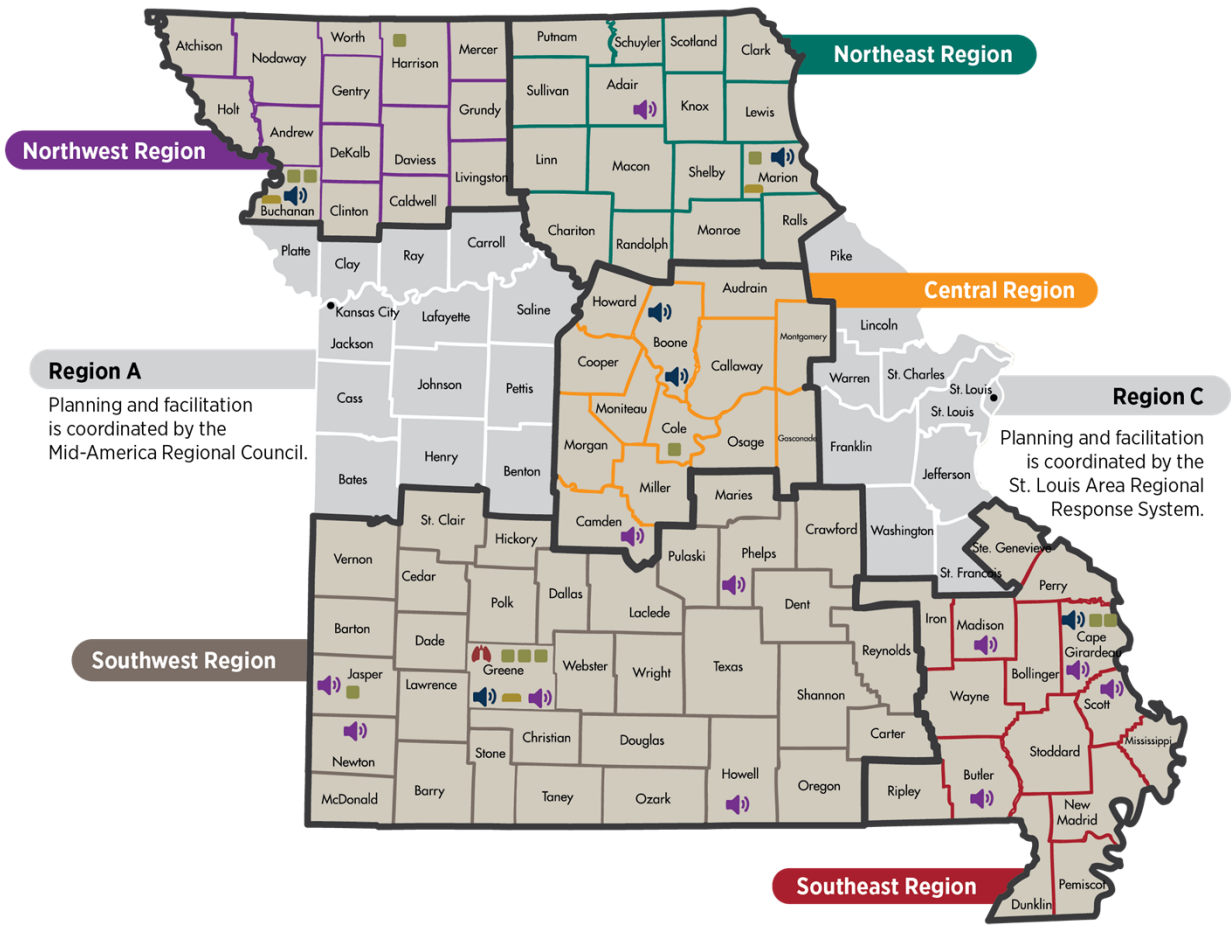


State Testing Strategy Webinar

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Community Sampling

The purpose of this effort is to determine the level of presence or absence of the virus within a community as a snap shot in time by testing any individual who desires testing.

Community Testing

- Any Missouri resident desiring to be tested
- Nasopharyngeal swab – PCR test
- FREE, no charge for the test
- Provided by a combination of support from Local Public Health Agencies, Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services, MO National Guard, and state and county CARES Act Funding
- Register for an event by visiting <https://health.mo.gov/communitytest> or by calling the Missouri COVID-19 Hotline at 877-435-8411

Community Testing

- Began this initiative late April 2020
- Community Testing provided in 44 counties through June 21
- Upcoming: June 26-July 9 will be in the following: Barry, McDonald, Jasper, Newton, Dade, Wright, Laclede, Taney (repeat), Stone, and Cole.
- Results....(drumroll please).....

Community Testing Results

Results from April 27-June 5, 2020

- 13,802 tests, residents of 94 counties
- Positives from 17 counties, ~1% positivity rate overall
- Of the 1% positive, 51.8% self-reported no clinical symptoms* at the time of testing

*Clinical symptoms defined as: 2 or more of: fever, chills, headaches, sore throat, or body soreness, OR 1 of either a cough or worsening cough or shortness of breath

Next Events....

