship Fund

Nearly $1 Million in awards to students pursuing careers in healthcare

Cook County officials joined Cook County Health leaders to announce a $1M Provident Scholarship Fund to support students who are from, and committed to caring for, underserved communities. The Provident Scholarship Fund will be administering 60 scholarships this summer, including 30 to Health Professionals, including medical and dental students, 20 to High School senior students entering a health care program, and 10 to students in the Allied Health/Undergraduate programs.

Medical and Dental students, under the Health Professionals program will receive $20,000 scholarships, and the Allied Health/Undergraduate and High School senior students will receive $10,000 scholarships. “With our sights set on creating a more equitable health care system that provides high-quality, culturally competent care for all, we must ensure that our health care workforce is reflective of our communities,” Cook County Board President Toni Preckwinkle said. “It is essential that we lift up students who may not have as many academic and economic opportunities and support their aspirations for a career in health care.”

Applicants will be evaluated on their academic achievements and consideration will also be given to the candidate’s community and where it falls on the Social Vulnerability Index. The goal of this program is to provide opportunities to students coming from communities that historically have faced greater challenges, including access to education, economic opportunities, transportation, food or medical care. “I am proud that our care team is representative of the people we serve – 59 percent of our staff are Black or Hispanic. However, our diverse team is an exception in health care,” Cook County Health CEO Israel Rocha said. “Having care providers who look like and have the same cultural experiences as their patients often results in better health outcomes. Mounting evidence shows that when providers and patients are of the same race or ethnicity, or share the same cultural background, a greater level of trust is developed and health outcomes may improve.”

The Cook County Board of Commissioners allocated $1 million of funding to support the scholarship program. In addition, Cook County Health Foundation (CCHF) raised $100,000 to support this year’s scholarship disbursement. To donate to the CCH Foundation, visit https://cchealthfoundation.org/. The scholarship program is named after Cook County Health’s Provident Hospital. Provident Hospital was founded in 1891 by Dr. Daniel Hale Williams. It was the first hospital in the U.S. that was owned and run by African Americans, and it cared for people of all races.

Applications for the Health Professionals scholarships (Medical and Dental students) and the Allied Health/Undergraduate scholarships open today, April 26, 2022 and have a deadline of Thursday, May 26, 2022. More information about the program, including criteria and application information, can be found at https://cookcountyhealth.org/about/careers/provident-scholarship-fund/. The high school scholarship will be administered by Chicago Public Schools. For more information, students should speak to their school leaders.

The Provident Hospital Scholarship Fund is one of many educational initiatives being supported by Cook County, including Project Rainbow, which aims to inform, inspire and impact children, students and families across the County. For more information on Project Rainbow please visit https://projectrainbow.cookcountyil.gov/ .

The Change Institute Update

Introduced the Change Institute

The Change Institute of Cook County Health grew out of crucial conversations about health equity in the wake of the COVID pandemic that disproportionately impacted communities of color and underserved populations. The Change Institute of Cook County Health will seek to develop innovative, cohesive new strategies to bridge gaps in treatment and prevention.

Our work will begin with four of the most prevalent causes of premature death in Cook County – cancer, diabetes, heart disease and stroke. By addressing the stages of care for each disease, we will identify actionable steps that deliver immediate impact and improve health outcomes for generations to come. This is a bold initiative that will centralize much of our existing work and address these diseases in four distinct quadrants of care: prevention, primary care, acute care and social risk factors and fill in gaps to ensure a robust approach to preventing disease and premature death.

The Change Institute is a vision and a commitment at this time – the team is working through how to modify the COVID response to make meaningful impact on the diseases that have been disproportionately impacting vulnerable communities for generations. Over the course of the next year, we will operationalize the institute, keeping our team involved and informed as a centerpiece of our efforts. You can learn more at www.cicch.org.

Preckwinkle taps new leader for Cook County's Department of Public Health

Dr. LaMar Hasbroock to be new CCPDH Lead

Mason was replaced on an interim basis by Dr. Kiran Joshi and Dr. Rachel Rubin, both CCDPH senior medical officers, who were medical staff at Stroger Hospital. Both ended up managing suburban Cook County's response through COVID. According to a county health spokesman, the search for a permanent replacement began in January.

Hasbrouck's goals are to transform CCDPH into a "premier" public health department, in part to better integrate its work with Cook County Health. He hopes to engage employees and boost the department's budget through grants and private partnerships. Hasbrook says he will lean on his network to make this happen "after working at every level of the public health enterprise."

Hasbrook has a wide range of experience as director of the Illinois Department of Public Health during Pat Quinn's administration of Gov. There he oversaw the implementation of the state. Affordable Care Act and expanding Medicaid coverage, as well ebola And MERS outbreak, He stepped down after losing Quinn's re-election bid and went to the DC-based National Association of County and City Health Officers, where he served as executive director until 2017.

https://www.chicagobusiness.com/health-care/cook-county-public-health-department-lamar-hasbrouck

System News

Accomplishments across our System and our Employees

Stroger Hospital received national acknowledgement from The American Heart Association, earning the "Get With The Guidelines® - Stroke SILVER PLUS" award for its commitment to ensuring stroke patients receive the most appropriate treatment according to nationally recognized, research-based guidelines. The hospital was also awarded the "Target: Type 2 Diabetes Honor Roll", which ensures patients with type 2 diabetes receive the most up-to-date, evidence-based care when hospitalized with cardiovascular disease or stroke. Thank you to **Dr. Lakshmi Warrior, Chair of Neurology**, **Kathryn Dudzik, Stroke Coordinator**, and the entire neurology team for their work in achieving this recognition.

Cook County Health was selected as one of five winners of the Innovation Session at the national Stigma of Addiction Summit. The showcased work, led by **Dr. Juleigh Nowinski Konchak**, **Sarah Elder**, **Dr. Jeff Watts**, **Dr. Keiki Hinami**, and **Dr. Bill Trick**, is a partnership between the CCH substance use disorder program and the Business Intelligence Unit to utilize patient-reported outcomes to reduce stigma in addiction treatment. Additional co-authors include **Brittany Green**, recovery coach in the SUD program and **Clay Caquelin and Ravi Madaiah** of Business Intelligence.

Both **My Shot Cook County** and **CountyCare's We've Got You Covered** won Gold awards in the 2022 Aster Awards Total Advertising Campaign category. The Aster Awards has one of the most inclusive groups and categories in healthcare advertising dedicated to recognizing the most talented healthcare marketing professionals for outstanding excellence in advertising, marketing and communications.

System News

Accomplishments across our System and our Employees

On June 3, Senator Richard Durbin joined President Preckwinkle, CEO Rocha and Cook County leaders at a Press Conference to commemorate **Wear Orange Day** and discuss the impact of gun violence and the need for common senses gun safety reforms noting that guns are now the leading cause of death for children surpassing motor vehicle deaths.

On June 8, President Preckwinkle, Cook County Commissioners Stanley Moore, Donna Miller, Alma Anaya and Kevin Morrison joined CEO Rocha and a host of community organizations at a **Stop the Bleed** training, a national program designed to teach bystanders how to stop bleeding and potentially save a life during an emergency.

As of June 17, there were 15 confirmed cases of **Monkeypox** in Illinois and several more under investigation. Cook County Health and the Cook County Department of Public Health are monitoring the situation and preparing to respond. At this time, authorities do not believe monkeypox will spread widely throughout the country. The virus has historically not been fatal in the US. CCH has created a Monkeypox resource page on the intranet for employees.

Recent Cook County Health COVID-19 Media Coverage

21,962 Media Hits on COVID-19 since February 20 20

verywell health

Study: Vaccination After COVID May Reduce Long COVID Risk

AP ASSOCIATED PRESS

FDA advisers endorse 1st COVID- 19 shots for kids under 5

NBC 5 CHICAGO

How to Calculate Your COVID Isolation or Quarantine Time, According to the CDC

CRAIN'S CHICAGO BUSINESS.

COVID risk remains high as statewide numbers rise

NOTICIAS TELEMUNDO

Asesores de la FDA revisan las vacunas contra el COVID-19 de Moderna y Pfizer para niños desde los 6 meses

WGN RADIO 720

Cook County Department of Public Health Recommends Masking Indoors

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Our Clinic, during this Ongoing Pandemic

Providing Care Safely

Patient Volume BI Primary Care

Primary Care

April 2022:
Patient Seen: 1,094
Show Rate: 83.7%

Patient Volume BI Specialty Care

Specialty Care

April 2022:
Patient Seen: 2,010
Show Rate: 77.2%

Our Clinic, during this Ongoing Pandemic

Providing Care Safely

Patient Volume remaining steady

- Since the pandemic started, we've been able to keep patients in care
  - Pt volume has met and exceeded our targets, monthly

Patient Access

- Averaging about 5 days for a new patient appointment
- Walk-in appointments available
- STI testing and treatment
- Average Dwell time 70 minutes from check-in to check-out

Our Clinic, during this Pandemic

Providing Care Safely

Covid-19 Vaccinations

- Our clinic offers COVID vaccines to all patients and community members 5 and older
- No appointment needed
- Patients are usually in and out within 20-30 minutes
- 1st shots, 2nd Doses, 3rd Doses/Booster are all available

Testing open to public

- We have designated testing sites
  - Stroger, Provident, Cottage Grove
- Testing Monday through Saturday last patient at 4pm
  - register by calling **312-864-2749**
  - PCR test, results in 24-48 hours (usually 24 hours), via text messaging.

- New COVID medication limit availability for high-risk patients
  - Paxlovid
  - Molnupiravir

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Programmatic Update

We can serve more patients!

- 12,672 Total COVID-19 vaccines provided in 2021
- Currently capacity to do 75-100 vaccine per days
- Able to provide up 60 Covid-19 tests per day

- Our next GCFD Fresh Food Truck will take place on:
  Thursday, May 26th, 9:00am to 10:30am

Must have a mask and practice social distancing

Your Blue Island Team

Thank you for entrusting your Health with us!

- **Chukwuemeka Ezike, MD**; Primary Care
  - 6 sessions
- **Lorena Monterubianesi, MD**; Primary Care
  - 7 sessions
- **Manisha Ogale, MD**; Primary Care
  - 8 sessions
- **Ollie Rogers, APN**; Primary Care

- **Dinah Ahomka-Lindsay MD**; Primary Care (2/28)
  - 8 sessions
- **Pending MD**; Primary Care
  - 8 sessions
- **Pending MD**; Pediatrics
  - 3 sessions

Your Blue Island Team

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- **Homer Abiad, MD**; Infectious Disease, Tuesday/Wednesday
- **Linda Adkins, MD**; Optometry, Monday-Friday
- **Amatur Amarah, MD**; Nephrology, Wednesday
- **Amblee Amika, MD**; Endocrinology/Diabetes, 1st Monday and 1st, 3rd & 4th Friday
- **Patel Amit, MD**; GI, Wednesday
- **Lorrain Bangayan, MD**; Cardiology, Monday–Thursday
- **Gina Brown, Therapist** ; Physical Therapy, Monday–Friday
- **Shweta Chaundhary, MD**; Ophthalmology, Monday
- **William Clapp, MD**; Pulmonary, Wednesday
- **Steven Clar, MD**; Musculoskeletal, Tuesday
- **Kristen Crittle-Myhand, MD**; OB/Gyn, Thursday
- **Sherif Dawood, MD**; Ophthalmology, Wednesday
- **Joseph Deters, MD**; Pulmonary, Monday
- **Dipti Dighe, MD**; Pediatric Hematology & Oncology, 3rd Friday of the month
- **Leon Fogelfeld, MD**; Endocrinology/Diabetes, 1st Monday of each month, 1st, 3rd & 4th Friday
- **Seema Gandhi, MD**; GI, Wednesday
- **Reena Ghode**; Neurology, Monday
- **Daniel Halkin, Therapist**; Physical Therapy, Monday-Friday
- **Regina Hall-Ngorima, MD**; Psychiatry, Monday-Friday
- **Valerie Hansbrough, MD**; OB/Gyn, Tuesday and Thursday
- **Amit Joshi, MD**; Nephrology, Wednesday
- **Amir Kagalwalla, MD**; Ped GI, Thursday
- **Samina Khattak, MD**; Psychiatry, Monday-Thursday
- **Harini Kolluri, MD**; Pediatric Endocrinology and Diabetes, 2nd

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- **Katy Landry, MD**; Podiatry, Tuesday
- **Barbara Marban, Therapist**; Physical Therapy, Monday-Friday
- **Tess McCarthy, MD**; Musculoskeletal, Monday-Thursday
- **Garnet Meijer, MD;** Endocrinology/Diabetes, 1st Monday and 1st, 3rd & 4th Friday
- **Satya Mishra, MD**; GI, Wednesday
- **Hemant Mutneja, MD**; GI, Wednesday
- **Zahra Naheed, MD**; Peds Cardiology, 2nd Friday
- **Albert Osei, MD**; Nephrology, Thursday
- **Shilpa Patel, MD**; Infectious Disease, Tuesday-Wednesday
- **Dipika Patel, MD**; Pediatric Allergy, 3rd Thursday
- **Tom Patrianakos, MD**; Ophthalmology, Thursday
- **Sarah Posey, PA-C**; Cardiology, Monday-Friday
- **Abed Rahman, MD**; Pain Management, Monday
- **Danielle Rice, MD;** Neurology, Friday
- **Oscar Rivas, MD**; GI, Wednesday
- **Rebeka Shepard, APN**; Psychiatry, Wednesday
- **Karen Simpson**; Adolescent/Young Adult Clinic, 2nd Thursday
- **Lafayette Singleton, MD**; Neurology, Thursday
- **Jennifer Suffren, MD**; Podiatry, Friday
- **Ausra Sutkus, Therapist**; Occupational Therapy, Monday-Friday
- **Giries Sweis, MD**; Psychology, Monday-Friday
- **Lisa Thompson, MD**; Pediatric Ophthalmology, Friday
- **Jamie Torres, MD**; Sleep, Tuesday
- **Jon Tottleben, MD;** Cardiology, Thursday
- **Guerra Yannis, MD**; Endocrinology/Diabetes, 1st Monday and 1st, 3rd & 4th Friday
- **Jill Zaveri, MD**; Ophthalmology, Tuesday

FY23-FY25 STRATEGIC PLAN

Andrea Gibson,
Chief Strategy Officer

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Timeline

February/March	Stakeholder Feedback
March 28, 2022	CCH Board of Directors, Review and Aggregation of Feedback from Stakeholders
April	Draft Strategic Plan submitted to CCH Board
May	CCH Board Strategic Plan vote
June-July	**Develop 3-year financial outlook with FY23 budget**
August	Strategic Plan-Informed budget presented to the CCH Board with 3-year financial outlook
September in	Submit Strategic Plan and 3-year financial outlook to the County Board tandem with the 2023 budget
October	County Board to vote on Strategic Plan

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Link to Strategic Plan:
Item-VIB-Approved-Strategic-Plan-05-27-22.pdf (cookcountyhealth.org)

CCH Mission, Vision and Values

Current Mission:

To deliver integrated health services with dignity and respect regardless of a patient's ability to pay; foster partnerships with other health providers and communities to enhance the health of the public; and advocate for policies which promote and protect the physical, mental and social well-being of the people of Cook County.

New Mission:

Establish universal access to the world's best care and health services for all Cook County residents, regardless of the ability to pay, so all may live their healthiest life.

CCH Mission, Vision and Values

Current Vision: In support of its public health mission, CCH will be recognized locally, regionally and nationally – and by patients and employees – as progressively evolving model for an accessible, integrated, patient-centered and fiscally-responsible health care system focused on assuring high quality care and improving the health of the residents of Cook County.

Proposed Vision: To ensure healthcare as a human right.

Proposed Values:

ICARE

Innovation
Compassion
Accountability
Respect
Excellence & Education

Strategic Pillars

Patient Safety, Clinical Excellence & Quality: Ensure the highest quality service and best clinical outcomes by providing patients the right care, at the right time, and the right place.

Health Equity, Community Health & Integration: Create just spaces where our patients' and community's comprehensive health needs are fully met and guide our development.

Patient Experience: Develop systems of care and education that provide for an empowered patient experience.

Workforce: Talent & Teamwork: Serve as the employer of choice by supporting and investing in our workforce, recruiting the best talent, and fostering robust teamwork.

Fiscal Resilience: Ensure CCH finances enable the expansion of our mission.

Optimization, Systemization & Performance Improvement: Optimize our systems to ensure they are accessible, reliable, appropriate, effective, standardized, and resilient.

Growth, Innovation & Transformation: Lead the journey to effective care and better health outcomes through sound infrastructure and transformative access to care resources.

Patient Safety, Clinical Excellence & Quality

Ensure the highest quality service and best clinical outcomes by providing patients the right care, at the right time, and in the right place.

Objectives	Key Results
Right Care: provide safe, consistent high-quality care.	All patient care, quality and safety outcomes are at or exceed national and state benchmarks.
	Patients have the information they need to make the best decisions about their health.
	Secure Center of Excellence designations for critical services lines by delivering the best practices in care.
	Patient care coordination is robust, multidisciplinary, and fully accessible.
	The full spectrum of comprehensive care services are offered at Cook County Health.

