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Updates from the Tampa Bay Health & Medical Preparedness Coalition—February 2021

Preventing the Next Pandemic with Dr. Peter J. Hotez

Part of the 2021 *Plugged In Speaker Series*

February's *Plugged In Series* speaker, Peter J. Hotez, M.D., Ph.D. spoke this week about the development of the SARS-CoV-2 vaccine, current vaccination efforts and strategies for preventing the next pandemic. He outlined how vaccine virologists and researchers had worked for the past 15 years on understanding the Coronavirus and spike proteins and how a vaccine could be developed using mRNA. Dr. Hotez urged the audience to counter vaccine hesitancy with scientific evidence and fact. The webinar [recording & resources](#) are posted in the [Resource Library](#) of the Coalition's [website](#). We hope you will take the time to listen to his interesting and timely presentation!

The 2021 *Plugged In Series* Presents

PREVENTING THE NEXT PANDEMIC



PETER J. HOTEZ, MD, PhD

A Science Envoy on Stemming the Tide of War, Political Collapse, Climate Change, and Anti-science



Dr. Hotez is a professor of pediatrics and molecular virology at Baylor College of Medicine, where he is also co-director of the Texas Children's Center for Vaccine Development and Endowed Chair in Tropical Pediatrics. He is a vaccine scientist who led the development of vaccines to prevent and treat neglected tropical diseases and coronavirus infections. Currently, he is working on a new Texas Children's COVID19 vaccine now undergoing clinical testing.

Total* COVID-19 Cases in Tampa Bay

County	Hospitalizations	Total Cases	Deaths
Citrus	596	8,853	356
Hardee	184	2,614	24
Hernando	879	10,143	353
Hillsborough	2,717	102,337	1,342
Manatee	1,282	29,041	505
Pasco	2,012	30,214	576
Pinellas	3,921	60,623	1,312
Polk	3,997	51,630	991
Sumter	439	7,281	187

*Updated as of 10:45am on 02/05/2021



Tampa Bay Health & Medical Preparedness Coalition

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Upcoming Coalition Meetings

Pinellas Coalition for Health & Medical Preparedness (CHAMP):
January 5th

Pasco Health & Medical Preparedness Coalition:
February 8th

Manatee CHAMP:
February 10th

Hernando ESF-8 Working Group: February 11th

Citrus ESF-8 Working Group:
February 24th

All Coalition Meetings are virtual at this time. For more info on attending these meetings, please reach out to the County Chairperson. Contact info is available on [our website](#).

Important Updates & Resources

Florida Launches Statewide Preregistration System for COVID-19 Vaccine Appointments

On January 29, 2021, the state announced the launch of a statewide preregistration system to schedule COVID-19 vaccine appointments for individuals 65 and older and frontline health care workers. Individuals can pre-register for vaccine appointments and be notified when appointments are available in their area by visiting myvaccine.fl.gov.

This website will allow individuals who are eligible to receive the COVID-19 vaccine to be proactively contacted when vaccine appointments are available at state-supported vaccination sites. On the site, residents can select their county and submit their contact information. Once appointments are available, individuals will be contacted by phone call, text or email and will be assisted in scheduling an appointment. Vaccine supply remains limited and appointments may not be available for several weeks in some counties.

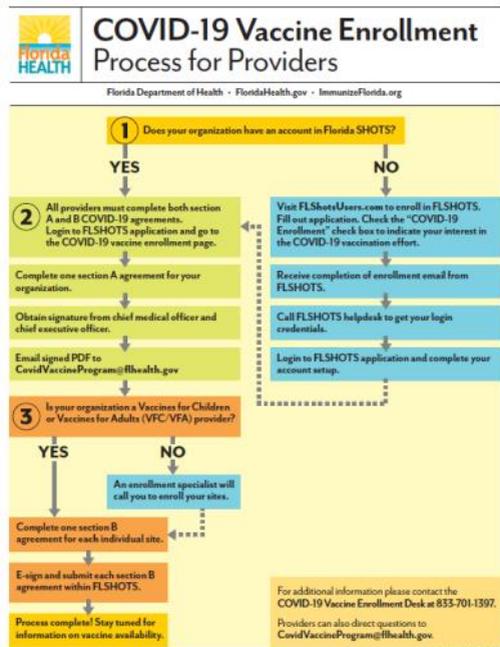
Additionally, as part of the statewide registration system, each county has a designated phone number that individuals can call and pre-register if they do not have Internet access. Please find the complete list of numbers by county [here](#). Whether a resident calls by phone or visits myvaccine.fl.gov, their place in line will be reserved reliably using Sharecare software.

