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

### **New Cases**

Wednesday, March 10, 2021 – six new cases admitted

Thursday, March 11, 2021 – six new cases admitted

### **Active Cases in Mandatory Isolation**

62 Mandatory Isolation

### **Confirmed Cases – total since March 18, 2020**

There have been 5,381 cases of COVID-19 in Cayuga County.

### **Hospitalizations**

There are 2 COVID-19 related hospitalizations at Auburn Community Hospital.

### **Deaths**

There have been 88 total Cayuga County deaths related to COVID-19

### **Additional Information**

Local health departments can now welcome all eligible populations through our clinics. NYS has expanded eligibility further effective March 17, 2021. Please visit:

<https://covid19vaccine.health.ny.gov/phased-distribution-vaccine> for more information.

All of these changes are exciting and we hope that with these changes, our vaccine allotments will increase so we can more quickly vaccinate our residents. If you are eligible, please work through your employer to contact the Department or join the eligible lists being maintained by your Village, Town or the City in Cayuga County.

The availability of the vaccine is not limited to just the health department. Individuals are encouraged to work with local pharmacies, federally qualified health centers and the NYS mass vaccination sites to get an appointment.

To make the most efficient use of all our vaccines, we do ask that if you are on a number of wait lists or if you have appointments scheduled at multiple locations, that once you receive the vaccine, you remove your name or cancel other appointments that you will not need.





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