Patient Safety, Clinical Excellence & Quality

Ensure the highest quality service and best clinical outcomes by providing patients the right care, at the right time, and in the right place.

Objectives	Key Results
Right Place: Ensure access to care for all patients in need in the right setting.	Invest in key services and specialty care access. (Behavioral Health, Cardiovascular, Neurosciences, Oncology, Endocrinology, etc.)
	Acute care facilities are recognized as Pathway to Excellence Centers by Magnet® Hospital program.
	Our educational training programs are nationally recognized.
	Increase annual primary care visits for Managed Care empaneled members.
	Create pathways for continued care for justice-involved patients.
	Create a one-stop universal care access hotline for care services at Cook County Health.

Patient Safety, Clinical Excellence & Quality

Ensure the highest quality service and best clinical outcomes by providing patients the right care, at the right time, and in the right place.

Objectives	Key Results
Right Time: Provide timely access to the appropriate clinical intervention.	Patients have timely and reliable access to care through a combination of enhanced efficiency and additional physical and telehealth capacity.
	By ensuring all employees are working at the top of their licenses, patient wait times are decreased.
	Mitigate variation in life expectancy throughout the county by providing timely and universal access to advanced care services.
	Launch aggressive public health, community and health outreach campaigns to reach patients where they live and work.

Patient Experience

Develop systems of care and education that provide for an empowered patient experience.

Objectives	Key Results
Partner with patients, families, and caregivers to optimize patient outcomes and the patient experience.	Improve patient satisfaction scores (Hospital Consumer Assessment of Healthcare Providers and Systems – HCAHPS)
	Improve patient education and engagement.
	Create an intuitive and seamless process to improve patient navigation across the continuum of care.
Ensure that the organization always listens to the voice of the patients and that we are fulfilling their key needs and requirements.	Increase the number of community outreach events.
	Increase response rates on Press Ganey surveys.
	Fortify patient family advisory councils.

Patient Experience

Develop systems of care and education that provide for an empowered patient experience.

Objectives	Key Results
Empower patients to be involved in decision making and proactive about their care.	Increase the adoption of the patient portal.
	Implement self-service scheduling for patients.
	Decrease emergency room visits.
	Establish patient health literacy trainings.

Workforce: Talent & Teams

Serve as the employer of choice by supporting and investing in our workforce, recruiting the best talent, and fostering robust teamwork.

Objectives	Key Results
Support and invest in our workforce.	The Cook County Health University & Training Program (LMS) helps employees achieve lifelong learning goals and required competencies.
	Professional development and career pathway opportunities are available for all employees.
	Resource and succession planning allows for increased employee mobility and opportunity.
	The number of staff turnover and vacancies are reduced.
	Employee engagement is increased.
	Strong relationships and innovative programs with our union partners leads to employee retention and satisfaction.

Workforce: Talent & Teams

Serve as the employer of choice by supporting and investing in our workforce, recruiting the best talent, and fostering robust teamwork.

Objectives	Key Results
Recruit the best talent.	The CCH recruitment team utilizes the best technology and recruitment resources to source exceptional candidates across all markets.
	CCH offers candidates timely and competitive employment offers to help launch careers at CCH.
	CCH offers approaches to employment that allows for flexibility and innovation.
	CCH offers residency, scholarship, and other pipeline programs to build our future employee workforce.

Workforce: Talent & Teams

Serve as the employer of choice by supporting and investing in our workforce, recruiting the best talent, and fostering robust teamwork.

Objectives	Key Results
Foster robust teamwork.	Employee wellness programs are extensive and well-utilized.
	Employee-led projects are fully supported and help transform system practices.
	Project teams include representation from all levels of care and services.
	Performance improvement programs are based on just culture methods.
	Employee recognition programs are robust.

Fiscal Resilience

Ensure CCH finances enable the expansion of our mission.

Objectives	Key Results
Maintain financial strength.	Develop a 3-year sustainable financial plan that is aligned with the strategic plan.
	Maintain a positive operating margin.
	Increase the CountyCare reserve to industry standards.
	Continue to increase CountyCare member utilization of CCH services.
Optimize funding sources.	Optimize third party payor reimbursements while minimizing barriers to care for patients.
	Secure external funding to support key initiatives.
	Continue to leverage the County tax allocation to support correctional and public health.

Fiscal Resilience

Ensure CCH finances enable the expansion of our mission.

Objectives	Key Results
Control costs and maximize efficiencies.	Establish annual targets based on industry benchmarks for overall staffing, including overtime and agency staffing that align with volumes and clinical complexity.
	Conduct annual contract reviews and renegotiations to align expenses to reflect market improvements/savings.
	Leverage value analysis process to reduce costs.

Health Equity, Community Health & Integration

Create just spaces where our patients' and community's comprehensive health needs are fully met and guide our development.

Objectives	Key Results
Create just spaces.	The physical locations of our clinics, hospitals and programs serve communities with the greatest need and resolve gaps in access to care.
	Patients feel comfortable and at home when receiving care at CCH.
	Our workforce reflects the diversity and experiences of our patients.
	Patients receives healthcare information in the language of their choice.
	CCH is recognized as a leader in LGBTQ Healthcare Equality by the Human Rights Campaign.
	CCH fully supports MBE/WBE participation in procurement opportunities.
	CCH continually utilizes pay parity studies to close race, ethnic and gender gaps.

Health Equity, Community Health & Integration

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Objectives	Key Results
Patient and our community's comprehensive health needs are fully met.	The Change Institute of CCH implements key strategies to help reduce the gaps in life expectancy across Cook County.
	CCH operates patient support programs to mitigate the impact of social risk factors such as food or housing insecurity.
	All patients receive access to the work's best treatments and advancements in medical care.
	CCH/CCDPH leverage data and experience to address health inequities by operating robust interventions to improve population health.

Optimization, Systemization & Performance Improvement

Optimize our systems to ensure they are accessible, reliable, appropriate, effective, standardized, and resilient.

Objectives	Key Results
Standardize tools, processes and procedures across the system.	Geographic localization is used in acute care setting to improve health outcomes and standardize care programs.
	System integration with external providers and partners make seamless referrals and care processes. (Direct Scheduling, Cerner HUB, etc.)
	Electronic ticketing and monitoring programs ensure life safety systems and equipment continually operate at optimal conditions.
	New contract and policy management system make standardization and systemization easy for CCH employees.

Optimization, Systemization & Performance Improvement

Optimize our systems to ensure they are accessible, reliable, appropriate, effective, standardized, and resilient.

Objectives	Key Results
Implement performance and process improvement initiatives in both clinical and non-clinical areas.	CCH call centers make patient access simple and available.
	5- and 10-Year Space Utilization Plans help keep pace with infrastructure needs and ensures plant modernization.
	Clinical Documentation Initiative helps providers across all CCH divisions.
	Patient length of stay in our acute care centers meets national benchmarks.
	Time to hire and procure is reduced.
	Ongoing process improvement work helps establish enhanced Standard Operating Procedures.
	Agency and overtime utilization is reduced.

Optimization, Systemization & Performance Improvement

Optimize our systems to ensure they are accessible, reliable, appropriate, effective, standardized, and resilient.

Objectives	Key Results
Create and sustain a culture of high reliability and transparency.	Maintain high reliability workgroups that achieve the aims of the strategic plan.
	Achieve and hard wire objectives identified in high reliability goals.
	CCDPH creates a 2030 Public Health Department of the Future Program.
	Office of Life Sciences ensures equitable access to needed programs and research.
	Compliance programs use latest technology to ensure comprehensive adherence and adoption.

Growth, Innovation & Transformation

Lead the journey to effective care and better health outcomes through sound infrastructure and transformative access to care resources.

Objectives	Key Results
Sound infrastructure and transformative access to care resources.	Execute timely on all projects and enhancements in system and facilities master plan to better serve patients.
	Preventative maintenance programs extend life of buildings and equipment.
	Facilities are right-sized to ensure maximum efficiency, access and patient throughput.
	Comprehensive bed board and patient transfer center is established. (Including capacity for direct admissions from affiliated providers)
	Surgical capacity for both inpatient and outpatient services is expanded across the CCH system.
	Care capacity at Provident Hospital, Stroger Hospitals and ACHN sites is expanded.
	Community and health need assessment is conducted to ensure facilities and care access are available in underserved communities.

Growth, Innovation & Transformation

Lead the journey to effective care and better health outcomes through sound infrastructure and transformative access to care resources.

Objectives	Key Results
Use innovative products, services, processes, and technology to lead the journey to effective care and better health outcomes.	Created new care delivery programs by testing transformative concepts. (Mental Health Urgent Care Centers, Retail Clinics, etc.)
	Established a Mental Health Authority.
	Developed a comprehensive Cook County Health Care Network with and for safety net providers.
	Developed a multi-product strategy to serve members throughout their lifecycle. (i.e. – Medicaid, Exchange Products, Private Insurance, Medicare, PACE, etc.)
	Created a learning collaborative with community-based organizations to ensure responsiveness to patient needs and foster new support programs.
	Modernized technology systems at CCH.

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Lead the journey to effective care and better health outcomes through sound infrastructure and transformative access to care resources.

Objectives	Key Results
Promote a culture of innovation throughout the organization.	Established innovative and sustainable solutions to improve healthcare delivery systems.
	Established partnerships in care with external organizations to jointly build community care capacity.
	Secured external funding for innovation that aligned with strategic objectives.
	Established new patient safety and quality protocols.
	Pioneered new discoveries in care.
	Launched new clinical education, training and research programs.
	Developed new strategies for justice-involved patients.
	Created new public health programs that increase patient engagement and expanded data sharing.

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CHICAGO-COOK WORKFORCE PARTNERSHIP PROGRAMS

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Investing in Youth & Families: Community Employment and Engagement

The Chicago Cook Workforce Partnership

Prepared for Cook County Health Advisory Councils

July 2022

Local Workforce Development System

CHICAGO COOK WORKFORCE PARTNERSHIP
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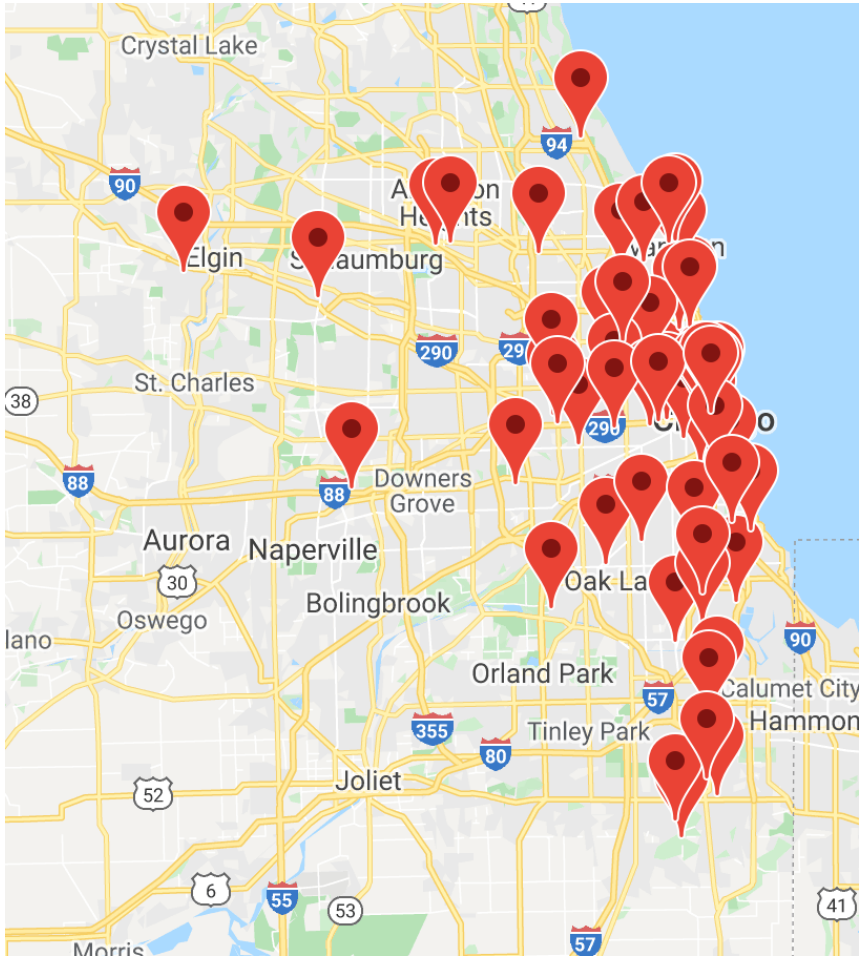
The Chicago Cook Workforce Partnership operates the public workforce system in Chicago and suburban Cook County:

- Network of 91 delegate agencies, American Job Centers, satellite sites, and sector-driven centers
- Over 100 locations engaging more than 140,000 people and 1,000 businesses a year
- Many services target communities with high rates of poverty and individuals facing barriers to employment
- Not-for-profit structure allows The Partnership to raise philanthropic and competitively procured funds to enhance existing workforce services



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Local Workforce Development System

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The Chicago Cook Workforce System is comprised of multiple service delivery models at locations throughout the City and County; all of which can be accessed through **chicookworks.org** or by calling 800-270-2515. Job Seekers can directly connect to employers at **chicookworks.org/worknow.**

- **American Job Centers (AJCs)** are high-capacity sites serving the general job-seeking population as well as businesses. There are five in Chicago and five in suburban Cook County.

- **Delegate Agencies** provide services to job seekers and businesses, differing from AJCs in that they are smaller and may serve a smaller geographic area or special population.

- **Youth Delegate Agencies** provide services to assist youth ages 16-24 in achieving academic and employment success.

- **Sector Centers** are business service hubs concentrating on business and job seeker services related to a specific industry sector and are responsible for educating the other WIOA delegate agencies on aspects of the given sector. The Partnership currently funds centers in the information technology, health care and retail and hospitality sectors—transportation, distribution and logistics opens in 2020.

- **Career Pathway Training Programs** are cohort-based, demand-driven skills training programs in the region's focus industry sectors and may also include bridge programs designed to serve individuals with basic skills deficiency and/or limited English skills.

Meeting Healthcare Demand

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Chicago Cook Workforce Partnership's Healthcare Sector Center

The Chicago Cook Workforce Partnership's Healthcare Sector Center, operated by Equus Workforce Solutions, offers business workforce services to healthcare employers and employment placement services to individuals.

Healthcare Sector Center Services

- Pre-screen and matching qualified job applicants with employer's requirements.
- Amplify and augment HR teams by recruiting and assessing candidate's skills and qualifications to identify potential hires
- Advertise and promote job listings and hiring events
- Organize, virtual and in-person recruitment, pre-screenings and hiring events
- Partner with vocational training providers
- Monitor student job seeker referrals to ensure they achieve training completion successfully
- Collaborate with the education providers to support healthcare students in their job search
- Conduct job readiness and resume assistance workshops, in a group setting or one-on-one

Young Adult Hiring Opportunities

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Opportunity Works Sector Focused Paid Internships - Young Adult Internships: Cook County is doubling the number of sector focused internships for young adults that provide growing businesses with the talent they need to compete in a global economy.

Enrollment Goal: 400 individuals

Eligibility Criteria: 16-24 years at time of enrollment, suburban Cook County resident, unemployed or underemployed at time of enrollment

Opportunity Summer - Young Adult Summer Jobs Program: A paid summer internship program that matches youth in suburban Cook County with career exploration internships.

- Seven-week program runs from Monday, June 13 to Friday, August 12, 2022
- Residents ages 16-24
- Internships paying $15 an hour, 25 hours a week
- Serving 200 suburban Cook County youth

Intensive Workforce Services for Returning Residents

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Description: As part of our commitment to community investment and public safety, the County is providing training, and employment services to people who have recently been incarcerated to support their effective transition home.

Service Delivery Organizations: Safer Foundation

Grant Time Period: April 2022 – March 2023

Enrollment Goal: 70 individuals

Eligibility Criteria: 18 and above, previously incarcerated, suburban Cook County resident

Career Connector Events

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2012 Celebrating 10 Years 2022

Mission of Career Connector Events

Career Connector Events are events that promote a more inclusive and equitable economy as Cook County emerges from the pandemic. The goal of the events is twofold:

a) To connect all Cook County residents through meaningful access to quality jobs; and

b) To connect Cook County employers to a skilled and diverse talent pool.