Florida COVID-19 Vaccination Report

The Florida Department of Health has issued a COVID-19 vaccine report that is updated daily. This report includes information on the COVID-19 vaccine by county, race, sex and age. Find the COVID-19 vaccine report [here](#). FDOH continues to provide updates on cases, testing, and fatalities related to COVID-19. Please find all daily reports [here](#).

COVID-19 Vaccine Enrollment for Providers

Here are the instructions for organizations to enroll as COVID-19 Vaccine Providers. Click on the images below for full-size PDF documents.



Provider Information for COVID-19 Vaccine Enrollment
Florida Department of Health • FloridaHealth.gov • ImmunizeFlorida.org

Thank you for your interest in serving your community by providing COVID-19 vaccinations. To become a COVID-19 vaccine provider your organization must be enrolled in Florida SHOTS and the Vaccines for Children/Adults (VFC/VFA) Program.

1. Florida SHOTS
Providers must hold a valid and active medical license to enroll.
If you are not enrolled in Florida SHOTS: Visit FLShotsUsers.com to complete an enrollment application. Be sure to check the "COVID-19 Enrollment" box. After your application has been processed, you will receive a confirmation e-mail with your login credentials.
If you are enrolled in Florida SHOTS: Login using your ID, username and password. If you do not remember your login ID, call the Florida SHOTS help desk (877-888-7468, Option 2). If you need to reset your password, click "Need Password Assistance" on the Florida SHOTS login page.

2. Vaccines for Children (VFC) / Vaccines for Adults (VFA)
Each location or site where vaccine will be ordered and received must enroll in VFC/VFA. There is not an application or form to enroll in VFC/VFA. COVID-19 vaccine enrollment staff will call providers directly to conduct the enrollment process.

3. COVID-19 Vaccination Provider Agreement
All providers must complete two sections of the COVID-19 Provider Agreement.
Section A: Provider Requirements and Legal Agreement. One agreement must be completed for the organization and signed by both the Chief Medical Officer and Chief Executive Officer.
1. Log in to your Florida SHOTS account and visit the COVID-19 Enrollment Page.
2. Click "Submit COVID-19 Section A" to fill out the agreement. The pdf document must be downloaded, signed by both responsible parties, and emailed to CovidVaccineProgram@flhealth.gov.
Section B: Provider Profile. You will not be able to complete Section B until you have started the VFC/VFA enrollment process. One provider profile must be completed for each VFC/VFA-authorized location or site.
1. Log in to your Florida SHOTS account and visit the COVID-19 Enrollment Page.
2. Click "COVID-19 Enroll Section B" to complete and submit the provider profile.
The COVID-19 vaccine enrollment desk will contact organizations to provide further information on how to order and receive vaccines as available.

For additional information please contact the COVID-19 Vaccine Enrollment Desk at 833-701-1397. Providers can also direct questions to CovidVaccineProgram@flhealth.gov.

Want to Volunteer to Help with the Vaccination Effort?

The Florida Division of Emergency Management has a database where licensed medical professionals can sign up to assist with vaccination efforts. Not all counties are actively utilizing the database, but it is a great place to get on a list to help with vaccination efforts expand once supply increases! Sign up at <https://www.merits.com/fdem-volunteers/>.

