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## **Cayuga County COVID-19 Situational Update as of 5:15pm**

### **New cases**

#### Tuesday, September 22, 2020 – four new cases

- A female infant, living outside the City of Auburn.
- A female in her forties, living outside the City of Auburn.
- A male in his forties, living outside the City of Auburn
- A male in his fifties, living outside the City of Auburn.

Contact tracing is complete for all cases.

#### Wednesday, September 23, 2020 – one new case

- A female in her eighties, living outside the City of Auburn.

Contact tracing is complete for this case.

#### Thursday, September 24, 2020 – two new cases

- A male in his twenties, living outside the City of Auburn.
- A male in his seventies, living outside the City of Auburn.

Contact tracing is complete for these cases.

#### Friday, September 25, 2020 – three new cases

- A female in her thirties, living inside the City of Auburn.
- A male in his eighties, living outside the City of Auburn.

Contact tracing is complete for these cases.

- A female child, living outside the City of Auburn, attending school in the Weedsport School District.
  - Contact tracing is underway.

### **Active Cases in Mandatory Quarantine/ Isolation**

75 in Mandatory Quarantine

14 in Mandatory Isolation



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**Hospitalized Cases**

Currently there no Cayuga County residents hospitalized.

**Confirmed Cases – total year to date**

There have been a total of 203 confirmed cases of COVID-19 in Cayuga County.

**Discharges- total year to date**

There have been 186 individuals discharged from Mandatory Isolation.

**Deaths**

There have been three Cayuga County deaths related to COVID-19.

**Additional Information**

As our contact tracing investigations have revealed, our positive cases have had many more contacts being placed into mandatory quarantine recently. We are strongly encouraging that people keep their circles small. The more gatherings we attend, the more times we frequent stores, the more activities our children participate in, all presents an increased risk of exposure.

We are strongly encouraging the public to practice safe social distancing by staying six feet apart from others both indoors and outdoors, wearing a face covering both indoors and outdoors when safe social distancing (six feet apart) cannot be maintained.

Use of face coverings, except for persons medically exempt, is required of all people over age 2 in public settings indoors and outdoors when safe social distancing is not performed. Business owners and operators are required to uphold these regulations or deny admittance to the business. Enforcement action against violators continues.