Signature Career Connector Events Calendar

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Sub Region	American Job Center Lead	Community Partners	Attendance Targets	Date
South Suburban (Harvey, South Holland)	South Suburban AJC Harvey-Employer and Employment Services	South Suburban College, Housing Authority of Cook County	Jobseekers: 300 Businesses: 25	May 24, 2022
South Suburban (Chicago Heights, Park Forest)	South Suburban AJC Chicago Heights-National Able Network	Prairie State College Moraine Valley College	Jobseekers: 300 Businesses: 25	June 30 ,2022
Southwest Suburban (Cicero, Berwyn, Riverside)	Southwest Suburban AJC North Riverside-SERCO, Inc.	Morton College	Jobseekers: 300 Businesses: 25	July 21, 2022
North Suburban (Evanston, Skokie, Niles)	National Able Network- Skokie	Oakton College	Jobseekers: 300 Businesses: 25	August 10,2022
North Suburban (Wheeling, Prospect Heights, Arlington Heights)	North Suburban AJC-Wheeling-Business and Career Services	Harper College	Jobseekers: 300 Businesses: 25	September or October
West Suburban (Maywood, River Grove, Franklin Park)	West Suburban AJC Maywood-Employer and Employment Services	Triton College	Jobseekers: 300 Businesses: 25	September

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CountyCare equity programs

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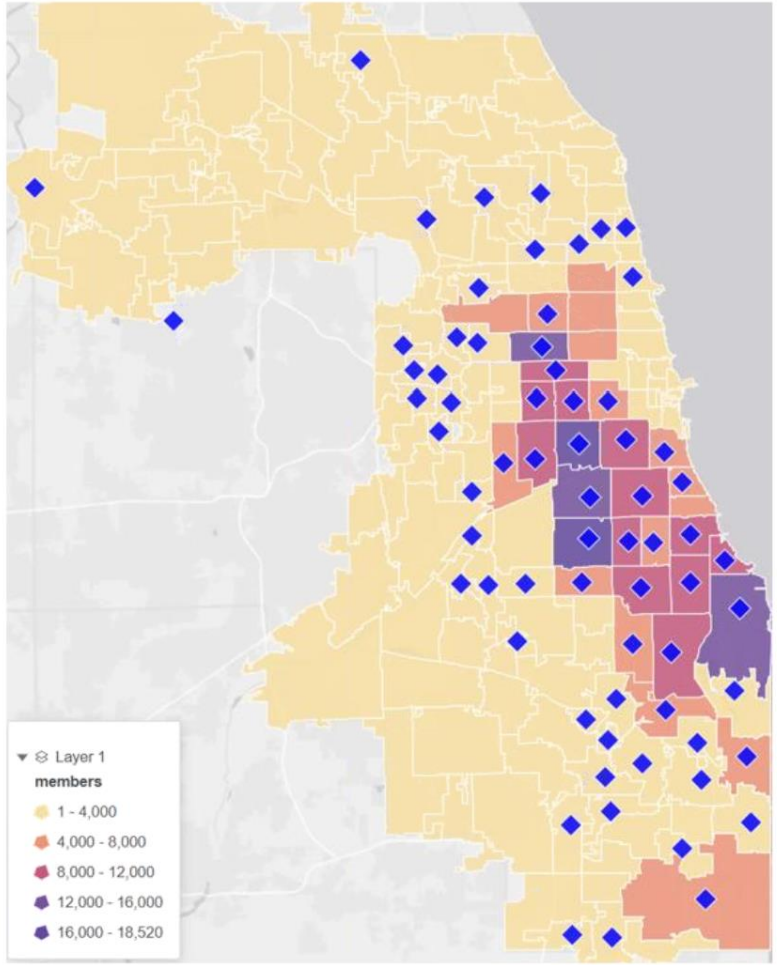
ALL THE BENEFITS.

NONE OF THE COST.

CountyCare EQUITY PROGRAMS

Detangling the Path to Equity

Membership by DIA Zip



- The shaded zip code areas represent CountyCare's membership while the diamond markers represent 68 DIA zip codes that CountyCare members reside in
- Out of CountyCare's current membership, 325K members live in disproportionately-impacted zip codes, which is **80% of CountyCare's current membership** of 411K for September 2021

Disproportionality Impacted Areas

Equity (Metopio)

Disproportionately Impacted Area (DIA) Zip Code Data

SDoH Factor	How to Interpret this Value	Example Interpretation
CVI - COVID Vulnerability	Higher value means higher vulnerability to COVID-19	60636 has the highest COVID vulnerability index, with an index of 62.50
EDB - HS Education	Higher value means higher proportion of members with no high school education	60165 has the highest proportion of members without a HS education (45%)
FAI - Food Insecurity	Higher value means higher proportion of members with food insecurity in the ZIP	41% of people in 60141 are food insecure
POV - Poverty	Higher value means higher proportion of members in poverty	42% of people in 60624 and 60621 are in poverty
PVA - Deep Poverty	Higher value means higher proportion of members in deep poverty	18% of people who live in 60612 are in deep poverty
RPX - Rental Assistance	Values above zero indicate higher need for rental assistance Values below zero indicate less need for rental assistance	60621 has the highest rental assistance index of 1.32
UICSVI - Social Vulnerability	Values above zero indicate higher social vulnerability Values below zero indicate less social vulnerability	60621 and 60624 have the highest social vulnerability index values at 2.32
WWN - No Internet	Lower values indicate more internet access, higher values indicate less internet access	39% of people in 60636 do not have internet access

Equity (Metopio) Quartile Methodology

Focus on Food Insecurity

- The **top 10 zip codes** for food insecurity rates have **500+ Members**
- ZIPs fall in **Disproportionately Affected Areas** (also known as DIA ZIPs)
- Have an average food insecurity rate of **34%**.
- This is **over double** the food insecurity rate across CountyCare's average food insecurity rate, which is **16%.**
- **79k members** reside in the top 10 ZIPs (19% of current membership).
- There are **currently 258k members** who are in the highest quartile of food insecure areas, with an average food insecurity rate of 24%.
- **ED visits** per 1,000 for members in the highest quartile of food insecurity is **7% higher** than the average ED visits per 1,000.

Quartile Category	Current Members
1 25th percentile	28,882
2 25th - 50th percentile	72,198
3 50th - 75th percentile	51,616
4 75th percentile	258,308
.	660
Grand Total	**411,664**

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Equity (Metopio) Dashboard

Quartile Category

1 25th percentile
2 25th - 50th percentile
3 50th - 75th percentile
4 75th percentile

Zip	Region	current_mem_ct	Covid	Education	Food Ins	Poverty	Deep Poverty	Rental Assistance	Social Vul	No Internet	Score	highest_quartile_ct
60609	South Chicago	10,886	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	32	8
60617	Far Southeast Chicago	14,131	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	32	8
60621	South Chicago	7,982	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	32	8
60623	West Chicago	17,796	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	32	8
60624	West Chicago	9,412	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	32	8
60636	Sthwest Chgo	8,950	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	32	8
60644	West Chicago	10,767	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	32	8
60651	West Chicago	12,034	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	4	32	8
60619	South Chicago	11,273	4	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	31	7
60620	Far Stheast Chgo	12,078	4	3	4	4	4	4	4	4	31	7

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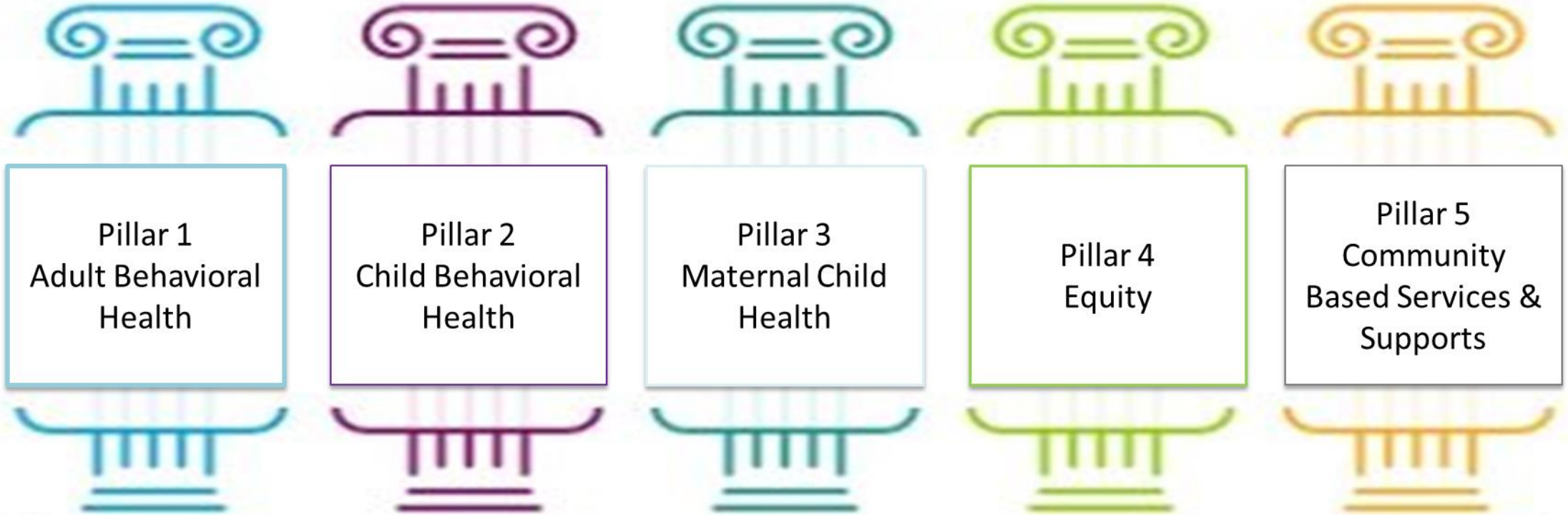
Performance Improvement Workgroup (PIW)

Quality Improvement Committee
Population Health & Performance Improvement



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CountyCare Updates:
Redetermination & Open Enrollment

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COVID-19 H State of Illinois COVID-19 HFS Temporary Guidance

Both the federal and state governments have declared the COVID-19 pandemic as an official Public Health Emergency (PHE). **Disaster declaration is in place until at least October 2022**.

Important things to know

Termination of Coverage

- During the PHE, enrollees will **NOT** be dropped from Medicaid coverage unless due to death, moving out of state or opting out.
- Cases will not be cancelled due to non-payment of premiums.

Redeterminations

- All redeterminations are on hold during the PHE.
- DHS will still process clients that are renewed by "Ex-Parte" and will mail those clients a notice.
- Expect redeterminations to resume 3rd quarter 2022.

Redetermination v. Open Enrollment

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Open enrollment and redetermination (REDE) are two important State of Illinois processes. They impact Medicaid coverage and continuity of care.

Redetermination

Open Enrollment

Redetermination – Address Update Campaign

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The Department of Healthcare and Family Services (HFS) is taking steps to prepare for the end of the PHE. Illinois Medicaid members have not been asked to complete REDE paperwork for two years.

Don't risk losing your health insurance. Update your address today!

Call 877-805-5312 from 7:45 a.m. – 4:30 p.m.

Or

Visit www2.Illinois.gov/hfs/address

Redetermination Help

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For questions regarding Medicaid applications & redetermination please call:

Cook County Health Application Assistance Call Center

312-864-8200, option #1

Monday thru Friday 8am to 7pm

Saturdays from 8am to 4pm

OR

Application for Benefits Eligibility (ABE) -apply for Medicaid, SNAP, and TANF

https://Abe.illinios.gov

For questions regarding CountyCare Health Plan please call:

CountyCare Member Services

312-864-8200

Monday thru Friday 8am to 6pm

Saturdays from 9am to 1pm

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Suburban Cook County Health Survey and Atlas For Community Partners

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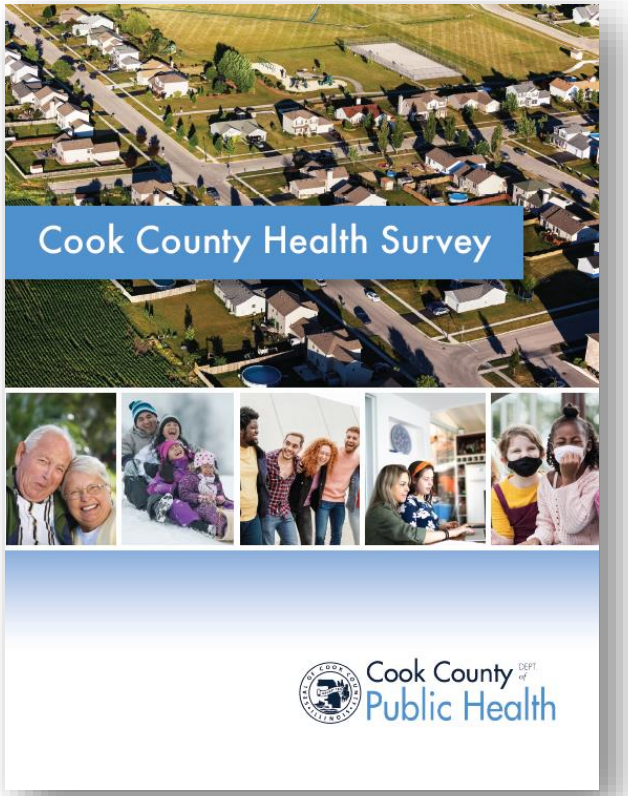
2022 COOK COUNTY HEALTH SURVEY

The Cook County Department of Public Health is conducting a health survey to monitor, evaluate and address health conditions across suburban Cook County.



SCOPE

The survey aims to collect data from 32,000 adult (18 and older) suburban Cook County residents concerning their health-related risk behaviors, chronic health conditions, and access to health care.

PURPOSE

Findings from the survey will help inform health policy, program development, community education initiatives, and public awareness campaigns.

METHOD

Randomly selected residents will receive a postcard requesting their participation. The survey takes 25-30 minutes to complete, and respondents will receive a financial incentive for participating.

PRIVACY

Survey responses will be completely confidential. Contact information will be kept separate from survey data and summarized to further protect the anonymity of respondents.

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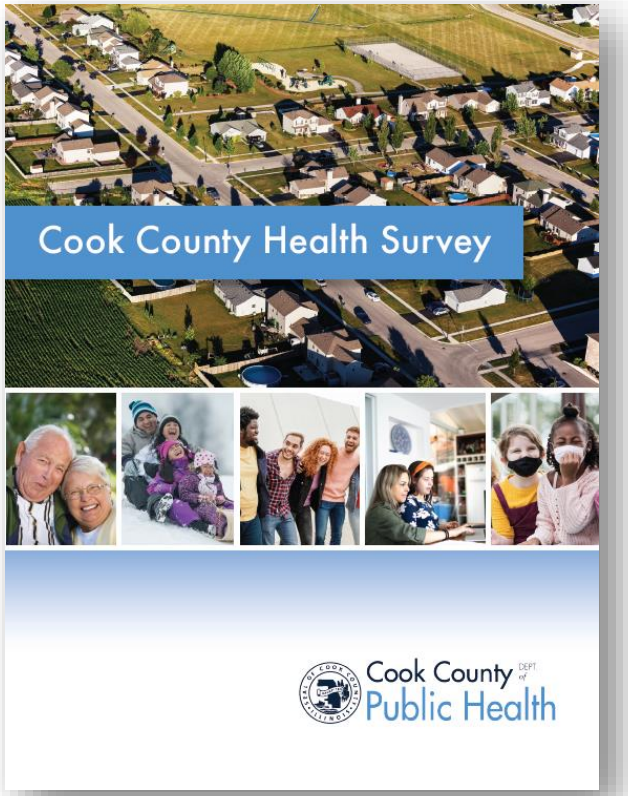
HEALTH SURVEY TOPIC AREAS

The survey collects data on a wide range of public health-related topics

- Chronic disease
- Childhood experiences
- Neighborhood
- Financial security
- Mental health
- Tobacco, cannabis, alcohol
- Cancer screening
- General health, diet & exercise

2022 COOK COUNTY HEALTH SURVEY WEB PAGE



Located at https://cookcountypublichealth.org/health-survey/

- Cook County Health Survey Summary
- About the Survey
- Survey Content & Focus
- Survey Letters & Postcards
- FAQ's
- Contact Information

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SUBURBAN COOK COUNTY HEALTH ATLAS

Using startup funds from CDC's Health Equity Grant, CCDPH's Epidemiology Unit is collaborating with UIC's PHAME Center and Metopio to design and deploy an online atlas for exploring and sharing health information concerning the suburban residents of Cook County. The atlas allows stakeholders to examine, visualize and download health data using maps, charts and tables.