CDC Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report Highlights

- [Demographic Characteristics of Persons Vaccinated During the First Month of the COVID-19 Vaccination Program — United States, December 14, 2020–January 14, 2021](#)
- [Early COVID-19 First-Dose Vaccination Coverage Among Residents and Staff Members of Skilled Nursing Facilities Participating in the Pharmacy Partnership for Long-Term Care Program — United States, December 2020–January 2021](#)

- [Allergic Reactions Including Anaphylaxis After Receipt of the First Dose of Moderna COVID-19 Vaccine — United States, December 21, 2020–January 10, 2021](#)

Federal COVID-19 Updates

- **Launch of the Federal Retail Pharmacy Program**— [Update](#) by Jeff Zients, COVID-19 Response Team Coordinator, “Starting February 11, the Federal Government will supply vaccines directly to select pharmacies across the country. This will provide more sites for people to get vaccinated in their communities and it’s an important component to delivering vaccines equitably. Equity is at the core of how the CDC is working with states to select pharmacy partners for this first phase. Sites are selected based on their ability to reach some of the populations most at risk for severe illness from COVID-19, including socially vulnerable communities.” The pharmacies participating will initially have limited supply and will be rollout out to 6,500 stores nationwide prior to expansion.
- **Maximizing Assistance from FEMA to Support to States**— The White House released a [memo on this assistance](#), which will states that states, territories and tribes will be fully reimbursed retroactively from January 20, 2020 and going forward for FEMA-eligible services – including masks, gloves, emergency feeding actions, sheltering at risk populations, and mobilization of the National Guard. More info available at [FEMA.gov](#).
- **Additional Details on Increasing Vaccine Supply, Initial Launch of the Federal Retail Pharmacy Program, and Expansion of FEMA Reimbursement to States**—The Biden Administration released a [Fact Sheet](#) on additional steps to implement his comprehensive National Strategy to combat the COVID-19 pandemic.
- **New Variants of the Virus that Causes COVID-19**—Updates on the UK, South Africa and Brazil variants are available from the CDC [here](#).
- **State Profile Reports**—HHS and the White House COVID-19 response team have released the [weekly state profile snapshot](#). The purpose of this report is to develop a shared understanding of the current status of the pandemic at the national, regional, state, and local levels.
- **Blood Thinners and COVID-19**—NIH Director Collins posted a [blog on blood thinners](#) and COVID-19. Interim findings based on more than 1,000 moderately ill patients suggest that individuals hospitalized, but not severely ill, with COVID-19 who received a full intravenous dose of the common blood thinner heparin were less likely to need vital organ support, including mechanical ventilation, compared to those who received the lower “prophylactic” subcutaneous dose. More study is needed to sort out all the details about when more aggressive blood thinning treatment is warranted. Trial investigators are now working to make the full results available to help inform a doctor’s decisions about how to best to treat their patients hospitalized with COVID-19.
- **Message to Long-Term Care Facility Workers and Vaccinations**—In response to the CDC [MMWR research findings of low rates of vaccination](#) among staff in skilled nursing facilities, CDC posted a message for Long-Term Care facility staff: You have an essential role in fighting COVID-19. Your decision to get vaccinated can help protect more than just your health. You can lead the way for residents, colleagues, and others. Learn more: [here](#).



Upcoming Trainings & Events

Disabilities & Disasters: Collaborating for Positive Change, February Lunch-N-Learn

Join us in exploring how collaborative relationships can positively impact response efforts to help those with disabilities, on **Tuesday, February 16th at 1pm**. Register for the webinar [here](#).

Medical Countermeasures: Point of Dispensing (POD), Planning and Response

This course is a guide for local health officials and their partners to coordinate plans to provide mass distribution of medical countermeasures in response to a large-scale public health incident. The course material is applicable to pandemic influenza, bio-terrorism, and other public health emergencies. Registration for the March 31st—April 1st class and more info available [HERE](#).



Health & Medical Hazard Vulnerability Analysis (HVA) Virtual Workshop

This virtual workshop will take place on **Thursday, February 25th from 2pm - 4pm**. It was developed by the International Medical Corps to assist healthcare facilities and their response partners in improving their risk assessments and transition from hazard identification to plan and policy development in order to mitigate threats. This course serves as a “what’s next?” training for facilities and agencies that have completed an initial risk assessment or Hazard Vulnerability Analysis (HVA). Participants will be asked to bring their HVA with them to the training. Register [here](#).