Tarkio, Atchison/Holt Counties, June 24

Lebanon, Laclede County, June 26

Neosho, Newton County, June 26-27

Anderson, McDonald County, June 26-27

Mountain Grove, Wright County, June 27

Carthage, Jasper County, June 29

Branson West, Stone County, June 29

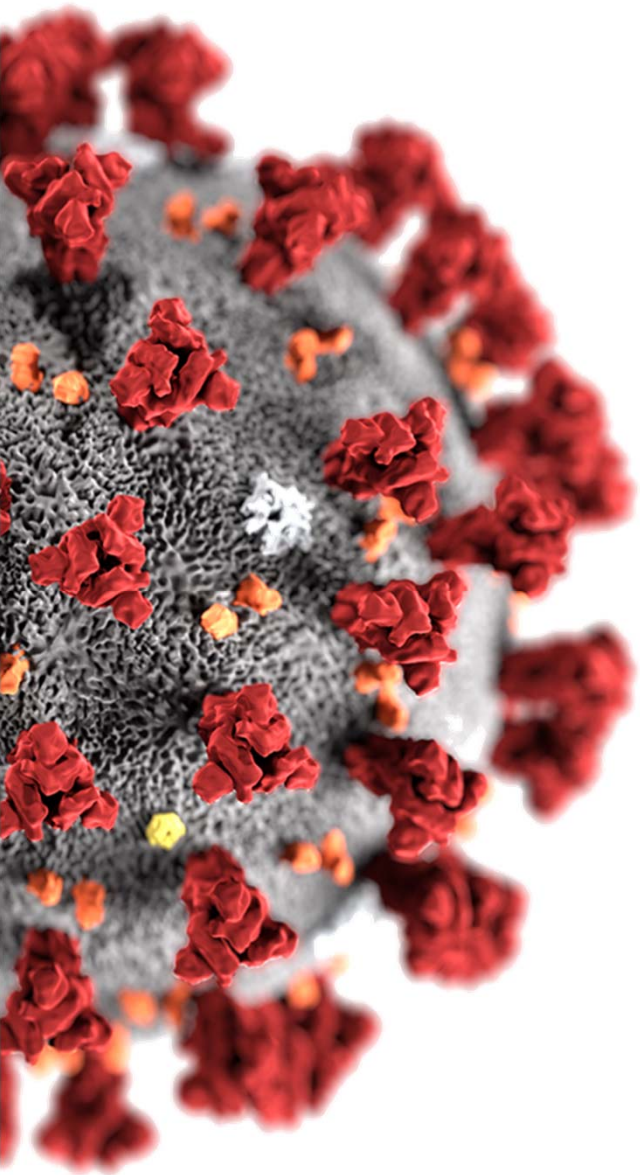
Cassville, Barry County, June 29

Hamilton, Caldwell County, June 30

Greenfield, Dade County, July 1

Branson, Taney County, June 30 - July 1

Jefferson City, Cole County, July 7-9



Sentinel Testing

- Conduct testing within State Agencies responsible for providing direct care services in congregate living facilities
- Objective was to prevent, identify, contain, and control infection within state facilities to protect individuals in our care as well as staff



Sentinel Testing Agencies

- Missouri Department of Corrections
- Missouri Department of Mental Health
- Missouri Department of Social Services
- Missouri Veteran's Commission



Sentinel Strategies

- Establish a baseline prior to conducting on-going sentinel testing
 - Initially test staff
 - DMH
 - DSS
 - Test all staff and residents/offenders
 - MVC
 - DOC
- After baseline testing, transition to sentinel testing
 - DMH and DSS working to get testing for residential community providers
 - All agencies testing a percentage of staff and residents/offenders per month

Sentinel Testing Results

As of June 5th—

- Over 10,819 individuals tested
- 72 COVID-19 positive individuals identified
- 66 of the positive were asymptomatic at the time of testing

Long-Term Care Facilities: Box-In Strategy

- Box-In can be used for various types of settings to box-in an outbreak, we are applying it specifically to LTCFS.
- Any LTCF with one positive resident or staff is required to report the case to DHSS within 24 hours at <https://health.mo.gov/covid/facilityreporting> and to notify their local public health agency.
- Each facility with an outbreak conducts facility-wide testing including staff and residents until two negative tests result for the entire facility.
- LTCFs are also assisted through technical assistance with isolation and quarantine, as well as supplied PPE if needed and available through the state warehouse. Limited staffing assistance may be available.



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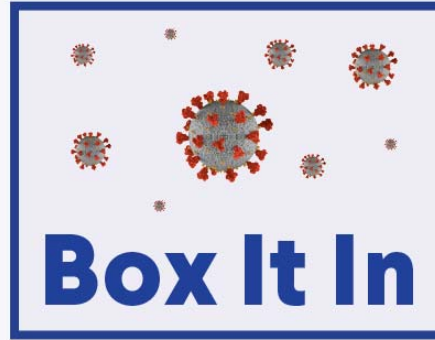
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Quarantine

All contacts
self-isolate for 14 days



Box It In

To get us all working again



2

Isolate

All infected people



3

Find

Everyone who has been in
contact with infected people

LTCF COVID-19 Spread Update

<u>6/22</u>	<u>6/23</u>	
0	0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Had a case in the past 15 days • Not performed facility-wide testing • Are reporting shortages of PPE and/or staff
16	18	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Had a case in the past 15 days • Not performed facility-wide testing • Not reporting shortages of PPE and/or staff
0	0	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Had a case in the past 15 days • Performed facility-wide testing • Reporting shortages of PPE and/or staff
87	75	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Had a case in the past 15 days • Performed facility-wide testing • Not reporting shortages of PPE and/or staff
130	147	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Not had a case in the past 15 days • May or may not performed facility-wide testing

Update: 7 New Homes

Overall Update: Total homes monitoring- 238 → 245

- 60 → **62** RCF / ALF
- 173 → **178** ICF / SNF
- **5**- ICF for Individuals with Intellectual Disabilities (4 state operated and 1 private)
- Of those:
 - 158 → **160** have positive residents (including resident-only and resident/staff positives)
 - 80 → **85** have staff-only positives at this time

Pending: LTCF Reopening Recommendations

- Will address additional testing recommendations

QUESTIONS?

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**Thank you for your interest and your work
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