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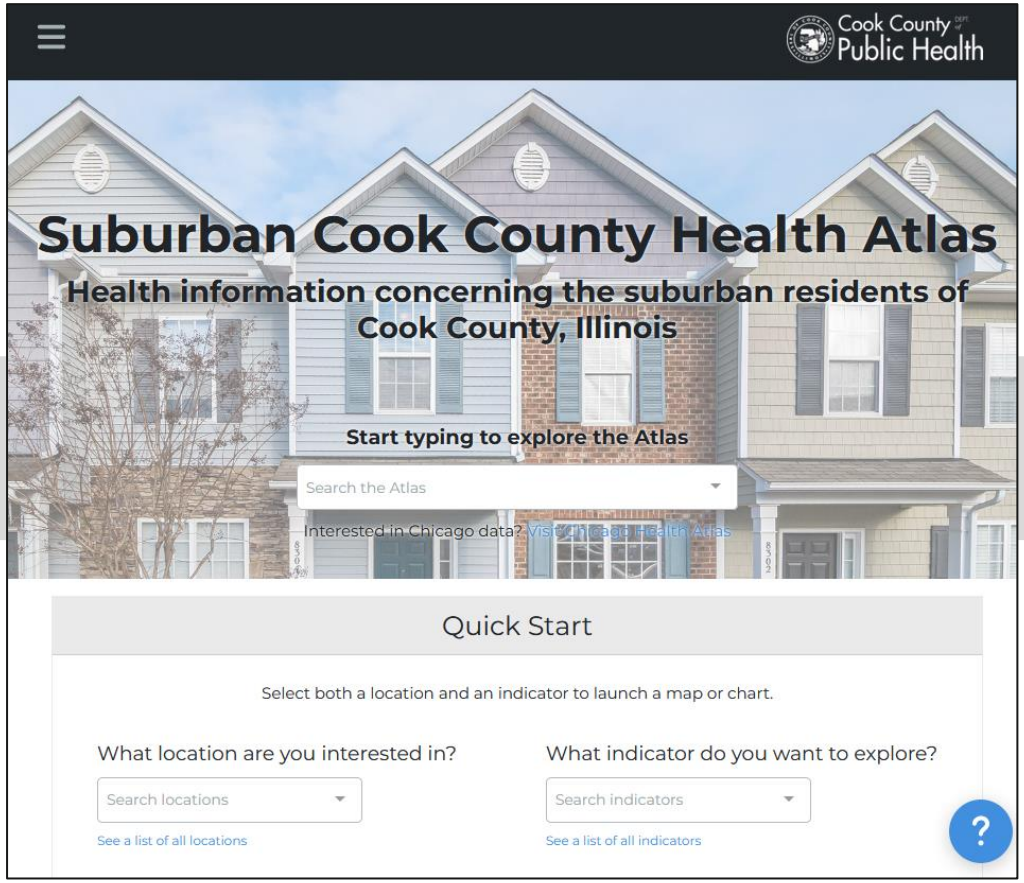

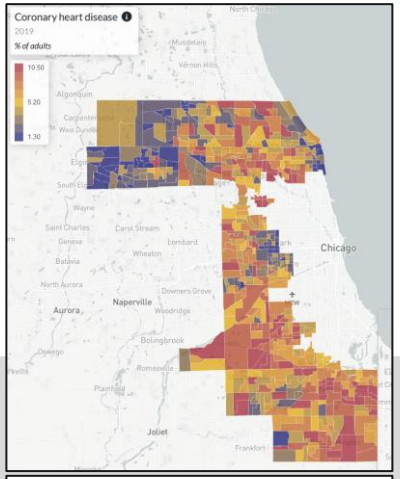

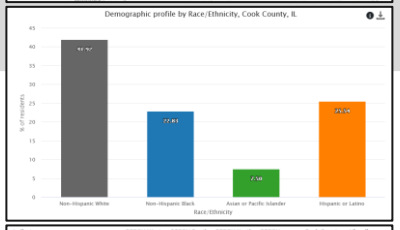

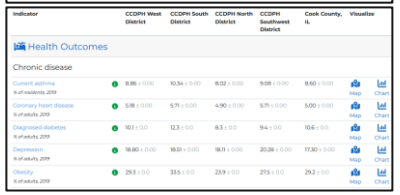

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HEALTH INDICATOR CATEGORIES

Indicators on the health atlas are organized into six primary categories.

HEALTH OUTCOMES

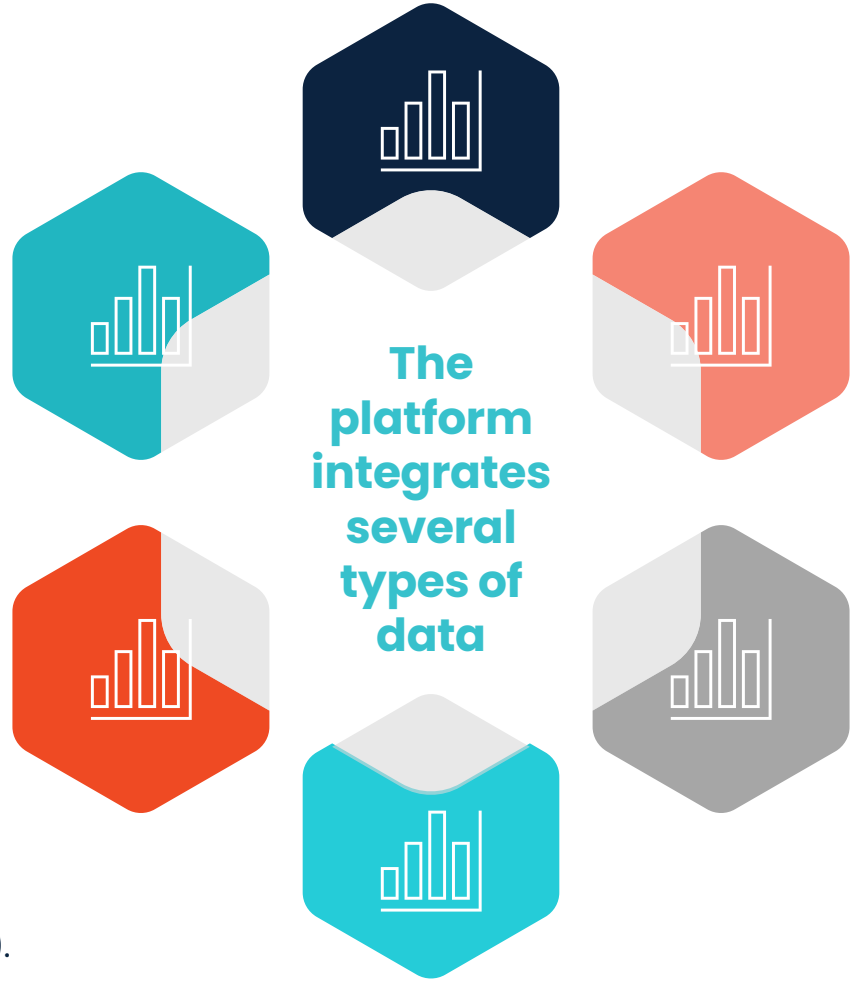
Consequences, complications and other outcomes that result from disease (e.g., injury, hospitalization, death).

HEALTH BEHAVIORS

Individual activities that influence health (e.g., alcohol, drug and tobacco use; diet, physical activity, sleep).

HEALTH CARE

Systems and services for administering care (e.g., health screenings; primary, prenatal and dental care; clinics, hospitals, FQHCs).



DEMOGRAPHICS

Population characteristics including community size, composition and structure (e.g., population, age, gender, race/ethnicity, migration).

SOCIOECONOMIC

Social and economic factors that can affect health (e.g., income, employment, education, segregation).

PHYSICAL ENVIRONMENT

Characteristics of the places where individuals where individuals live, learn, work, and play (e.g., parks, housing, air quality, water quality and transportation)

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HEALTH ATLAS FIRST YEAR DATA RELEASE TIMELINE

The atlas will be continually updated with the latest public health information for suburban Cook County. The rollout of the data over the first year will proceed in four phases. With each phase, the Epi Unit will reach out to other CCDPH units, the county and community-based contacts for data requests and feedback.

01

PHASE ONE (August 2022)

Select indicators from CCDPH's latest Community Health Status Assessment; Social Vulnerability; Other Indices; Communicable disease prevalence; Opioid deaths; CDC PLACES

02

PHASE TWO (October 2022)

2013 to 2020 birth and death rates; Environmental justice screening data

03

PHASE THREE (December 2022)

2018 to 2020 hospitalization inpatient and outpatient data

04

PHASE FOUR (April 2023)

2022 Suburban Cook County Health Survey data

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COVID-19 VACCINATION & OUTREACH UPDATE

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Unvaccinated patients are

17 times

more likely to be hospitalized and

20 times

more likely to die than vaccinated individuals with a booster shot

The US Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

To learn more visit

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Los pacientes no vacunados tienen

17 veces

más probabilidades de ser hospitalizados y

20 veces

más probabilidades de morir que las personas vacunadas con una vacuna de refuerzo (booster).

Los Centros para el Control y la Prevención de Enfermedades de los Estados Unidos

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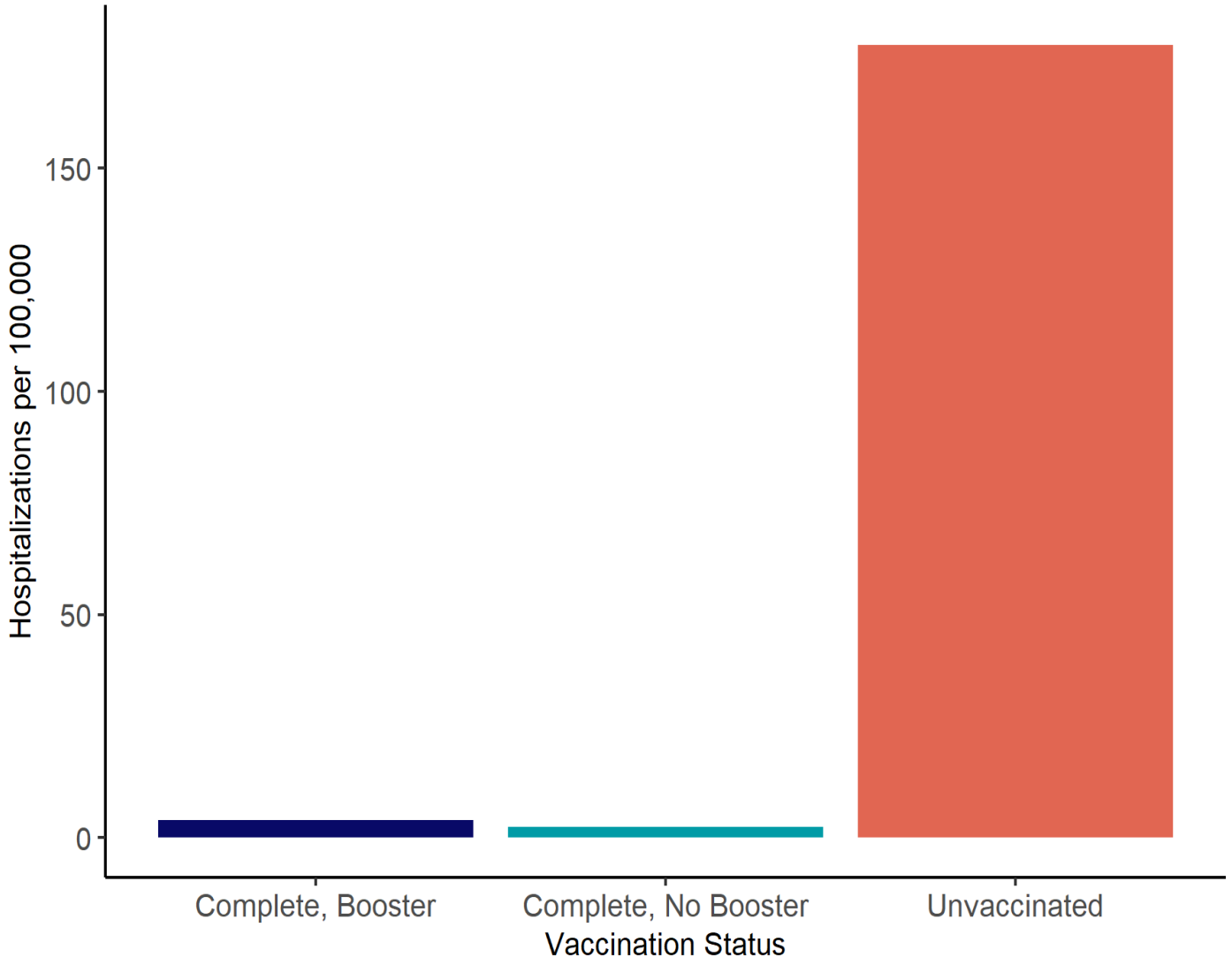
Current* Age-Adjusted Hospitalization Rates



*Data reported to Cook County Department of Public Health, 2022-06-19 through 2022-06-25

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WHO IS MOST AT-RISK FOR SEVERE COVID-19?

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Anyone:

- 65 years old or older
- overweight/obese (BMI >25 or ≥ 30)
- who is immunocompromised
- who smokes or previously smoked
- who is pregnant

Anyone with:

- Cancer
- Chronic Kidney Disease
- Chronic Liver Disease
- Chronic Lung Disease
- Dementia/Neurodegenerative Disorders
- Diabetes
- Down's Syndrome
- Heart Disease
- HIV
- Mental Health Conditions
- Sickle Cell Disease/Thallasemia
- Solid Organ or Stem Cell Transplant
- Substance Use Disorders
- Tuberculosis

If you test positive for COVID-19 and have one or more health conditions that increase your risk of becoming very sick, treatment may be available. Contact a health professional right away after a positive test to determine if you may be eligible for treatment, even if your symptoms are mild right now.

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¿QUIÉN TIENE MÁS RIESGO DE TENER COVID-19 GRAVE?

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Cualquier persona:

- mayor de 65 años;
- que tenga sobrepeso u obesidad (IMC >25 o ≥ 30);
- que esté inmunodeprimida;
- que fume o haya fumado anteriormente;
- que esté embarazada.

Cualquier persona con:

- cáncer
- enfermedad renal crónica
- enfermedad hepática crónica
- enfermedad pulmonar crónica
- demencia o trastornos neurodegenerativos
- diabetes
- síndrome de Down
- enfermedades cardíacas
- VIH
- condiciones de salud mental
- anemia de células falciformes o talasemia
- trasplante de órganos sólidos o células madre
- trastornos por consumo de sustancias
- tuberculosis

Si el resultado de su prueba de COVID-19 es positiva y tiene una o más condiciones de salud que aumentan su riesgo de estar muy enfermo, puede haber un tratamiento disponible. Póngase en contacto con un profesional de la salud inmediatamente después de un resultado positivo de una prueba para determinar si puede ser elegible para tratamiento, incluso si sus síntomas son leves en este momento.

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There are several simple, yet effective things each of us can do to make a difference in the fight against COVID-19. Together we can end the COVID pandemic by practicing these basic prevention tips.

7 THINGS YOU CAN DO

get vaxxed	COVID-19 vaccines are safe, effective, and free. Everyone 5 years and older is eligible for a COVID vaccine. Find free vaccines and boosters.
get boosted	Booster shots are recommended for everyone ages 12 and up, especially seniors 65+ years old and people with certain conditions.
get tested	Testing can tell you if you're at risk of spreading COVID-19. Consider using a self-test before joining indoor gatherings with others who live outside your household. Find free self-test kits (covid.gov).
get treated	There are medications that can treat people at high risk of severe illness, to help prevent hospitalization and death. Contact your doctor as soon as you develop symptoms and/or test positive for COVID-19, to see if you are eligible for treatment. Treatments work best when started early.
wear a mask	Any mask is better than no mask. Wear the most protective mask you can that fits well and that you will wear consistently to prevent COVID from spreading, especially if you are at high-risk. Find free masks (CDC).
watch your distance	Avoid crowded spaces and people who are sick. Stay home if you are sick. If you are not up-to-date on vaccines, maintain 6 feet from others, especially if you or others nearby are at increased risk of severe illness.
wash your hands	Wash hands often with soap and water for 20 seconds. Use hand sanitizer with at least 60% alcohol if soap and water are unavailable.

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Hay varias cosas sencillas, pero eficaces, que cada uno de nosotros puede hacer para marcar la diferencia en la lucha contra la COVID-19. Juntos podemos acabar con la pandemia de COVID practicando estos consejos básicos de prevención.

7 COSAS QUE PUEDE HACER

vacúnese	Las vacunas contra la COVID-19 son seguras, eficaces y gratuitas. Todas las personas de 5 años o más pueden recibir la vacuna contra la COVID. Encuentre vacunas y refuerzos gratuitos.
obtenga un refuerzo	Las vacunas de refuerzo se recomiendan a partir de los 12 años, especialmente a los mayores de 65 años y a las personas con ciertas afecciones.
hágase la prueba	Las pruebas pueden indicarle si tiene riesgo de propagar la COVID-19. Considere la posibilidad de realizar un autodiagnóstico antes de participar en reuniones en interiores con otras personas que no viven en su casa. Encuentre kits de autodiagnóstico gratuitos (covid.gov).
obtenga tratamiento	Hay medicamentos que pueden tratar a las personas con alto riesgo de enfermedad grave para ayudar a prevenir la hospitalización y la muerte. Póngase en contacto con su médico tan pronto como desarrolle síntomas o tenga un resultado positivo en la prueba de la COVID-19, para ver si es elegible para recibir tratamiento. Los tratamientos funcionan mejor cuando se inician pronto.
use una mascarilla	Cualquier mascarilla es mejor que ninguna. Use la mascarilla más protectora que pueda, que se ajuste bien y que vaya a usar constantemente para evitar la propagación de COVID, especialmente si está en alto riesgo. Encuentre mascarillas gratuitas (CDC).
vigile su distancia	Evite espacios concurridos y personas enfermas. Quédese en casa si está enfermo. Si no está al día con las vacunas, manténgase a 6 pies de distancia de los demás, especialmente si usted u otras personas cercanas corren un mayor riesgo de sufrir una enfermedad grave.
lávese las manos	Lávese las manos a menudo con agua y jabón durante 20 segundos. Utilice desinfectante de manos con al menos el 60 % de alcohol si no se dispone de agua y jabón.

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Covid-19 Vaccination

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Four FDA Approved Covid-19 Vaccines

Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine

- First ever mRNA vaccine, allowed for rapid development, two doses 21 days
- Requires ultra-cold (-80C to -60C) storage, must be used within 6 hours after thawing
- Side effects included: injection site pain, fever, fatigue, headache, muscle aches
- Vaccines for people over the age of 5 and boosters Boosters for those age 12 and over.