Lessons Learned: ADA Coordinators Talk about COVID-19

This webinar, on **Wednesday, February 10th at 2-3:30pm**, will feature a COVID-19 discussion with ADA Coordinators from different parts of the Mid-Atlantic Region. They will share lessons learned and best practices. More info and registration [here](#).

Virtual Hospital Emergency Response Training for MCI (HERT-B-2)

This 8-hour virtual course on **February 18th**, a collaboration with Johns Hopkins All Children’s and the Center for Domestic Preparedness, addresses healthcare response at the operations level and is intended for healthcare responders such as physicians, nurses, administrators, security personnel, environmental, and other hospital staff. More info and registration [here](#).

Virtual Instructor Led Training with CDP

FEMA’s Center for Domestic Preparedness is continuing to offer a plethora of virtual and webinar platforms, many of which are very applicable to the health and medical community. A few examples include [Hospital Incident Command System](#), [Healthcare Facility Preparedness](#), and [Medical Surge Management](#). A full list of virtual offerings is available [here](#).



PAPR Training with Code Pinke Crisis Planning

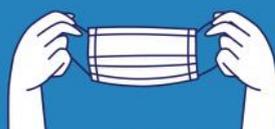
The Coalition would like to schedule additional sessions of OSHA Trainings on PAPRs & PPE for Highly Infectious Disease and Decon, in collaboration with Pinke Crisis Consulting. This training will familiarize students with use of PAPRs in infectious disease and contaminated environments, and give them practice in donning and doffing critical PPE. If your facility is interested in hosting, please reach out to [Hunter Zager](#).

2021 Governor’s Hurricane Conference

The 2021 Governor’s Hurricane Conference, scheduled for May 16-21, 2021, has been canceled, allow Florida emergency leaders to concentrate on COVID and the vaccination efforts. The 2022 Conference is scheduled for May 8th—13th, 2022 in West Palm Beach & registration will open September 1st, 2021. For those registered for the 2021 conference, a full refund will be issued.



Resource Needs? The Coalition has a supply of one-gallon jugs of hand sanitizer and surgical masks that are available to any of our member organizations that are in need. If you are interested, contact Franklin Riddle at Franklin.Riddle@TampaBayHMPC.org.



Coalition Highlights

Coalition on the Road!—Electrostatic Sprayer Distribution

Distribution of the Epix 360 Electrostatic Disinfectant Sprayers that were purchased for our member LTC facilities and partners has been occurring throughout January. Eligible receiving facilities have been sent email to coordinate pick up and/or delivery. Should you have any questions, please contact [Franklin Riddle](#).



Hillsborough County's New Ambubus!

Hillsborough County Fire Rescue is proud to show off its assembled and painted ambubus! The ambubus kit, which allows for the transport of up to 12 non-ambulatory and 6 ambulatory patients at once, was obtained through the Coalition's project funding process in 2020. Hillsborough County coordinated obtaining the bus and will be integrating it into their operations and response



FYI: [Victory Innovations Recalls Electrostatic Sprayers with Lithium-ion Battery Packs Due to Fire and Explosion Hazards.](#)

Note: These are NOT the sprayers purchased by the Coalition. We just wanted to share the info, in case you have this type/brand.

Statewide Conference Calls

State Hospital Call, 2/02/2021

State Surgeon General Dr. Rivkees

- Continuing to see decrease spread within the state and Rt value = 0.9.
- Number of new cases each day are trending downward in addition to hospitalizations.
- Variants –UK B1117, South Africa B1351, Brazil P1 – FDOH is randomly selecting specimens to test for variants and thus far we have only identified the UK variant in FL. The variants do not seem to be escaping the vaccine.
- Need to continue with mitigation strategies such as hand hygiene, improving ventilation, and social distancing.
- We appreciate the partnerships for providing monoclonal antibody treatments.
- Many partners are assisting with administering vaccine and we appreciate those of you doing this. Your second doses will be automatically shipped to you.
- Vaccinations need to be reported into FL SHOTS within 24 hours.
- 1.7 million people have been vaccinated in Florida.
- 88% of vaccine that has come to the state for first dose has been administered.

