

Memo

October 18, 2022

To: Richard J. Johnson Town Manager

Fr: Wendy S. Mis *WSM*Director of Health

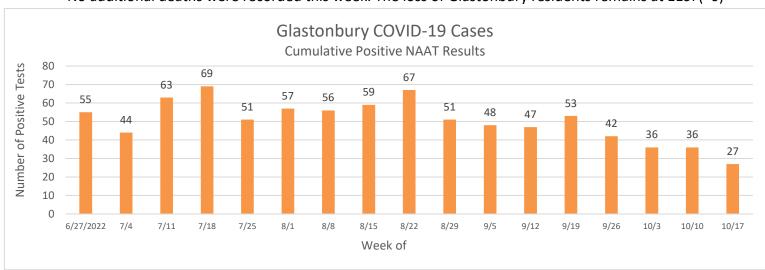
Re: COVID-19 update

Connecticut Department of Public Health (CT DPH) has recently revised how COVID-19 data is presented. Publicly available datasets previously used to populate charts and graphs for Glastonbury's weekly COVID-19 reports are no longer available, and data from the new systems are not directly comparable to old systems. An archive of DPH data can be found here. Previous Glastonbury reports can be found on the Town website here.

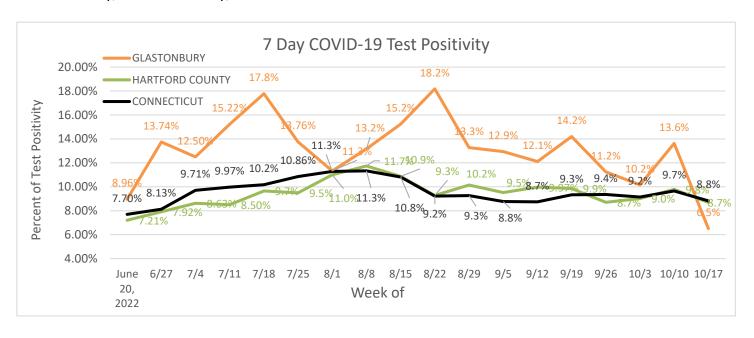
This report contains data from laboratory-confirmed results. At home tests are not included in this data, so information and graphs demonstrate trends rather than a full accounting of cases. Numbers in (parentheses) indicate change from the previous week.

As per CT Department of Public Health data from October 17, 2022:

- A total of 132,215 tests have been administered to Glastonbury residents. (+305)
- Of the 132,215 tests administered, 7,378 were laboratory positive <u>NAAT</u> cases. (+27)
- No additional deaths were recorded this week. The loss of Glastonbury residents remains at 119. (+0)



Test positivity is calculated as a rolling 7-day test positivity by specimen collection date; all positive molecular (PCR/NAAT) test results are divided by all molecular (PCR/NAAT) test results (positive and negative) for the last 7 days and multiplied by 100 to reach a percentage. Results are shown below for Glastonbury, Hartford County, and the state of Connecticut overall.



COVID-19 Vaccine update

The COVID-19 booster vaccine available this fall is specifically tailored to combat the two most prevalent omicron subvariants, BA.4 and BA.5. A person is eligible for a booster if it has been at least two months since their last COVID-19 vaccine (whether the primary series or any booster). The Moderna booster shot is approved for people ages 6 years and older and the Pfizer-BioNTech vaccine is authorized for people ages 5 years and older.

Additional clinics can be found at **www.vaccines.gov** and entering the zip code for the search area.

COVID-19 Testing locations

<u>CLICK HERE</u> for the 2-1-1 of Connecticut online site to search for COVID-19 testing. Users may refine their search by zip code, type of test and key demographics of individual to be tested.

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	DATE	TIME	WHERE	AGES ALLOWED	APPOINTMENT NEEDED?
COVID-19 Shots and Boosters	Wednesday, October 19	3 - 7 PM	RCC 300 Welles Street	Primary series ages 6 months and older; booster ages 5 years (Pfizer) or 6 years (Moderna) and older	NO
	Tuesday, November 1	2 - 5 PM	RCC 300 Welles Street	Primary series ages 6 months and older; booster ages 5 years (Pfizer) or 6 years (Moderna) and older	NO
Questions? Email: judie.threatt@glastonburyct.gov					
Flu Shots	Wednesday, October 19	3 - 6 PM	RCC 300 Welles Street	18 years and older	YES: www.Glastonburyct.gov/flushot
	Tuesday, November 1	2 - 5 PM	RCC 300 Welles Street	18 years and older	YES: www.Glastonburyct.gov/flushot
Questions? Call the Health Department at 860-652-7534					

Data for this report is gathered from publicly available data at https://data.ct.qov/stories/s/COVID-19-data/wa3q-tfvc/
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