Moderna-NIH COVID-19 Vaccine

- Second mRNA vaccine, two doses 28 days apart, no ultra-cold storage required
- Side effects included: injection site pain, fatigue, headache, muscle pain, join pain
- Two doses confer 94% efficacy overall against symptomatic COVID-19
- Some evidence of protection against asymptomatic COVID-19
- Vaccines and Boosters for people over the age of 18.

Johnson & Johnson Vaccine

- Single dose vaccine, approved on February 26, 2021
- Vaccines and Boosters for people over the age of 18.

Novovax Vaccine

- FDA committee approval 6/7/22
- Waiting on official FDA approval, CDC recommendation, and distribution updates by IDPH

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CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL AND PREVENTION

FDA

CDC Recommends Additional Boosters for Certain Individuals

Additional boosters of Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine or Moderna COVID-19 Vaccine are now authorized by the FDA and approved by the CDC. CDC's updated guidance states:

- People ages 12 years and older who are moderately or severely immunocompromised may choose to receive a **second** booster dose using an mRNA COVID-19 vaccine at least 4 months after the first booster dose. *Note only Pfizer is approved in ages 12-17 years - Moderna is approved for 18+

- **Adults ages 50 years and older** who are not moderately or severely immunocompromised may choose to receive a **second** booster dose using an mRNA COVID-19 vaccine at least 4 months after the first booster dose

- People ages 18–49 years who are not moderately or severely immunocompromised and who received Janssen COVID-19 Vaccine as *both their primary series dose and booster dose* may receive a **second** booster dose using an mRNA COVID-19 vaccine at least 4 months after the first Janssen booster dose

Pediatric Vaccinations

- The FDA and CDC recently approved the Pfizer and Moderna COVID-19 vaccines for children 6 months through 4 years. Vaccines for young children are available at all CCH health centers.

- Low rates of vaccination

- Boosters approved 5-11 years last by FDA then CDC

- Pfizer media statement:
  - *Three doses of the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine met all immunobridging criteria required for Emergency Use Authorization*
  - *The third 3-µg dose was well tolerated among 1,678 children under 5 years of age with a safety profile similar to placebo*
  - *Vaccine efficacy of 80.3% was observed in descriptive analysis of three doses during a time when Omicron was the predominant variant*

- Waiting for information on pediatric vaccine rollout now planned for June with <5 yr by Pfizer and Moderna <6 years

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FREQUENTLY ASKED QUESTIONS: THE COVID-19 VACCINE FOR KIDS

The Pfizer COVID-19 vaccine has been approved for all children age 5 and older. The vaccine is free for everyone, both kids and adults. You don't need to show proof of insurance or immigration to receive it. Below are answers to parents' most frequently asked questions about getting their kids vaccinated.

SHOULD MY CHILD GET THE COVID-19 VACCINE?

Yes. Studies found the Pfizer COVID-19 vaccine to be safe and 90% effective in preventing symptomatic infection in kids ages 5-11 in clinical trials.

The vaccine helps prevent kids from getting COVID-19. While COVID-19 can be milder in kids than in adults, some kids will become very sick and require hospitalization. Kids can also have post-COVID complications or long-lasting symptoms.

By getting vaccinated, kids are less likely to get sick, allowing them to stay in school and participate in the things they enjoy. The vaccine also helps reduce the spread of COVID-19. The COVID-19 vaccine can protect kids and others around them.

If we want children to return to school, sports and social activities as safely as possible, they should be vaccinated against COVID-19. It is our best chance at getting back to normal.

HOW DOES THE VACCINE DOSAGE DIFFER FROM ADULTS?

For kids, the Pfizer vaccine dosage will be smaller, one-third of the adolescent and adult dosage. The needle being used will also be smaller.

Kids' immune systems are more sensitive than adults' so even with the smaller dose, their body will create a strong immune response.

Like adults and adolescents, kids ages 5- 11 will be fully vaccinated after two shots, given 21 days apart.

WHAT ARE THE SIDE EFFECTS OF THE COVID-19 VACCINE?

Young kids will generally experience similar but less severe side effects from the COVID-19 vaccine than adolescents or adults, says the FDA. Kids were far less likely to develop fever or chills after the vaccine than older kids or adults and overall their side effects were more mild.

WHEN WILL KIDS YOUNGER THAN 5 YEARS OLD BE ABLE TO GET THE VACCINE?

Right now, Pfizer is conducting clinical trials for its vaccine for kids as young as 6 months old. The trials for kids are split into three age groups: 5-11, 2-5, and 6 months to 2 years old.

Pfizer has said results from the clinical trials for kids under 5 could come as soon as the end of the year with federal review and approval hopefully a month or two later.

WHERE CAN MY CHILD GET THE COVID-19 VACCINE?

All Cook County Health sites will be offering the vaccine. To find hours and a site closest to you, visit **myshotcookcounty.com**. You can make an appointment or walk in.

The COVID-19 vaccine will continue to be offered in most physician offices. We know that families build trust with their pediatrician, particularly when it comes to vaccinations. Parents are encouraged to reach out to their family doctor with questions.

For full details, including weekend hours, or to make an appointment visit **myshotcookcounty.com** or call **833-308-1988**.

THE THINGS YOU CAN DO SERIES

Protect yourself and others from COVID-19

GET VACCINATED & BOOSTED.

Getting vaccinated is a very simple, yet effective thing each of us can do to make a difference in the fight against COVID-19. COVID vaccines are safe, effective and free to all, regardless of insurance or immigration status.

Vaccination continues to be our best weapon against COVID. COVID vaccines are safe and effective. They cannot give you COVID and will not affect or interact with your DNA. Getting vaccinated will protect you and others from severe symptoms or complications from COVID that could lead to missed work or school, lost income or benefit time, hospitalization or death.

The CDC recommends COVID vaccines for everyone ages 5 years and older. You are considered **fully vaccinated** two weeks after receiving the second dose in a two-shot series, such as the Pfizer-BioNTech or Moderna vaccines, or two weeks after a single-dose vaccine, such as the J&J/Janssen vaccine.

You are considered up to date after receiving all recommended COVID-19 vaccines, including any booster dose(s) when eligible. Everyone ages 12 years and older is eligible to get a COVID-19 booster dose 5 months after being fully vaccinated. Adults ages 50 and older and some immunocompromised individuals are also now eligible to get a second booster dose at least 4 months after their first booster.

21X

During the recent Omicron surge, those who were boosted were 21-times less likely to die from COVID-19 compared to those who were unvaccinated, and 7-times less likely to be hospitalized.

Source: CDC MMWR, as of 03/29/22. bit.ly/3DWvsUh.

Find a vaccination site near you. Visit myshotcookcounty.com.

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Protéjase a usted mismo y a los demás de la COVID-19

VACUNARSE Y RECIBIR REFUERZOS.

Vacunarse es algo muy sencillo, pero eficaz, que cada uno de nosotros puede hacer y que hace la diferencia en la lucha contra la COVID-19. Las vacunas contra la COVID son seguras, eficaces y gratuitas para todos, independientemente del seguro o de la situación migratoria.

La vacunación sigue siendo nuestra mejor arma contra la COVID. Las vacunas contra la COVID son seguras y eficaces. No le hacen contraer COVID y no afectarán ni interactuarán con su ADN. Vacunarse lo protegerá a usted y a otras personas de síntomas graves o de complicaciones de la COVID que podrían llevar a faltar al trabajo o a la escuela, a la pérdida de ingresos o de prestaciones, a la hospitalización o a la muerte.

Los Centros para el Control y la Prevención de Enfermedades (Centers for Disease Control, CDC) recomiendan las vacunas contra la COVID para todas las personas mayores de 5 años. Se considera que usted está **totalmente vacunado** dos semanas después de recibir la segunda dosis de una serie de dos vacunas, como las de Pfizer-BioNTech o Moderna, o dos semanas después de una vacuna de dosis única, como la de J&J/Janssen.

Se considera que está al día después de recibir todas las vacunas contra la COVID-19 recomendadas, incluso cualquier dosis de refuerzo cuando sea elegible. Todas las personas mayores de 12 años pueden recibir una dosis de refuerzo contra la COVID-19 5 meses después de haber sido vacunadas completamente. Adultos de 50 años o más y algunas personas inmunodeprimidas también son ahora elegibles para recibir una segunda dosis de refuerzo al menos 4 meses después de su primer refuerzo.

21X

Durante la reciente oleada de ómicron, los que se vacunaron tuvieron 21 veces menos probabilidades de morir debido a COVID-19 en comparación con los que no se vacunaron, y 7 veces menos probabilidades de ser hospitalizados.

Fuente: CDC, Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report (MMWR), a partir del 29 mar 2022. bit.ly/3DWvsUh.

Encuentre un centro de vacunación cerca de usted. Visite myshotcookcounty.com.

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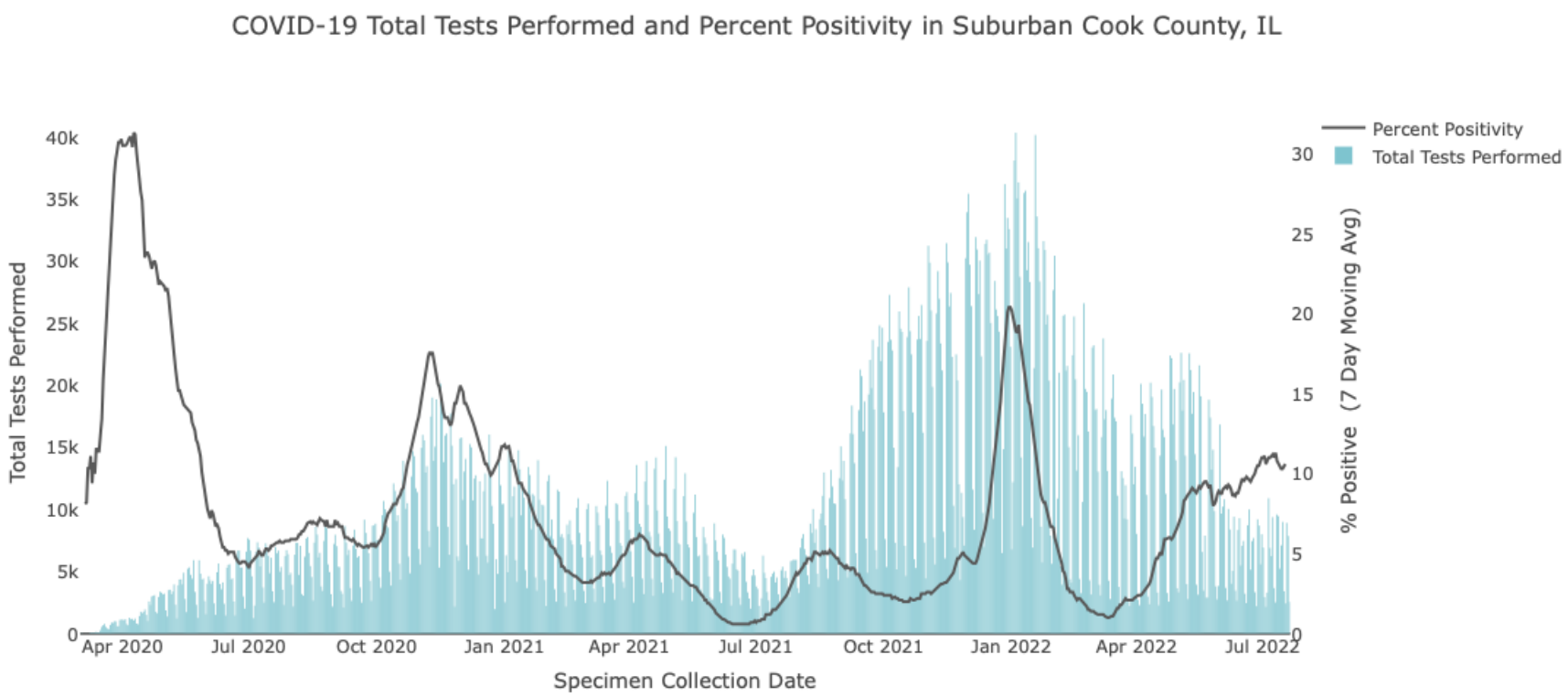
Case Data



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Vaccination Data

As of July 22, 2022:

COVID-19 Vaccines Administered to Suburban Cook County Residents

2,018,262 People with at least one vaccine dose	**1,528,893** People with complete vaccine series	**704,804** Fully vaccinated people with a booster
88.2% Percent of total population with at least one vaccine	**66.8%** Percent of total population with complete vaccine	**46.1%** Percent of fully vaccinated with booster

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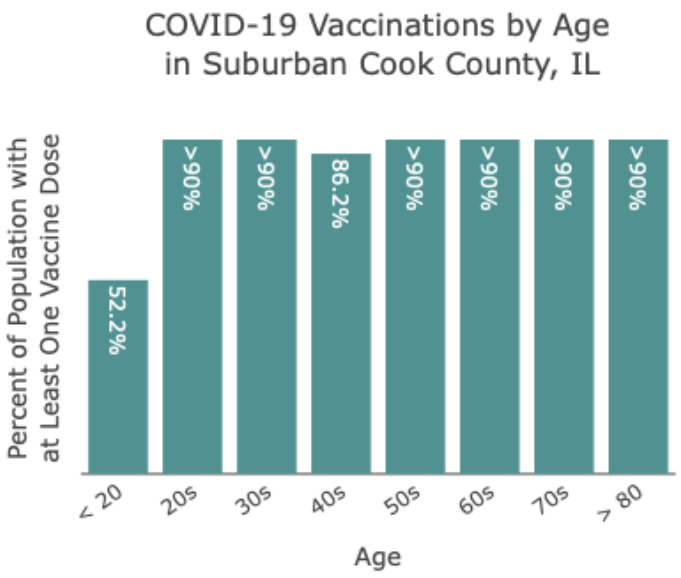
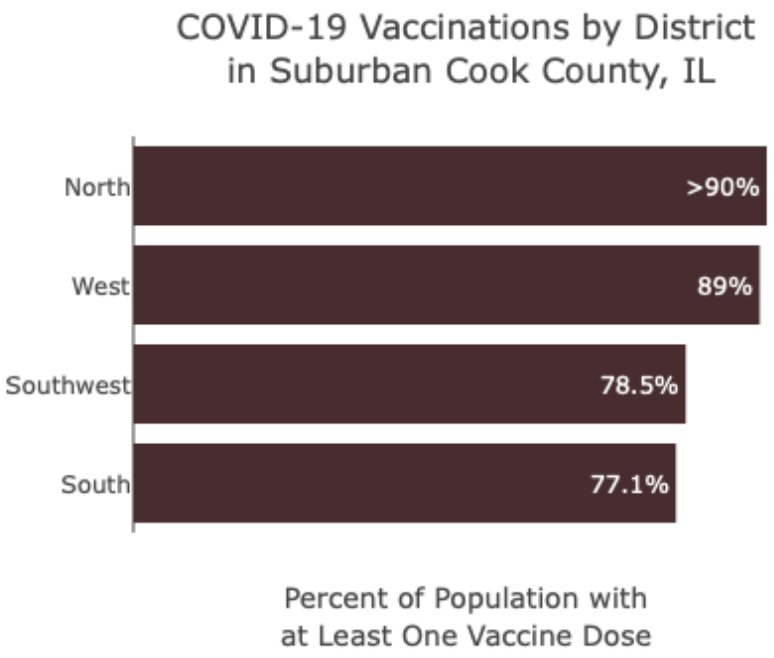
Vaccination by Age & Location





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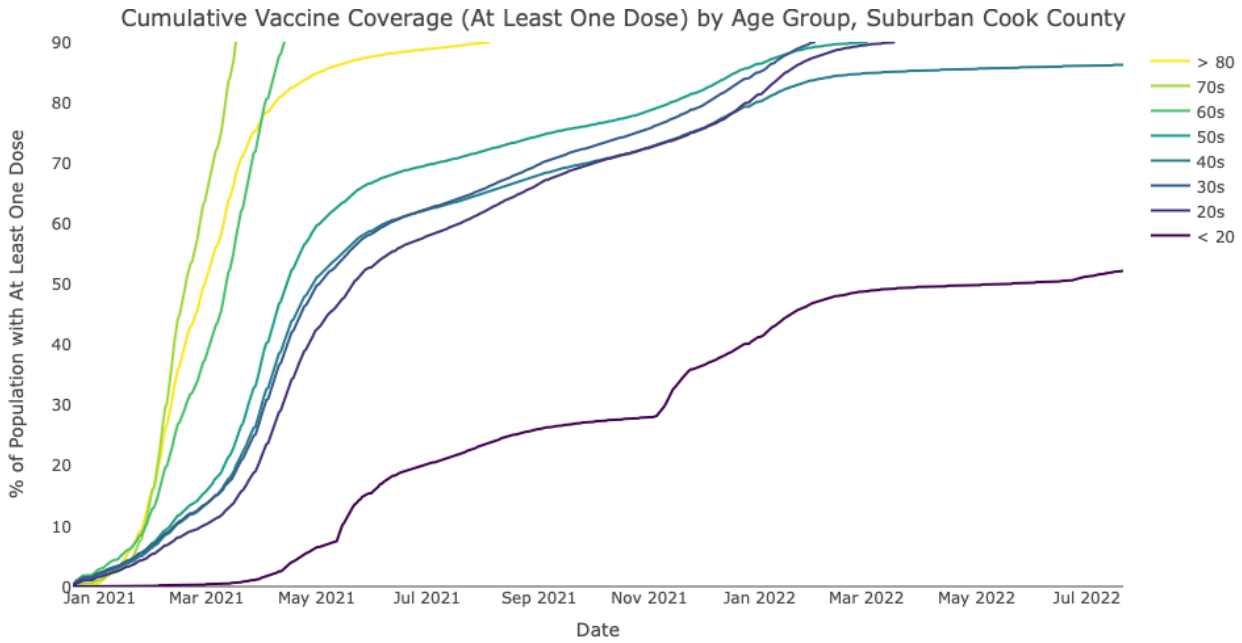
Vaccination by Age

Over 90% of residents aged 65 and older have completed a vaccine series.
For residents aged 16 to 18, 84.2% have at least one dose of vaccine; 59.6% have completed a vaccine series.
For residents aged 12 to 15, 75.7% have at least one dose of vaccine; 53.8% have completed a vaccine series.
For residents aged 5 to 11, **47.8%** have at least one dose of vaccine; **37.4%** have completed a vaccine series.
For residents aged 0 to 4, **5.9%** have at least one dose of vaccine; **1.1%** have completed a vaccine series.