AHCA Deputy Secretary Molly McKinstry

- 6552 hospitalized which is a 20% drop in the last 2 weeks; 2832 LTC cases which is a 17% decline in the last 2 weeks.
- Nothing new this week but we did modify questions last week in regard to differentiating in inventory between first and second dose. For first dose, report cumulative number of everyone who receives a second dose. Do not reduce this number when someone moves to second dose.

Q & A

- If we have unused second dose vaccine, then should we start first dose for others? AHCA – Please ensure that you have correct accounting of first dose and second dose. If you have extra second doses that you want to use for first dose, then you have to consider where the second dose will come and what your allocation is. SG –Don't want to use second dose for first dose because of the need to have allocation for additional second doses.
- Florida SHOTS data entry question –Hospital 1 gave vaccine to patient on Dec 29 and they were scheduled to give next dose Jan 25. Patient was seen at hospital 2 and vaccination history was not correct as it showed Dec 28 and then original hospital could not enter the data as SHOTS rejected.
- For someone who receives first dose then tests positive for COVID, should they get second dose? SG –Yes as long as the person is no longer symptomatic (i.e. 10 days). You have to wait until the person is recovered to give second dose.
- Hospital in Okeechobee County expressed concern about not being able to get vaccine. SG stated that when state gets vaccine they will push it out.
- Where do we redirect people who have had monoclonal antibody treatment for second dose for 90 days? SG –hold on to second dose. For this specific circumstance please follow up with us offline.
- Please help ensure that medically vulnerable understand how to access vaccine. Define medically vulnerable. SG –Medically vulnerable applies for those ages 16 –64.

Updated Health Care Provider Telephone Conference Call Information

Beginning **Tuesday, February 23, 2021**, the health care provider telephone conference call will be held monthly, the 4th Tuesday of each month, at 5:30 p.m. Participants are asked to email questions in advance to Provider.COVID19@flhealth.gov no later than close of business on the Monday preceding the call. All participants will be muted during these calls to help streamline information delivery. Call-In Number: 888-585-9008; Conference ID: 208-305-233.

COVID-19 Vaccine Distribution

Florida has many sites that are providing COVID-19 vaccines, but supplies are limited and appointments may not be available at many of these sites. Please be aware that some locations are only serving very specific populations, such as frontline health care workers. Appointments may be required and vaccine availability will vary from day to day and week to week as we work to provide vaccines to the most vulnerable first.

