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Cayuga County COVID-19 Situational Update as of 4:00pm

New Cases

Monday, April 5, 2021 – twenty-nine new cases admitted

Tuesday, April 6, 2021- eighteen new cases admitted

Active Cases in Mandatory Isolation

92 Mandatory Isolation

Confirmed Cases – total since March 18, 2020

There have been 5,590 cases of COVID-19 in Cayuga County.

Hospitalizations

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

Deaths

There have been 89 total Cayuga County deaths related to COVID-19.

Additional Information

As the number of positive COVID-19 cases in the community begin to rise, we would like to remind the community that if you are sick, and regardless of your vaccination status, it is important to remain at home. Sometimes COVID-19 symptoms can mimic seasonal allergies, which puts others at risk of getting sick. In addition, it is essential to continue practicing social distancing measures, such as wearing a mask and maintaining a six foot distance when in the company of others.

As a reminder, all individuals age 16 and older are now eligible to receive a COVID-19 vaccination. Most Cayuga County sites only have the vaccines (Moderna and J&J) authorized for those 18 years and older. However, 16 and 17 year olds can register for an appointment (Pfizer) at the Fairgrounds through the New York State Health Department website: <https://am-i-eligible.covid19vaccine.health.ny.gov/>

Vaccination clinics continue to be held through the Cayuga County Health Department and other entities in the county. Vaccination is a significant means to prevent severe illness and slows the spread of the virus across the community. It benefits everyone to have as many people vaccinated as possible. Don't Wait- Vaccinate!