Vaccination Data by Municipality

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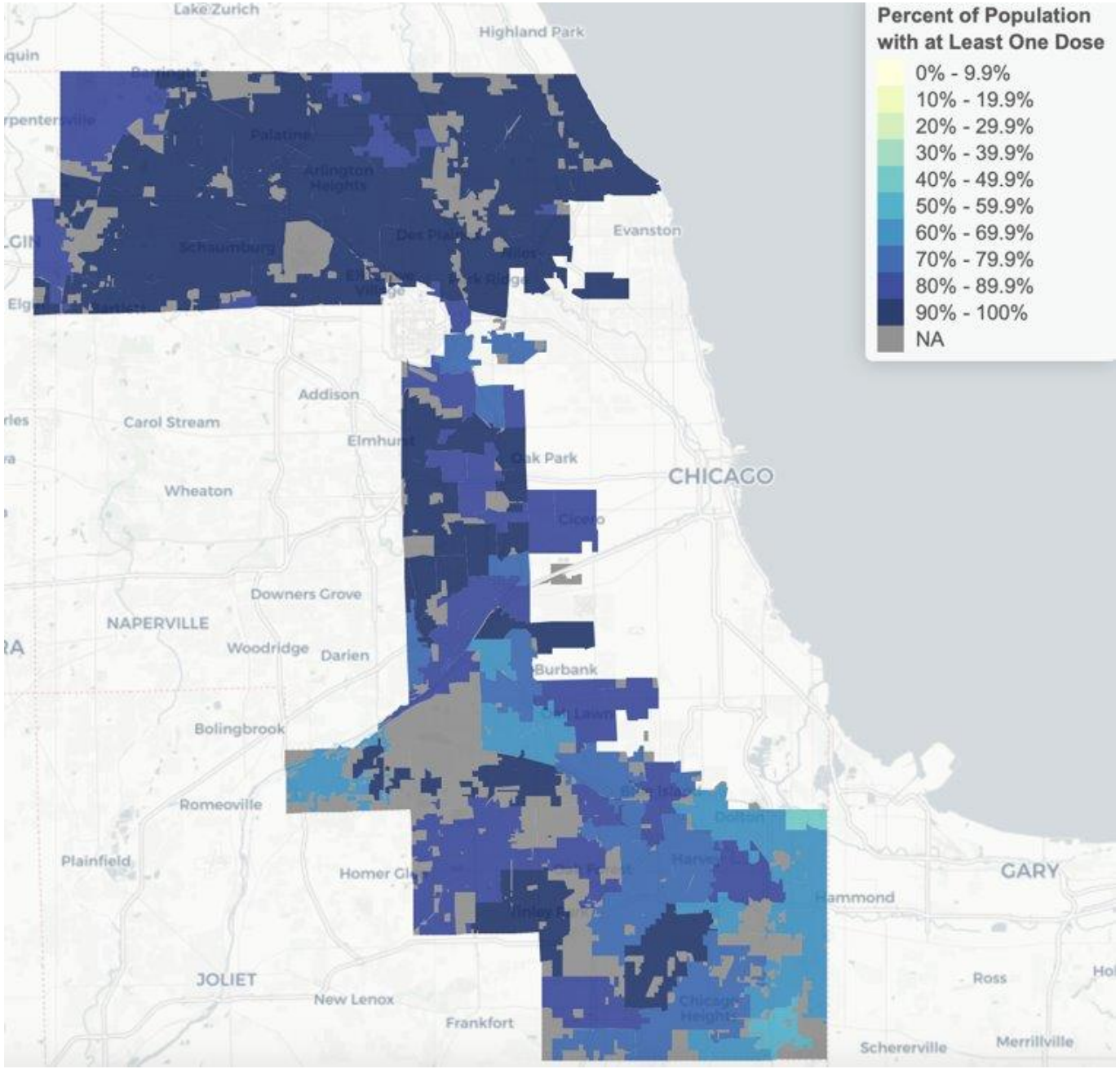

Vaccination Data by Municipality

Municipality	COVID-19 Cases	Rate per 100,000 People	Recent Percent Change in Cases	Percent of Population with at Least One COVID-19 Vaccine Dose	Percent of Population with Complete COVID-19 Vaccine Series
Burnham	936	23134	167	48.6	32.1
Sauk Village	2189	22064	21	56	39.6
Lemont	3230	18331	83	60.2	47.3
Justice	2928	23238	34	61	45.8
Ford Heights	403	22228		61.8	42
Riverdale	2564	24046	21	62.2	44.5
Lynwood	2189	24013	31	65.3	50.2
Calumet City	8454	23462	77	65.5	47.6
Lansing	7261	24972	44	65.7	48.8
Steger	898	21807		65.7	49.8

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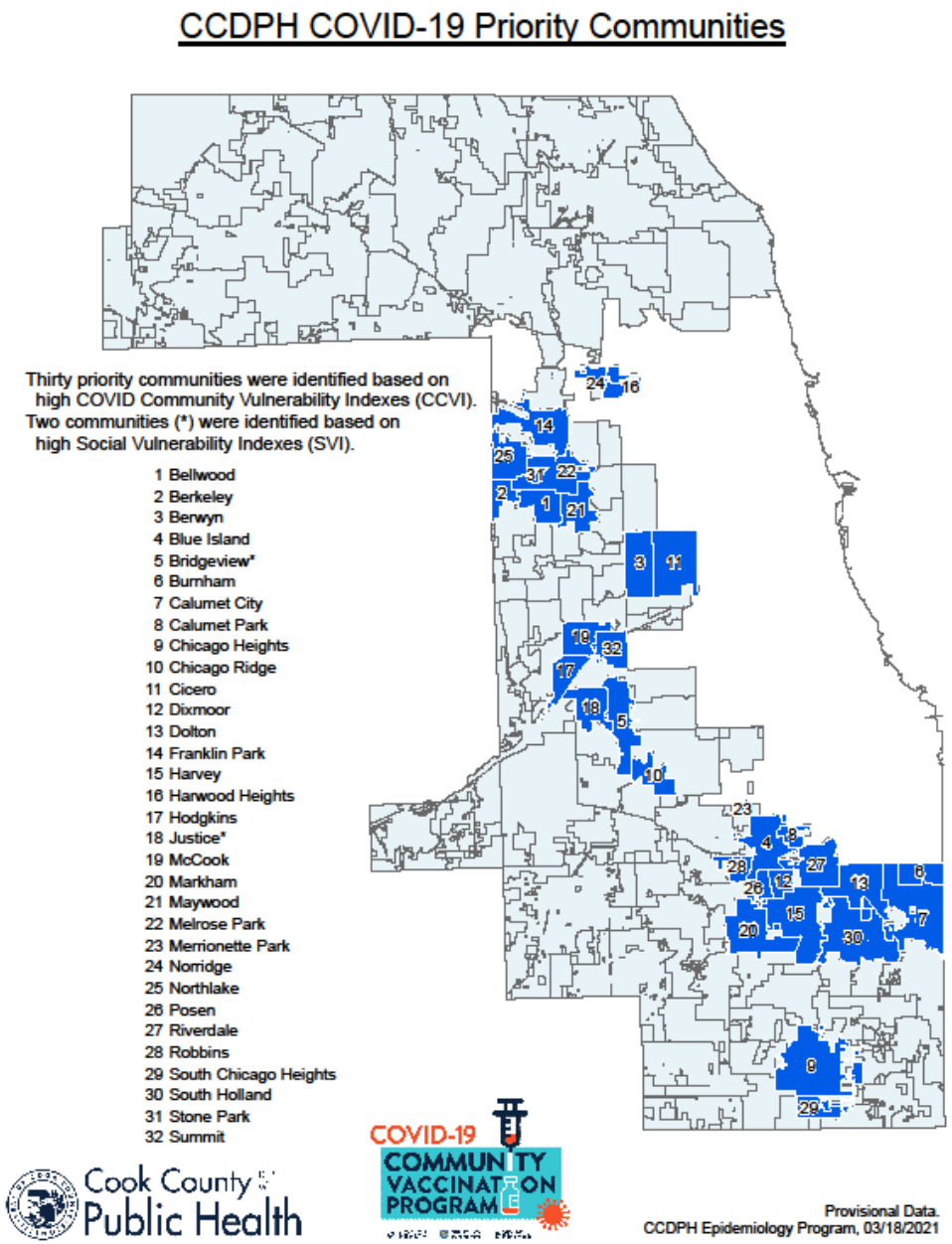
Vaccination Equity



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How do I get Vaccinated?

Several ways to set-up your appointments!

Visit & sign-up:

- **Suburban Cook County**
  - vaccine.cookcountyil.gov
- **City of Chicago**
  - https://www.zocdoc.com/vaccine
- **State of Illinois**
  - https://coronavirus.illinois.gov/s/vaccination-location

Call Center is available for individuals without internet or more comfortable on the phone:

- 833-308-1988
- **Monday – Friday: 7am - 7pm CT**
- **Spanish Speaking operators available**

Everyone Welcome! Walk-In!!

Get Vaccinated

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1-833-308-1988

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City of Chicago Covid Response Center

- **Provides general information on the City's programs**
  - https://chicago.gov/coronavirus

- **Chi COVID Coach**
  1. **Helps determine Symptoms,**
  2. **Testing Information, and**
  3. **Vaccination Registration**
  4. Chi COVID Coach (chicago.gov)

- **Make Appointments Through ZocDoc**
  - https://www.zocdoc.com/vaccine
  - or call:1-312-746-4835

- **Chicago Vaccination Sites**
  - https://www.chicago.gov/content/dam/city/sites/covid-19-vaccine/Documents/COVIDVax-FAQ.pdf

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GET YOUR COVID-19 VACCINE
WITH COOK COUNTY HEALTH!

First, second and booster shots available.
Appointments required. Children under 18 must be accompanied by an adult.

**TO MAKE AN APPOINTMENT,
VISIT VACCINE.COOKCOUNTYIL.GOV OR CALL 833-308-1988.**

JOHN H. STROGER, JR. HOSPITAL OF COOK COUNTY
LOWER LEVEL, CAFETERIA
1969 W. OGDEN AVENUE, CHICAGO
MONDAY- SATURDAY: 7AM - 5PM

PROVIDENT HOSPITAL OF COOK COUNTY
SENGSTACKE HEALTH CENTER
500 E. 51ST ST., 6TH FLOOR, CHICAGO
MONDAY - FRIDAY: 8AM - 3:30PM

ARLINGTON HEIGHTS HEALTH CENTER
3250 N. ARLINGTON HEIGHTS RD.,
SUITE 300, ARLINGTON HEIGHTS
MONDAY,WEDNESDAY: 8AM - 5PM
TUESDAY,THURSDAY,FRIDAY: 8AM - 3PM
EVERY SECOND AND FOURTH SATURDAY: 8AM - 3PM

BLUE ISLAND HEALTH CENTER
12757 S. WESTERN AVE., BLUE ISLAND
MONDAY,WEDNESDAY: 8AM - 5:30PM
TUESDAY,THURSDAY,FRIDAY: 8AM - 3:30PM
EVERY FIRST AND THIRD SATURDAY: 8AM - 3:30PM

NORTH RIVERSIDE HEALTH CENTER
1800 S. HARLEM AVE.,
SUITE A, NORTH RIVERSIDE
MONDAY,WEDNESDAY: 8AM - 3:30PM
TUESDAY: 8AM - 5:30PM
THURSDAY: 7AM - 4:30PM
FRIDAY: 7AM - 3:30PM
EVERY FIRST AND THIRD SATURDAY: 8AM - 3:30PM

Learn more at myshotcookcounty.com

EFFECTIVE JULY 16, 2022

Vaccines for all ages 6 months and older. Booster shots recommended for ages 5+.

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¡VACÚNESE CONTRA EL COVID-19
EN COOK COUNTY HEALTH!

Tenemos disponibles la primera y segunda dosis de la vacuna y las vacunas de refuerzo.
Se requieren citas. Los niños menores de 18 años deben estar acompañados por un adulto.

**PARA HACER UNA CITA,
VISITE VACCINE.COOKCOUNTYIL.GOV O LLAME AL 833-308-1988.**

HOSPITAL JOHN H. STROGER, JR. DEL CONDADO DE COOK
PLANTA INFERIOR, CAFETERÍA
1969 W. OGDEN AVENUE, CHICAGO
LUNES-SÁBADO: 7AM - 5PM

HOSPITAL PROVIDENT DEL CONDADO DE COOK
CENTRO DE SALUD SENGSTACKE
500 E. 51ST ST., 6TO PISO, CHICAGO
LUNES - VIERNES: 8AM - 3:30PM

CENTRO DE SALUD DE ARLINGTON HEIGHTS
3250 N. ARLINGTON HEIGHTS RD.,
SUITE 300, ARLINGTON HEIGHTS
LUNES, MIÉRCOLES: 8AM - 5PM
MARTES, JUEVES, VIERNES: 8AM - 3PM
CADA SEGUNDO Y CUARTO SÁBADO: 8AM - 3PM

CENTRO DE SALUD DE BLUE ISLAND
12757 S. WESTERN AVE., BLUE ISLAND
LUNES, MIÉRCOLES: 8AM - 5:30PM
MARTES, JUEVES, VIERNES: 8AM - 3:30PM
CADA PRIMER Y TERCER SÁBADO: 8AM - 3:30PM

CENTRO DE SALUD DE NORTH RIVERSIDE
1800 S. HARLEM AVE.,
SUITE A, NORTH RIVERSIDE
LUNES, MIÉRCOLES: 8AM - 3:30PM
MARTES: 8AM - 5:30PM
JUEVES: 7AM - 4:30PM
VIERNES: 7AM - 3:30PM
CADA PRIMER Y TERCER SÁBADO: 8AM - 3:30PM

Obtenga más información en myshotcookcounty.com

EFECTIVO EL 16 DE JULIO DE 2022

Vacunas para todas las edades a partir de los 6 meses. Vacunas de refuerzo ("boosters") recomendadas para las personas mayores de 5 años.

Homebound Vaccination!

THE THINGS YOU CAN DO SUMMER 2022 SERIES

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Protect yourself and others from COVID-19

GET VAXXED & BOOSTED AT HOME

Get vaccinated for free at home if you live in suburban Cook County* and are eligible to be vaccinated (1st, 2nd and 3rd doses) or boosted.

Vaccinations are recommended for everyone 6 months and older. Boosters are recommended for everyone 5 years and older.

SIGN UP FOR IN-HOME VACCINATION

- **Call our hotline at 833-309-1988**
  Hotline hours are Monday-Friday, 7 a.m. to 10 p.m. and Saturday 8 a.m. to 10 p.m.
- **Apply online at: bit.ly/homevaccine**
  One of our vaccination partners will call you to schedule an appointment. Please be patient while we work through a large number of requests.

For more information, visit bit.ly/vaxathome.

* Excludes Evanston, Oak Park, Skokie and Stickney Township, which have their own health departments.

No puedo salir de casa. ¿Todavía puedo recibir una vacuna contra el COVID?

¡Sí! El Departamento de Salud Pública del Condado de Cook se ha asociado con organizaciones que pueden proporcionar vacunación en el hogar a quienes califiquen.

¿Quién califica para este programa?
Para calificar para este programa, debe ...

tener 65 años o más **O** tiene una discapacidad **O** usar equipo adaptativo *(como un ventilador, muletas, un andador o una silla de ruedas)*

Y...

- ☑ No poder salir de su casa porque es demasiado difícil
- ☑ Vivir en los suburbios del Condado de Cook

Si vive en Chicago, Skokie, Evanston, Oak Park o Stickney, comuníquese con su departamento de salud local para obtener información sobre cómo vacunarse.

Regístrese llamando a nuestra línea directa: 833-308-1988

El horario de la línea directa es de lunes a viernes de 7am a 10pm y los sábados de 8am a 10pm.