- ◇ **Statewide**—FDOH maintains a statewide list of vaccine locations [here](#).
- ◇ **Citrus** – Drive-thru vaccination sites are being provided by FDOH in Citrus County. Individuals can now be added to a waiting list for vaccine appointments and be notified when appointments are available by visiting myvaccine.fl.gov or by calling 866-201-0442.
 - ⇒ Langley Health Services- Appointments are only available at out Sumterville location at this time. Please call 352-793-5900 to schedule an appt. More information [HERE](#).
- ◇ **Hardee** – To register for vaccine in Hardee County, go to: <https://myvaccine.fl.gov/> or call 866-201-3158 (scheduling number 863-773-4161).
- ◇ **Hernando** - Currently, the vaccine is available in limited supply for the following select priority groups in Hernando County: (More information [HERE](#))
 - ⇒ Long-Term Care Facility residents and staff - Receiving vaccines on site
 - ⇒ Hospital staff - Receiving vaccines on site
 - ⇒ Persons 65 years of age and older - Vaccine available through DOH-Hernando or local Publix locations **by appointment only**.
- ◇ **Hillsborough** – University Mall, 2200 E Fowler Ave, Tampa, FL 3312. By Appointment Only at: myvaccine.fl.gov, Registration: 866-200-3896, Helpline: 833-540-2028
- ◇ **Manatee** - Tom Bennett Park, 400 Cypress Creek Blvd, Bradenton, FL 34208. The number to call is 311 for assistance or go online to vax.mymanatee.org to register.
- ◇ **Pasco - By Appointment Only**
 - ⇒ T-Th: Sears Auto Center at the Gulfview Square Mall – 9409 US Hwy. 19, Port Richey, FL 34668. M-W-F: Saint Leo University – 33701 State Road 52, St. Leo, FL 33574
 - ⇒ Publix [COVID-19 Vaccination Locations](#)
- ◇ **Pinellas**
 - ⇒ **Department of Health Vaccine Program:** Residents who were unable to book appointments should still create an account at <https://www.patientportalfl.com> to ease future scheduling. When creating an account, you can also sign up for notifications about new appointments, which will be delivered via Alert Pinellas.
 - ⇒ **Publix:** Appointments can only be made at www.publix.com/covidvaccine and all patients will be required to show proof of Florida residency. At this time, Publix has announced the following appointment window: Friday, Feb. 5, at 7 a.m. appointments will open up for Monday to Thursday (Feb. 8-11).
- ◇ **Polk** - FDOH COVID-19 Vaccine [Registration Portal](#) is now open for reservations for those 65 years old and older, who wish to be inoculated once vaccine becomes available. You can create an account and upload your personal information for a future appointment. Those needing additional help, or who prefer to register by phone, can call the COVID-19 Vaccine Call Center at (863) 298-7500. More information [HERE](#).
- ◇ **Sumter**— Global Medical Response (GMR) will join the health department in mass vaccination and resume their operations on Thursday, 4 February. They will start with 600 vaccines per day and rapidly expand to provide 800-1200 vaccines per day.

Coronavirus Vaccine at Publix—The following FL residents are eligible for the COVID-19 vaccine, by appointment only at [participating locations](#) (List of locations updated 2/2/21 [HERE](#)):

- healthcare personnel with direct patient contact
- residents and staff of long term healthcare facilities, and
- adults aged 65 years and older.

Drive-Thru & Walk-Up COVID-19 Testing Sites

- **BayCare**– [screening and testing locations](#)
- CVS is operating multiple [self-swab testing sites](#) in Tampa Bay.
- **Citrus County**
 - ◇ Brashear’s Pharmacy: <https://www.brashearspharmacy.com/covid/> Phone: (Inverness only) 352-637-2079
 - ◇ G & R Pharmacy: <https://www.gandrpharmacy.com/> Phone: 352-527-3111
 - ◇ **Langley Health Service**– 151 E, Highland Ave, Inverness, FL. For more information please visit [our website](#) or call 352-419-5760
 - ◇ [Quick Care Med](#)– 844-797-8425
- **Hardee- Florida Department of Health**-Free COVID testing by appointment only. Please call 863-773-4161. M-F 8:30AM- 3:00 PM
- **Hernando County**
 - ◇ **Florida Department of Health in Hernando County**– Free COVID testing by appointment only. Please call 352-540-6800.
 - ◇ **Premier Community Healthcare**– Free COVID testing on Thursdays, 8am-noon by appointment only. Please call 352-518-2000
 - ◇ **Care One of Florida**– Bill Insurance. Brooksville: 12220 Cortez Blvd, Brookville, FL, 34613. 352-556-5216. Spring Hill: 11115 County Line Rd, Spring Hill, 352-683-1982
 - ◇ **Suncoast Urgent Care**– Bill Insurance. M-Sat 9am– 9pm & Sun 10am-4pm. 4112 Mariner Blvd, Spring Hill. 352-251-2304
- **Hillsborough County**– more information [here](#)
 - ◇ An appointment is required at these sites and can be made online or over the phone. To [schedule an appointment](#) online, click the link under the location name. To schedule an appointment over the phone, call (888) 513-6321. The call center is open Monday through Friday, from 8 AM to 5 PM. Note that appointments cannot be made for same-day testing.
 - ⇒ Vance Vogel Sports Complex, 13012 Bullfrog Creek in Riverview
 - ⇒ William Owen Pass Sports Complex, 1300 Sydney Dover Road in Dover
 - ⇒ University of South Florida, 3515 E. Fletcher Ave. in Tampa
 - ◇ Testing is done on a first-come, first-serve basis at these locations. Appointments are not scheduled in advance. Registration is conducted when you arrive on site.
 - ⇒ Lee Davis Community Resource Center, 3402 N. 22nd St., Tampa. Monday through Thursday, 8 AM to 4 PM
 - ⇒ Raymond James Stadium, 4201 N Dale Mabry Hwy, Tampa, FL 33607. Tuesday through Saturday, 8 AM - 4 PM
- **Manatee County**- Testing is available at the following locations:
 - ⇒ [Free testing is available at the Bradenton Area Convention Center](#), daily from 8 a.m. - 4 p.m. (or until capacity is reached)
 - ⇒ [Free testing is available at the regional drive-thru testing site at 5400 Bradenton Road, Sarasota](#), daily from 9 a.m. - 5 p.m. (or until capacity is reached)
 - ⇒ Testing is available at [MCR Health locations](#) in Manatee County
 - ⇒ [View map of all state testing sites](#) (operated by Florida Division of Emergency Management)
 - ⇒ **MCR Health**—all drive through sites have ceased operation, however testing is still offered at each of their clinics. Additional information on the nearest MCR clinic can be found [HERE](#).

