

Ops Update

For all Michigan Medicine Faculty, Staff and Learners

Tuesday, Sept. 14, 2021, 7:30 a.m.

Please share this information with your teams and front line staff, especially those who may not access emails or computers.

NEW TODAY: Here's the latest information about Michigan Medicine's management of operations:

- **COVID-19 PATIENT STATS**
- **TEAM MEMBER COVID-19 TESTING**
- **VACCINE STATS**
- **9/10 TOWN HALL VIDEO**
- **INPATIENT COVID-19 VACCINATION LAUNCH 9/20**
- **COVID-19 PREVENTION BEST PRACTICES**
- **HIT PAUSE: HOPE, INSPIRATION, GRATITUDE**

DAILY COVID-19 PATIENT STATS

Today's census for COVID-19 inpatients and those patients under investigation (PUI) are noted below:

	TOTAL INPATIENTS	TESTED POSITIVE	PUI	ICU POSITIVE
ADULT	41	40	1	13
PEDIATRIC	1	1	0	1

View COVID-19 Dashboard: <https://uhabccappspr1.umhs.med.umich.edu/>

COVID-19 Patient Percent Positivity (7 day moving average, as of 9/13)

Symptomatic testing: 8.00%

Asymptomatic testing: 1.37%

Discharges: 3,017 total COVID-19 discharges to date, 7 in the last 24 hours. These numbers include patients discharged to skilled nursing facilities but exclude deaths and discharges to hospice.

Deaths and hospice: Since March 10, 2020 Michigan Medicine hospitals have had 288 total deaths or discharges to hospice, 0 in the last 24 hours.

TEAM MEMBER COVID-19 TESTING STATS*

POSITIVE	2,255
EMPLOYEES TESTED	16,482
TOTAL TESTS	34,148

** Data from 3/10/20 through 9/9/21. The testing stats reflect just Michigan Medicine employees, not all University of Michigan employees. It also reflects only those who sought testing at or were hospitalized at Michigan Medicine or reported their testing to Occupational Health Services. Some Michigan Medicine employees may have been tested outside our system.*

Michigan Medicine Employee Rolling COVID Data	
Employees Positive Cases for preceding week: 8/22 - 9/3/2021	52
Employee Positive Cases Last 7 Days	78
Employees Tested Last 7 Days	1064
Positivity Rate (Week of 8/28 - 9/3/2021)	7.33%

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VACCINE STATS

Find the most timely and up-to-date information on the [Vaccine FAQs](#) and the [Vaccine Dashboard](#).

9/10 TOWN HALL VIDEO

On Friday, Sept. 10, Michigan Medicine leaders held a virtual Town Hall to discuss COVID-19 updates, updates/reminders on the COVID-19 vaccine policy, testing, the Flexible First initiative and a Q&A session. In case you missed it, you can view the video by [clicking here](#).

INPATIENT COVID-19 VACCINATION LAUNCH 9/20

On Monday, Sept. 20, Michigan Medicine will begin offering COVID-19 vaccines to the following partially vaccinated and unvaccinated inpatients within University Hospital, Frankel Cardiovascular Center, Von Voigtlander Women's Hospital and C.S. Mott Children's Hospital:

- Patients 12+ years old who are receiving care in Adult, Adult ICU, Women's, Pediatric, Pediatric ICU, 6A Rehab, Observation, Adult Psychiatry and Child & Adolescent Psychiatry units

Pfizer BioNTech, Moderna and Johnson and Johnson's Janssen vaccine will all be available through the inpatient vaccination program.

Details regarding workflow, MiChart Tip Sheets and FAQs to assist with patient communication can be found on the [COVID-19 Inpatient Clinical Guidance](#) page of the IPE website, under "Patient Care."

COVID-19 PREVENTION BEST PRACTICES

COVID-19 transmission is high in our community and we have been seeing clusters amongst staff on multiple units. We are at a point where it is critical to reinforce the main prevention strategies for COVID-19. Please review the [COVID-19 Prevention Best Practices](#) to stay safe and help prevent COVID-19 transmission.

HIT PAUSE: HOPE, INSPIRATION, GRATITUDE

In this spot, we will share stories of hope, inspiration and gratitude. Take a few minutes to pause and reflect on this message from Marschall Runge, Michigan Medicine CEO.

As COVID-19 cases rise in our hospitals again, I know the pandemic continues to take a toll on all of us—particularly the care teams whose dedication and sacrifices are immeasurable. I want to express the deepest gratitude to all at Michigan Medicine for demonstrating our values with every patient encounter and in how you support those around you even when you are exhausted and overwhelmed.

You are making a difference for our patients, for each other and for many people you may never meet or know.

A colleague shared some words that Dr. Anthony Fauci delivered to healthcare workers earlier this year, and I thought they reflected exactly what the Michigan Medicine team is all about:

“You have demonstrated selfless courage, boundless commitment, and exceptional compassion in giving care and comfort....Going forward, please look out for and uplift one another. Together, we can and we will end this pandemic.”

The new presidential vaccination rules and the promising research on vaccines and treatments give us much reason for hope. As we continue to battle this virus, please look for little signs of hope and joy in your daily life. Even small moments of joy can pick you up and give you the energy to tackle a new day.

On behalf of all of us on the Michigan Medicine executive team, please know that what you do each day to carry out our mission in the midst of the pandemic is truly appreciated.

Weekly bulletins and policies are posted on Michigan Medicine Headlines at <https://mmheadlines.org/covid-19-updates/>. Please bookmark this site and refer to it for the most up-to-date information.