O regístrese en línea: http://bit.ly/homevaccine

COVID-19 COMMUNITY VACCINATION PROGRAM

Cuando recibamos su solicitud, trabajaremos para conectarlo con uno de nuestros socios. Lo llamarán para programar una cita. Por favor tenga paciencia mientras trabajamos para atender una gran cantidad de solicitudes.

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FREE Transportation to Vaccination!

“Destination Vaccination”

•A program that provides free rides to many vaccination locations throughout suburban Cook County.

•Enables individuals with limited mobility or transportation issues to easily get vaccinated, removing a key barrier for many residents.

•Advanced scheduling is preferred but can call and ride should arrive between 30 and 60 minutes.

•Residents who need a ride should call the COVID-19 vaccine hotline at 833-308-1988, M-F, 8am-8pm.

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Mobile Clinic Vaccination Requests

Here's how you can host a vaccine event

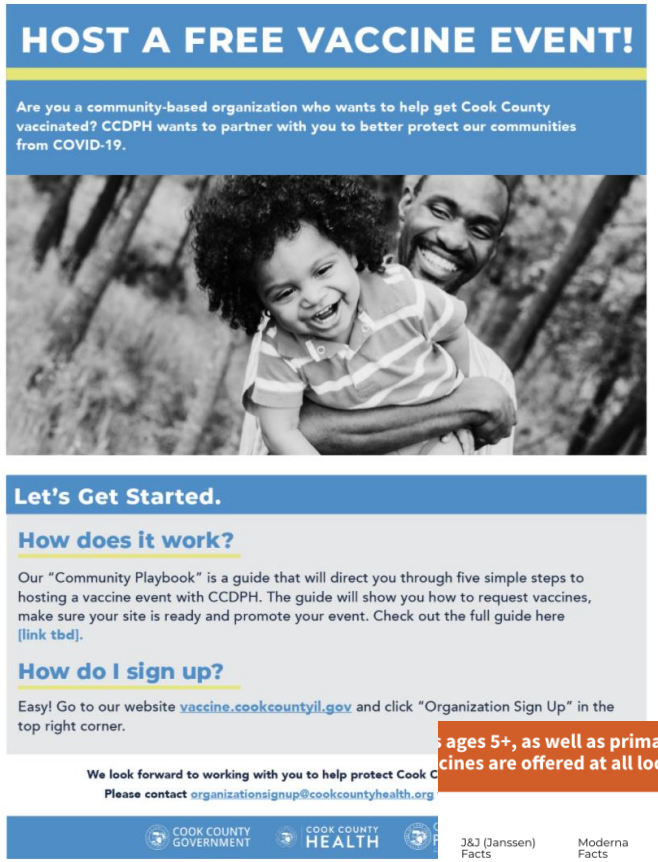
We work with your community organization (adult daycare, community center, employer, senior housing, shelter, place of worship, or other large institution) to organize on-site vaccinations.

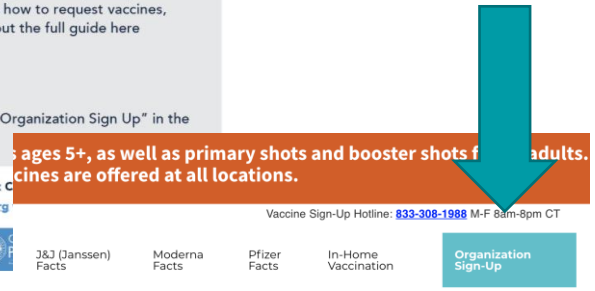
A mobile vaccination unit may be sent to your site to run an onsite vaccination clinic to vaccinate staff/residents/clients.

To qualify for mobile team assistance, you must:

1. Employ or serve individuals within suburban Cook County (excluding Evanston, Skokie, Oak Park, or Stickney Township).
2. Have a secure space to conduct vaccination while maintaining social distancing
3. Support clinics for COVID-19 vaccination doses 1 and 2
4. Support setting up appointments and pre-register staff/clients (if possible).

https://cookcountypublichealth.org/communicable-diseases/covid-19/host-vaccine-event/





https://vaccine.cookcountyil.gov/

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Covid-19 Treatment

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Introduction

- COVID-19 treatments are available for individuals 12 years and older.
- Treatments REDUCE hospitalizations and SAVE lives.
- Treatment must be started as soon as possible (within 5-10 days).
- COVID-19 treatments are being underutilized.
  - Lack of public knowledge
  - Lack of provider knowledge & comfort
  - Confusion about where treatment is available
- There has already been documented a racial/ethnic disparity in those who are receiving COVID-19 treatment.
- We can work together to improve access and utilization of life-saving treatment.

THE THINGS YOU CAN DO SERIES

Protect yourself and others from COVID-19 TEST-TO-TREAT.

There are medications that can be given to people at high risk of severe illness, to help prevent hospitalization or even death. Treatment works best when given early.

If you test positive for COVID-19 and have one or more health conditions that increase your risk of becoming very sick, treatment may be available. Contact a health professional right away after a positive test to determine if you may be eligible, even if your symptoms are mild right now. Don't delay. Treatment must be started within the first few days to be effective.

If you don't have a healthcare provider, contact your health insurance company to find one. If you don't have health insurance, visit a federally qualified health center (FQHC) or free clinic.

A new nationwide Test-to-Treat program will soon give individuals a way to rapidly access free testing and treatment at hundreds of locations nationwide, including Cook County Health. For details, visit: aspr.hhs.gov/TestToTreat.

COVID-19 TREATMENT OPTIONS

MONOCLONAL ANTIBODIES	ORAL ANTIVIRALS	PRE-EXPOSURE PROPHYLAXIS
MONOCLONAL ANTIBODIES INFUSION THERAPIES	ORAL ANTIVIRAL TREATMENTS	PRE-EXPOSURE TREATMENTS
For treating COVID-19 to prevent hospitalization, reduce viral loads, and lessen symptom severity. These are anti-bodies similar to the ones your body would naturally make in response to infection.	For the treatment of mild-to-moderate COVID-19 in adults.	For those not infected with COVID-19, with moderate to severe immune compromise or for whom vaccination is not available due to a history of severe adverse reactions to vaccine components.
• Sotrovimab • Bebtelovimab	• Molnupiravir • Paxlovid	• Evusheld

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Protéjase a usted mismo y a los demás de la COVID-19 TEST-TO-TREAT.

Hay medicamentos que pueden administrarse a personas con alto riesgo de enfermedad grave para ayudar a prevenir la hospitalización o incluso la muerte. El tratamiento funciona mejor cuando se administra de forma temprana.

Si obtiene un resultado positivo en la prueba de la COVID-19 y tiene una o más condiciones de salud que aumentan su riesgo de estar muy enfermo, el tratamiento puede estar disponible. Póngase en contacto con un profesional de la salud inmediatamente después de obtener un resultado positivo en una prueba para determinar si puede ser elegible, incluso si sus síntomas son leves en este momento. No se demore. El tratamiento debe iniciarse en los primeros días para que sea eficaz.

Si no tiene un proveedor de atención médica, póngase en contacto con su compañía de seguros para encontrar uno. Si no tiene seguro médico, acuda a un Centro de Salud Calificado por el Gobierno Federal (federally qualified health center, FQHC) o a una clínica gratuita.

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OPCIONES DE TRATAMIENTO DE LA COVID-19

MONOCLONAL ANTICUERPOS	ORAL ANTIVIRALES	PREEXPOSICIÓN PROFILAXIS
TERAPIAS DE INFUSIÓN DE ANTICUERPOS MONOCLONALES	ANTIVIRALES ORALES TRATAMIENTOS	PREEXPOSICIÓN TRATAMIENTOS
Para tratamiento de la COVID-19 para prevenir la hospitalización, reducir la carga viral, y disminuir los síntomas de la gravedad. Se trata de anticuerpos similares a los que su cuerpo naturalmente hace en respuesta a la infección.	Para tratamiento de la COVID-19 de leve a moderada en adultos.	Para personas no infectadas por COVID-19, con compromiso inmunitario de moderado a grave o para las que la vacunación no está disponible debido a un historial de reacciones adversas graves a los componentes de la vacuna.
• Bebtelovimab • Remdesivir	• Molnupiravir • Paxlovid	• Evusheld

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Finding a Provider

- A physician or other provider is needed to write a prescription or refer for an injection or infusion
- Talk to your primary care physician (PCP)
- If you don't have a PCP, find one covered by your insurance near you
- For those uninsured, there are federally qualified health centers (FQHCs) and free clinics in Cook County
- Cook County Health and pharmacies are working to stand up easy access points to get tested, linked to a provider, and quickly treated
- TEST TO TREAT link: https://aspr.hhs.gov/TestToTreat/Pages/default.aspx

Covid-19 Testing

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Covid-19 Home Testing Kits

- **Order At-Home Covid Tests**
  - Call -- Number 1-800-232-0233**
  - Visit - -https://www.covidtests.gov/
  - Postal Service - COVID Home Tests | USPS - https://special.usps.com/testkits

- **Get Tested at a CCH Site**
  - Stroger, Provident, Arlington Heights, Blue Island, North Riverside
  - Call 312-864-2749 to register for a test
    - Monday-Friday 7:00am-6:00pm and Saturday 7:00am-4:00pm.
  - Visit for more information -- https://cookcountyhealth.org/patients-visitors/covid-19-testing/

- **What to do with the Test Results**
  - Trust a positive (no need to go get a confirmatory PCR)
  - Don't trust a negative especially if:
    - You were exposed
    - You have symptoms
    - Members of your household have COVID
  - It's okay these are not being reported to the state, we are trusting people to do their own isolation and quarantine now.

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GET TESTED FOR COVID-19

WITH COOK COUNTY HEALTH!

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PLEASE CALL 833-308-1988 TO REGISTER FOR A TEST IN ADVANCE.
THE REGISTRATION HOTLINE IS OPEN MONDAY-SATURDAY 7:00AM-4:00PM.

STROGER HOSPITAL
TENT LOCATED IN FRONT OF HOSPITAL
1969 W. OGDEN AVE., CHICAGO
MONDAY, WEDNESDAY: 7:30AM – 5PM
TUESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY: 7:30AM – 4PM

PROVIDENT HOSPITAL
TENT LOCATED IN FRONT OF HOSPITAL
500 E. 51ST ST., CHICAGO
MONDAY - SATURDAY: 7:30AM - 4PM

ARLINGTON HEIGHTS HEALTH CENTER
PARK IN A RESERVED PARKING LOT SPOT
3250 N. ARLINGTON HEIGHTS ROAD, ARLINGTON HEIGHTS
MONDAY, WEDNESDAY: 10AM – 6PM
TUESDAY, THURSDAY, FRIDAY: 8AM – 4PM
EVERY SECOND AND FOURTH SATURDAY: 8AM – 4PM

BLUE ISLAND HEALTH CENTER
PARK IN A RESERVED PARKING LOT SPOT
12757 S. WESTERN AVE., BLUE ISLAND
MONDAY, WEDNESDAY: 8AM – 6PM
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NORTH RIVERSIDE HEALTH CENTER
GO TO THE BACK OF THE BUILDING
1800 S. HARLEM AVE., NORTH RIVERSIDE
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Order Free At-Home Tests

Need help placing an order for your at-home tests?
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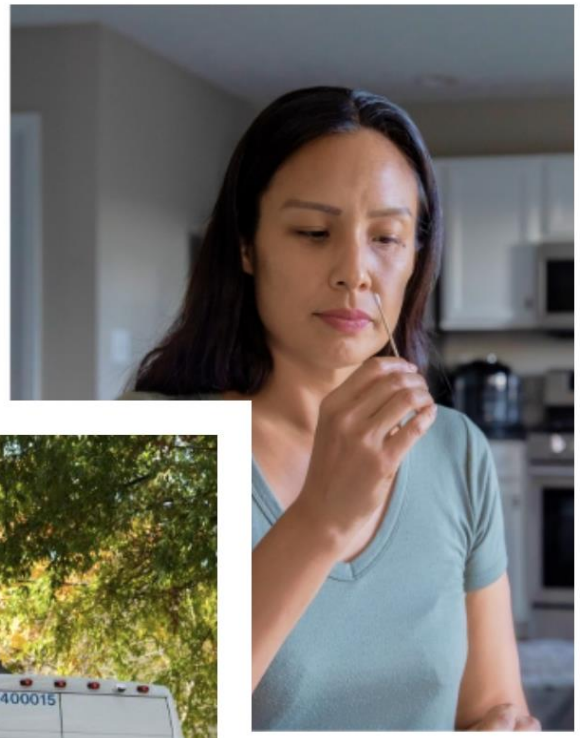

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PROJECT ACT
ACCESS COVID TESTS

The ROCKEFELLER FOUNDATION

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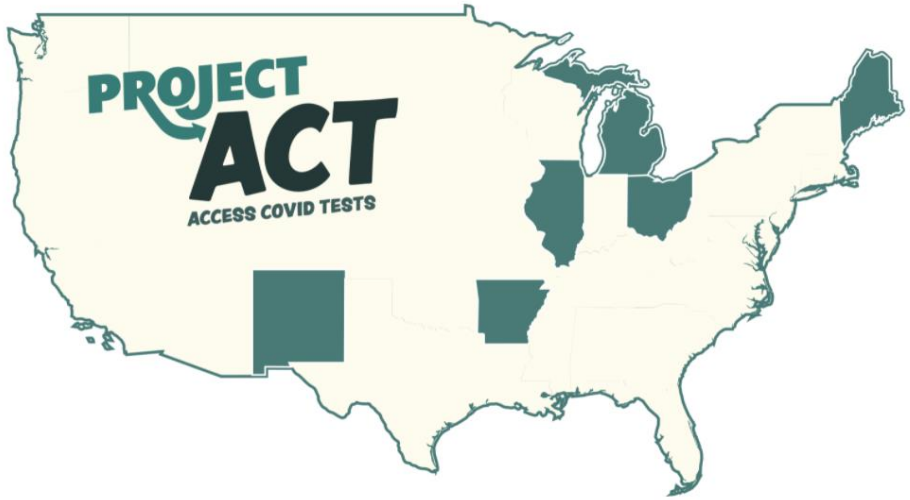
ABOUT TESTING FAQ

Get your **FREE** at-home test kits!

We are offering free, rapid, at-home COVID-19 test kits to residents of eligible communities while supplies last. **Enter your zip code to see if tests are available in your area:**

Enter zip code



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Covid-19 Home Testing Kits

Access to At-Home COVID Tests

There are a number of ways people can access free at-home COVID tests:

- **Anyone with a residential address can order 4 free tests at www.covidtests.gov or by calling (800) 232 – 0233. No immigration status or health insurance information is required, and no credit card is needed.**
- **As of January 15, 2022, anyone enrolled in a private health insurance plan (an employer plan or a plan purchased on or off the marketplace) can get reimbursed for up to 8 free at-home COVID tests each month.**
- **Medicaid is required to cover tests, but states can impose barriers such as requiring a prescription to get a test. States can choose to establish policies that make it easier for Medicaid enrollees to get at-home COVID tests, primarily by allowing pharmacists to dispense tests without a prescription. Medicaid enrollees must request tests from the pharmacist, not at the checkout counter.**
  - **These states created new policies to make tests more accessible: Alabama, Maine, Massachusetts, New Hampshire, New Jersey, New York, North Carolina, Oregon, Vermont.**
  - **Please let us know if your state has established similar policies but isn't on our list! You can send updates to Jenny Sullivan at jsullivan@cbpp.org.**
- **Medicare enrollees will soon be able to get up to 8 free at-home COVID tests each month. Tests will be available by early spring, but a specific date has not yet been announced.**
- **Individuals who are uninsured and don't have a residential address to order free at-home tests can still get tested for free at a community-based testing site.**

Rapid Antigen Tests (BinaxNOW™) Distribution

- CCDPH is distributing BinaxNOW™ tests to organizations in suburban Cook County who are currently testing or have the capacity to use these tests and meet program requirements

- CCDPH is prioritizing vulnerable and high-risk populations

- Organizations interested can submit a request on CCDPH's website: https://cookcountypublichealth.org/covid-19-rapid-antigen-test-request/