- **Pasco County-** It is recommended that people call facilities prior to going for testing to ensure they meet any guidelines required by the provider.
 - ◇ **BayCare** Testing Site at Gulfview Square Mall, 9409 U.S. Highway 19, New Port, Richey, FL 34668. Weekdays, 8-11am. More info available [HERE](#).
 - ◇ Privately– Run Collection Sites: It is recommended that people call facilities prior to going for testing to ensure they meet any guidelines required by the provider.
 - ⇒ AdventHealth - 1127 Bruce B. Downs Blvd. Wesley Chapel, 877-847-8747
 - ⇒ Care One- 10435 US Hwy. 19 Port Richey, 727-378-4477
 - ⇒ Doctor’s Urgent Care - 3256 Gunn Hwy. Odessa 813-920-0023
 - ⇒ Florida Medical Urgent Care- 38021 Market Square Zephyrhills, 813-715-0374
 - ⇒ Florida Medical Urgent Care- 2352 Bruce B. Downs Ste. 101, Wesley Chapel, 813-929-3600
 - ⇒ Med Express- 8849 SR 52, Hudson 727-863-7150
 - ⇒ Med Express - 22945 SR 54, Lutz 813-909-9099
 - ⇒ Premier- 14027 5th St, Dade City 352-518-2000
 - ⇒ Premier Community Healthcare- 6906 Madison Ave. New Port Richey, 352-518-2000
 - ⇒ Suncoast Urgent Care- 10730 State Rd 54 New Port Richey, 727-274-9138
 - ⇒ Wiregrass Direct Primary Care- 2726 Windguard Cir. Ste. 102, Wesley Chapel, 813-999-0505

- **Pinellas County**
 - ◇ **County/State Sponsored Drive-Thru Testing Site @** the Tropicana Field ,Parking Lot 2, located on W side of the stadium off 16th St. S, St. Petersburg. Limit 4 people per car. The site will be open 8 a.m. to 3 p.m., Tuesdays through Saturdays.
 - ◇ **BayCare-** Ruth Eckerd Hall site will be open Monday – Friday: 7 to 10 a.m. More info available [HERE](#).
 - ◇ No-cost COVID-19 testing will be held at 2 **Community Health Centers of Pinellas** testing sites. Evening Hours Drive-Up (No Appointments) 5:00pm-8:00pm (or capacity). More info available [HERE](#). These sites are offering testing for any Pinellas resident, regardless of symptoms. Locations are as follows:
 - ⇒ 707 East Druid Road, Clearwater. Evening Hours Drive-Up - Thursdays
 - ⇒ 7550 43rd Street North, Pinellas Park- Tuesdays and Thursdays
 - ◇ **Department of Health-Pinellas** (specific location provided once appointment is scheduled) Monday – Friday: 8:30 a.m. – 4 p.m. (727) 824-6900.
 - ◇ **AFC Urgent Care** -Free COVID-19 and COVID-19 Antibody Testing
 - ⇒ 1500 N. McMullen Booth Road, Clearwater. Monday – Friday: 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Saturdays & Sundays: 9 a.m. to 6 p.m. (727) 266-1266
 - ⇒ 7101 U.S. Highway 19 N., Pinellas Park. Monday – Friday: 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Saturdays & Sundays: 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. (727) 01-8585
 - ⇒ 11241 Park Blvd Suite A Seminole. Monday – Friday: 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Saturdays & Sundays: 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. (727) 394-3828
 - ⇒ 2241 66th St N St. Petersburg. Monday – Friday: 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. Saturdays & Sundays: 8 a.m. – 5 p.m. (727) 273-1700
 - ◇ **Doctor’s Urgent Care-** Appointment required, only with symptoms or exposure Call locations for holiday hours. 34621 U.S. Highway 19, Palm Harbor. Monday – Friday: 9 a.m. to 7 p.m. Saturdays & Sundays: 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. (727) 953-9888

