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From the Mayor's Office

Fifty One (51) New Cases of COVID-19 Reported in Plainfield

February 23, 2022

Dear Friends and Neighbors,

Since our last update, on Friday, February 18, 2022, there are **fifty one (51) new cases of COVID-19**, with **one (1)** case reported today. In addition, **twenty six (26)** persons have been quarantined.

Sadly, **one (1) COVID-related death was reported on February 21, 2022**. The month of February has not been kind, week after week we've received notice of at least one deceased Plainfielder. Every soul lost to this deadly virus leaves a void in our community. Let's not live thinking what if; protect your family, friends, and neighbors by following COVID protocols. Let's survive this virus together.

COVID-19 Cases	Positive Cases	Persons Placed in Quarantine	Fatalities
March 16, 2020- December 31, 2020	4,215	10,465	128
January 1, 2021 – December 31, 2021	4,420	4,054	71
January 1, 2022 – February 23, 2022	1,484	649	17
Total	10,119	15,168	216

PPAC Testing Center

The City of Plainfield in partnership with Union County, the State of New Jersey, and Vault Health Services now provides free Covid-19 testing. Rapid and PCR testing are available at the Plainfield Performing Arts Center (P-PAC), 724 Park Avenue. The P-PAC Testing Clinic is open Tuesday-Friday 2:00 pm- 6:00 pm and Saturday 9:00 am-1:00 pm.

The City of Plainfield is hosting a series of Pop up Vaccination Clinics. Get your COVID-19 vaccine and FLU shot at the same time. A list of locations can be found on the city's [website](#).

LOCAL COVID-19 TESTING SITES INCLUDE Walgreens on South Ave, Front Street Pharmacy, Rapp's Pharmacy, Plainfield Neighborhood Health Center, Scott Drugs Pharmacy, and Parking Lot # 7 at 112 E Seventh Street. Please visit the City of Plainfield [website](#) for more information.

In addition, free COVID-19 testing at Kean University operates on Mondays from 7:00 AM to 12 PM and Thursdays from 7 AM to 12 PM or 4 PM to 8 PM. Please visit UCNJ.org for more information. The test will also provide results for Influenza A and B (flu). Insurance is not required.

Historically, the creation and implementation of vaccines have successfully controlled infectious diseases such as the smallpox virus, the Spanish flu, polio, rubella, and the COVID-19 virus is no exception. It is apparent that a correlation in decreased death rates due to COVID and the distribution of COVID vaccines exists. Help our community and help yourself, get vaccinated, get your booster, and stay safe.

Stay safe, and may God continue to bless you.

Sincerely,

Adrian O. Mapp, Mayor