Masking Guidance

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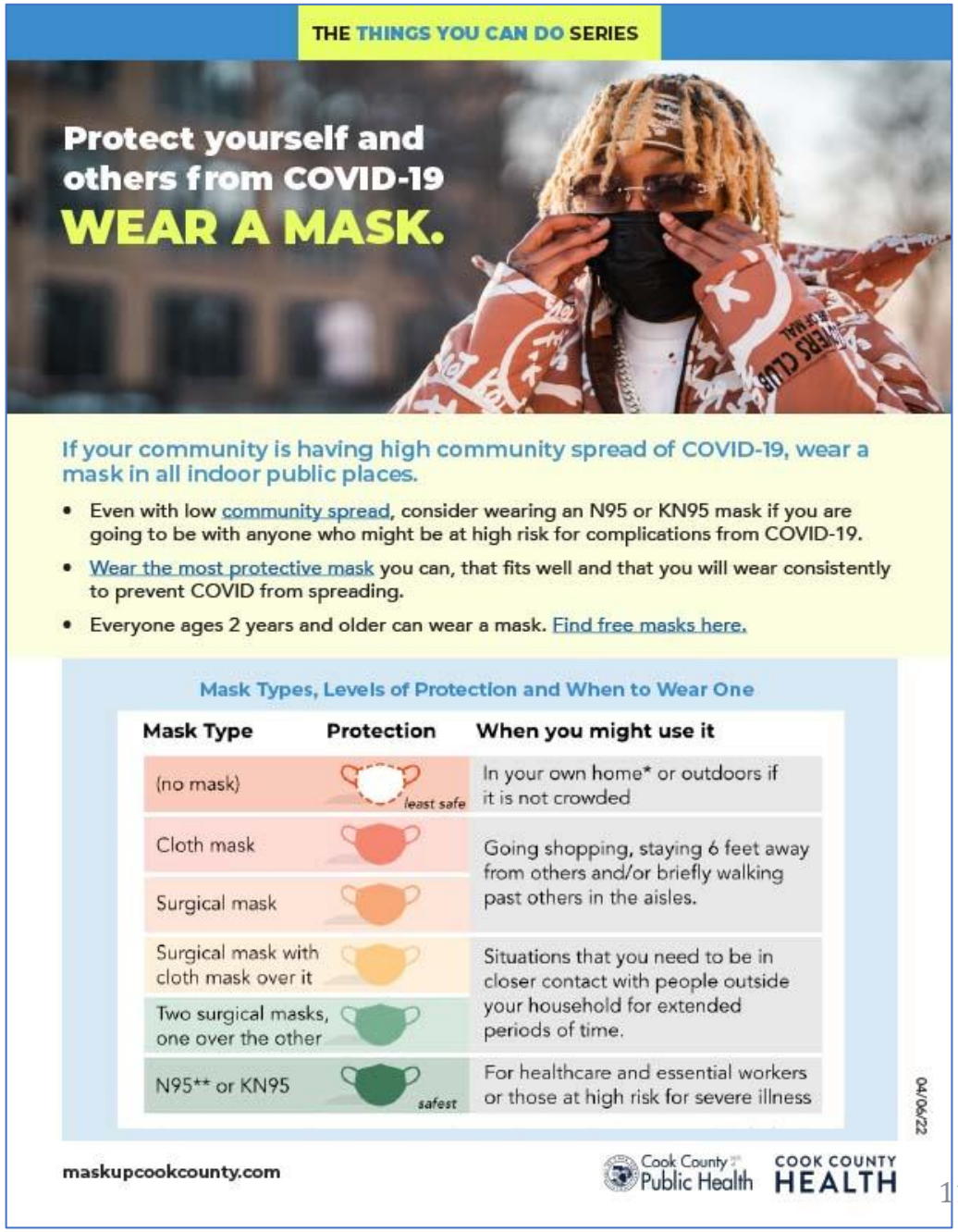
Wear a mask.

New fact sheet

KN95 ordering for our CBOs and FQHCs:
https://forms.office.com/r/6tcvByYp3G

General PPE requests:
https://cookcountypublichealth.org/communicable-diseases/covid-19/resource-requests/



THE THINGS YOU CAN DO SERIES

Protect yourself and others from COVID-19
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- Wear the most protective mask you can, that fits well and that you will wear consistently to prevent COVID from spreading.
- Everyone ages 2 years and older can wear a mask. Find free masks here.

Mask Types, Levels of Protection and When to Wear One

Mask Type	Protection	When you might use it
(no mask)	least safe	In your own home* or outdoors if it is not crowded
Cloth mask		Going shopping, staying 6 feet away from others and/or briefly walking past others in the aisles.
Surgical mask		
Surgical mask with cloth mask over it		Situations that you need to be in closer contact with people outside your household for extended periods of time.
Two surgical masks, one over the other		
N95** or KN95	safest	For healthcare and essential workers or those at high risk for severe illness

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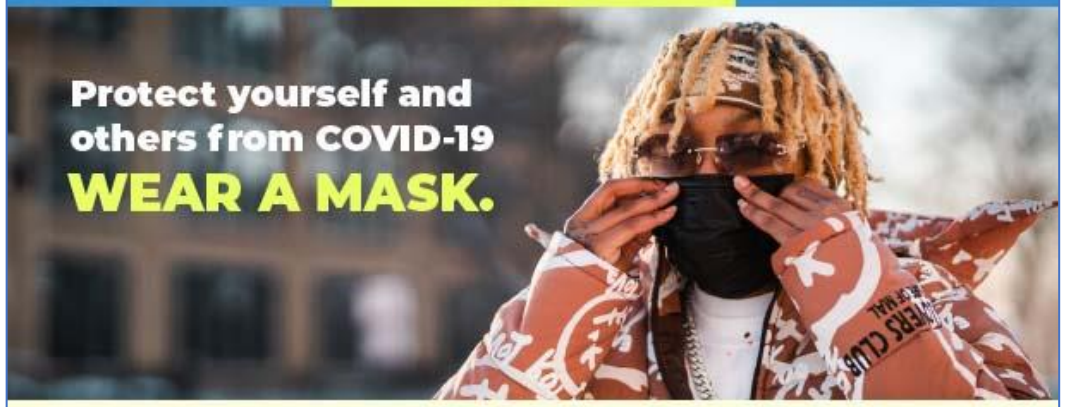

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LA SERIE COSAS QUE PUEDE HACER

Protéjase a usted mismo y a los demás de la COVID-19 USE UNA MASCARILLA.

Si su comunidad tiene una alta propagación comunitaria de COVID-19, use una máscara en todos los lugares públicos interiores.

- Incluso con una baja difusión comunitaria considere la posibilidad de usar una mascarilla N95 o KN95 si va a estar con alguien que pueda tener un alto riesgo de complicaciones por COVID-19.
- Utilice la mascarilla más protectora que pueda, que se ajuste bien y que vaya a usar constantemente para evitar la propagación de COVID.
- Todos los mayores de 2 años pueden usar una mascarilla. Encuentre mascarillas gratuitas aquí.

Tipos de mascarillas, niveles de protección y cuándo usarlas

Tipo de mascarilla	Protección	Cuándo usarla
(sin mascarilla)	lo menos seguro	En su propio hogar* o en exteriores con poca gente.
Mascarilla de tela		Al ir de compras, a seis pies de distancia de otros y/o al pasar rápidamente por el lado de otros en los pasillos.
Mascarilla quirúrgica		
Mascarilla quirúrgica con una de tela encima		Situaciones en las que tenga que estar en contacto cercano con personas ajenas a su hogar durante largos periodos de tiempo.
Dos mascarillas quirúrgicas		
N95** o KN95	lo más seguro	Para trabajadores esenciales o del sector salud o personas en riesgo de contraer enfermedades graves.

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Which mask provides the best protection?

GOOD	BETTER	BEST
Fabric mask with three or more cloth layers	Double mask *(surgical mask and cloth mask)* Fitted medical mask *(surgical mask)*	N95 KN95 KF94

Masks should fit snugly over your nose and mouth with no gaps around your face.

To learn more visit **myshotcookcounty.com**

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¿Cuál máscara ofrece la mayor protección?

BUENA	MEJOR	EXCELENTE
Máscara de tela con tres o más capas	Máscara doble *(mascarilla quirúrgica y mascarilla de tela)* Máscara médica ajustada (mascarilla quirúrgica)	N95 KN95 KF94

Las máscaras deben quedar bien ajustadas sobre la nariz y la boca sin espacios alrededor de la cara.

Para obtener más información, visite **myshotcookcounty.com**

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CCDPH Masking Guidance

- **Masking as part of isolation after infection and quarantine after exposure is still necessary to prevent COVID-19 transmission. This includes in workplaces and schools.**

- Masks are required in airports and interstate transportation by federal order.

- Healthcare facilities including hospitals, clinics and long-term care facilities should continue masking in accordance with the Illinois Department of Public Health and CDC guidance.

- CCDPH continues to recommend masking with a well-fitting high-quality mask, such as a KN95 or N95 respirator, for those who are considered at high risk for severe COVID-19 illness when they are in public indoor spaces or other places where individuals near them may be unvaccinated.

Resources

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Resources

Cook County Department of Public Health

- Call: 833-308-1988
- Website: : https://cookcountypublichealth.org/communicable-diseases/covid-19
- Email: ccdph.covid19@cookcountyhhs.org
- For the latest Cook County COVID-19 updates, text “AlertCook” to 888-777.

Illinois Department of Public Health

- Call: 800-889-3931
- Website: http://dph.illinois.gov/
- Email: DPH.SICK@ILLINOIS.GOV

Chicago Department of Public Health (Only for Chicago Residents)

- Call: 312-746-4835
- Website: https://www.chicago.gov/city/en/depts/cdph.html
- Email: coronavirus@chicago.gov

COVID-19 RESOURCES

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FREE

TESTING

FREE At-Home Test Kits

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- Accesscovidtests.org - Free, rapid, at-home COVID-19 test kits to residents of eligible communities (zip codes) while supplies last.

FREE In-Person Testing

- Cook County Health offers free testing for adults and children age 6 months and older. Please call 312-864-2749 to register for a test M-F, 7A-6P and SA, 7A-4P. Results are typically available in 24 hours.
- IDPH Community Testing Sites: bit.ly/IDPHTestingSites
- Chicago Department of Public Health Community Testing Sites: bit.ly/ChicagoTestingSites

FREE Test-to-Treat

A new nationwide Test-to-Treat program will soon give individuals a way to rapidly access free testing and treatment at hundreds of locations nationwide, including Cook County Health. Visit: aspr.hhs.gov/TestToTreat/Pages/default.aspx.

VACCINATIONS

FREE Rides – Destination Vaccination

CCDPH is partnering with Kaizen Health to offer FREE rides to and from vaccinations. To schedule a ride, call 1-833-308-1988. Kaizen can provide vehicles to accommodate most residents, including those in wheelchairs or those who require child seats.

FREE Vaccines

Visit vaccine.cookcountyil.gov or call 1-833-308-1988 (M-F, 7A-7P).

FREE In-Home Vaccination

CCDPH offers in-home COVID-19 vaccination services (1st, 2nd, 3rd doses and boosters) to any individual ages 5 years and older who lives in suburban Cook County. To sign up, call 1-833-308-1988 (M-F, 7A-10P; SA, 8A-10P) or visit bit.ly/inhomevaccine.

OTHER

COVID.gov

A new one-stop shop for FREE masks, vaccines, treatment, testing
Call 1-800-232-0233 (TTY: 1-888-720-7489)

UNINSURED OR UNDERINSURED

Medicaid enrollment - bit.ly/37EvA2S
Healthcare marketplace enrollment - healthcare.gov
HRSA.gov – Find a Health Center

For more information, visit:
cookcountypublichealth.org

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RECURSOS SOBRE COVID-19

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GRATIS

PRUEBA

Kits de prueba caseros GRATIS

- COVIDtests.gov/tests o llame al 1-800-232-0233 (TTY: 1-888-720-7489). Todos los hogares de EE. UU. pueden solicitar 2 juegos de 4 pruebas gratuitas a domicilio. Si ya ha pedido su primer juego, pida un segundo hoy mismo.
- Accesscovidtests.org. Kits de prueba DE COVID-19 rápidos y gratuitos en casa para residentes de comunidades elegibles (códigos postales) hasta agotar existencias.

Prueba GRATIS en persona

- Cook County Health ofrece pruebas gratuitas para adultos y niños de 6 meses en adelante. Llame al 312-864-2749 para inscribirse en una prueba de lunes a viernes, de 7:00 a. m. a 6:00 p. m. y los sábados, de 7:00 a. m. a 4:00 p. m. Los resultados suelen estar disponibles en 24 horas.
- Sitios de pruebas comunitarias del Departamento de Salud Pública de Illinois (Illinois Department of Public Health, IDPH): bit.ly/IDPHTestingSites
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VACUNACIONES

Traslados GRATIS para vacunación en destino

El Departamento de Salud del Condado de Cook (Cook County Department of Public Health, CCDPH) se está asociando con Kaizen Health para ofrecer traslados gratuitos hacia y desde los sitios de vacunación. Para programar un traslado, llame al 1-833-308-1988. Kaizen puede proporcionar vehículos para acomodar a la mayoría de los residentes, incluidos los que van en silla de ruedas o los que necesitan asientos para niños.

Vacunas GRATIS

Visite vaccine.cookcountyil.gov o llame al 1-833-308-1988 (L-V, de 7:00 a. m. a 7:00 p. m.).

Vacunación a domicilio GRATUITA

El CCDPH ofrece servicios de vacunación a domicilio contra la COVID-19 (1.ª, 2.ª, 3.ª dosis y refuerzos) a cualquier persona de 5 años o más que viva en los suburbios del condado de Cook. Para solicitarlo, llame al 1-833-308-1988 (de lunes a viernes, de 7:00 a. m. a 10:00 p. m.; sábados, de 8:00 a. m. a 10:00 p. m.) o visite bit.ly/inhomevaccine.

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Una nueva ventanilla única de mascarillas, vacunas, tratamientos y pruebas GRATIS
Llame al 1-800-232-0233 (TTY: 1-888-720-7489)

NO ASEGURADOS O INFRASEGURADOS

Inscripción en Medicaid: bit.ly/37EvA2S
Inscripción en el mercado de atención médica: healthcare.gov
HRSA.gov: Encuentre un centro de salud

Para obtener más información, visite:
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Cook County Health Community Relations Team Engaged in memorable events and celebrations

Responding to Faith leaders and the needs of their congregation

Being present to families where they feel safest asking for our help

Rain or Shine…

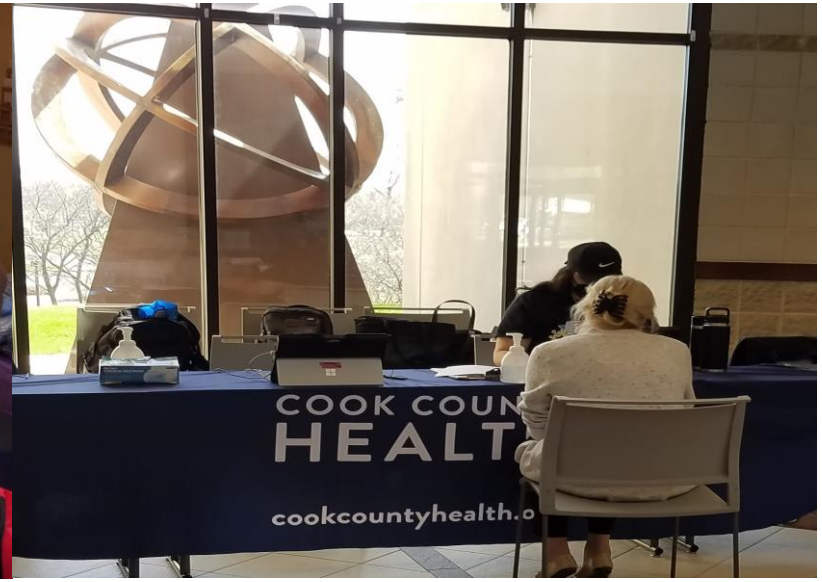
Improving Health Care Access for All

Supporting Key Partners at Events

Cook County Health is grateful to Sisters Working it Out who makes sure our most vulnerable residents know about our Breast Cancer screening and our powerful treatment options.

Connecting People to Resources

Making a Difference One Person at a Time



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Medicaid Enrollment for People 42+

Any Immigration Status

The time has come! For the first time in Illinois, beginning July 1st, 2022, low-income immigrants ages 42-54 will have a pathway to healthcare coverage, regardless of their immigration status. Thank you for being a part of the Healthy Illinois Campaign to make this possible.

After winning healthcare coverage in 2020 and 2021 for low-income immigrant seniors ages 65+ and adults ages 55-64 regardless of their immigration status, we are excited for the rollout of coverage for the next age group, 42-54. Beginning, Friday, July 1st, 2022, an estimated 27,000 more Illinoisans aged 42-54 will have access to healthcare coverage, regardless of immigration status. To qualify, you must:

- Live in Illinois
- Be age 42 or older
- Have an immigration status that makes you ineligible for federal Medicaid
- Earn less than 138% of the Federal Poverty Level ($1,563 per month for one person)

If this sounds like you or someone you know, you can enroll online or make an appointment with an enrollment assister. More information is available in 5 languages here!

This healthcare coverage expansion to people ages 42-54 is the result of 8 years of campaigning and thousands of hours of work by dozens of organizations and countless individuals who make up our coalition. Congratulations to all who have made a phone call, sent an email, shared their story, and helped build this campaign. Thanks to you, in total more than 49,000 Illinois immigrants ages 42 and up will be eligible for healthcare coverage as of July 1st.

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Information on the Illinois Court System…

From the Justice Advisory Council

Bringing a fresh perspective to our Community Relations Team…

- Please help us welcome our summer interns…
- Melanie Serrano and Emmanuel Adeyeni!

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Learn More…

One Community Relations page in which you can learn most of what you need to know on how to navigate Cook County Health.

https://cookcountyhealth.org/community-relations/

Our staff:

Director of Community Affairs

- Marcelino Garcia – 312-864-0928 – mgarcia6@cookcounthhs.org

Community Outreach Worker – South Suburban Cluster

- Alice Collins – 708-293-8217 – acollins3@cookcountyhhs.org

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ADJOURNMENT

Thank you! Stay Safe & Healthy!

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