◇ **Your Kids Urgent Care-** Call locations for holiday hours

- ⇒ 4040 49th St. N., St. Petersburg. Monday – Friday: 7 – 10 p.m. Saturday & Sunday: 12 p.m. – 8 p.m. (727) 526-6483
- ⇒ 12190 Seminole Boulevard, Suite A, Largo. Monday – Friday: 7 – 10 p.m. Saturday & Sunday: 12 p.m. – 8 p.m. (727) 586-6483

• **Polk County**

- ◇ **BayCare Testing Site** — Gil Jones Center, 3425 Lake Alfred Road, Winter Haven, FL 33881. 7 - 11 a.m., Monday, Wednesday and Friday . More info available [HERE](#).
- ◇ **Children's Emergency Department at the Carol Jenkins Barnett Pavilion for Women and Children**—A doctor's order is needed to be tested. Hours are 8 a.m. to 8 p.m. seven days a week. An appointment is not needed.
- ◇ **DOH-Polk Auburndale Clinic**—1805 Hobbs Road, Auburndale, FL 33823. Mon-Fri, 8am-6pm
- ◇ **Haines City Adult Day Care Center**—751 Scenic Hwy., Haines City, FL 33844. Mon-Fri, 8am-5pm
- ◇ **Lakeland Adult Day Care Center**—1200 Southern Ave., Lakeland, FL 33815. Mon-Fri, 8am-5pm.
- ◇ **Lakeland Regional Health** at DE Garage on the Medical Center Campus. Those tested at the Drive-Thru Testing site must schedule an appointment by calling 863.413.5907. More information [HERE](#).
- ◇ **Medulla Community Center**, 1049 Parker Road, Lakeland, FL 33811. Saturday: 7 a.m. - 3 p.m. (863) 413-5907
- ◇ **Watson Clinic Urgent Care Main**—1600 Lakeland Hills Blvd., Lakeland, FL 33805. Mon-Sun, 8am-6pm.
- ◇ **Watson Clinic Urgent Care South** -1033 N Parkway Frontage Rd, Lakeland, FL 33803. Mon-Sun, 8am-6pm.
- ◇ **Watson Clinic Urgent Care**-,2300 E. County Road 540A, Lakeland Highlands, FL 33813 Mon-Sat, 8:00am-6:00pm. Sun– 9am-3pm. 863-393-9472

• **Sumter County**

- ◇ **Sumter County Health Department-** Free COVID-19 Testing. No symptoms required. No antibody testing available. Appointments required, please call 352-569-3102 to schedule. Please bring Photo ID with you to your appointment. Questions? Please call 352-569-3102 or email AskSumter@FLHealth.gov
- ◇ **Langley Health Services**—COVID-19 testing at Sumterville, Ocala, and Inverness locations. The testing times are as follows: 8:00am-4:30pm M-Th, 8:00am- 3:30pm on Fri and 8am-1pm on Saturday in Sumterville only. For more information please visit [our website](#) or call 352-793-5900.



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