

To Protect, Promote and Prioritize the Health of Our Entire Community

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DCHD's FREE Pop-Up Flu Clinic

The Douglas County Health Department is excited to announce that a FREE Flu Clinic will be available on November 6, 2020 from 9:00 am to 11:30 am inside SUPERMERCADO at 1826 Vinton Street. Free Flu shots are available to individuals 19 years and older, regardless of insurance status.

On Thursday, November 5, DCHD reported 486 new cases of COVID-19 that were received over the past day ending at midnight. This is a highest daily total of cases that we have received since the outbreak began in March, making the total number of cases 24,737 Douglas County.

Please remember to practice the 3 Ws:

- Wear a mask
- Watch your distance
- Wash your hands

The Health Department received three new death certificates during the past day related to COVID-19. Unfortunately, two women and a man between 70-90 years old have passed. The number of deaths in the county connected to the pandemic increases to 242. DCHD has confirmed 16,049 county residents have recovered from the illness.

As of our most recent report, received this morning, metro area hospitals had 286 medical and surgical beds available for an 82% occupancy rate with 47 Intensive Care Unit (ICU) beds available for an 85% occupancy rate. There were 304 individuals hospitalized who have been diagnosed with COVID-19, with 93 of them receiving adult ICU level care. There are also 37 more persons of interest (generally waiting for test results). Thirty individuals who were confirmed or suspected of having COVID-19 were on ventilators.

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