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(Macon County, MO) – During the week of September 29 – October 5, there were 19 new cases of COVID-19. Currently, there are 24 active cases with 2 residents hospitalized with none of those vaccinated. Of these 19 new cases, 5 were vaccinated, and, there were no new cases of reinfection. Of the last 651 cases, 561 were not vaccinated.

Of the 19 positive cases, 2 were under 19 years of age; 4 in their 20’s; 2 in their 30’s; 3 in their 40’s; 3 in their 50’s; 3 in their 60’s; 2 in their 70’s; 0 in their 80’s; and, 0 in their 90’s. Most of this week’s new cases are in Macon city (7 cases), Anabel (0 cases), Atlanta (6 case), Bevier (2 cases), Callao (0 cases), Elmer (0 cases), Ethel (0 cases), Excello (0 cases), La Plata (2 cases), and, New Cambria (2 cases).

The Macon County Health Department offers Moderna and Johnson & Johnson vaccines weekly in their office and will be offered at their drive-thru flu and COVID vaccine clinic on October 7 at the Macon County Fairgrounds from 9 am-4:30 pm. If planning to get a second dose of Moderna or a Pfizer booster dose at this drive-thru clinic, it is important to bring your vaccine card to determine eligibility and to update the record. Moderna and Pfizer booster doses are recommended for moderately to severely immunocompromised residents and a Pfizer booster is recommended for individuals over the age of 65, immunocompromised residents and residents’ high risk due to lifestyle or occupational exposure. Both Samaritan Hospital and Macon County Health Department are offering these booster doses by appointment.

The following reflects COVID-19 in Macon County as of the end of the day on October 5, 2021 –

- 24 active cases
- 2 hospitalized
- 22 deaths (DHSS dashboard only reflects 20)
- 2,249 total cases since March 2020

Positive Children Data by Town

						La	New	
August 2021	Total	Atlanta	Bevier	Callao	Excello	Plata	Macon	Cambria
5-10 year old	9	0	0	0	0	1	8	0
11-14 year old	4	0	2	0	0	0	2	0
15-18 year old	9	0	0	1	0	0	7	1
	<u>22</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>17</u>	<u>1</u>

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September 2021	Total	Atlanta	Bevier	Callao	Excello	Plata	Macon	Cambria
5-10 year old	7	0	1	0	0	5	1	0
11-14 year old	5	0	1	0	1	1	2	0
15-18 year old	7	0	0	0	0	1	6	0
	<u>19</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>0</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>7</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>0</u>

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