Forsyth County Government
COVID-19 Daily Briefing
August 11, 2020
Updated weekdays by approximately 12:30pm

Thirty-one new cases have been reported since yesterday's daily briefing was issued. There have been 5,317 laboratory-confirmed cases in Forsyth County. All cases reported by the Forsyth County Department of Public Health are Forsyth County residents. Of the 5,317, 4,230 are presumed recovered. The case count is subject to change throughout the day but will only be reported once per day in the daily briefing.

The Public Health Director will provide a detailed briefing at 2:00pm at the beginning of the August 20th Board of County Commissioners meeting, which will be conducted remotely. The public can listen to and watch the meeting on WSTV 13 or by clicking on this link: https://www.cityofws.org/493/WSTV-13

The Public Health Director will hold a Question & Answer session with the media at 4:00pm on August 13th. The call-in information will be sent to the media today.

Forsyth County Department of Public Health's COVID-19 helpline is (336) 582-0800. **For information on COVID-19 testing locations, symptoms and prevention, as well as Safer at Home Order measures, visit: https://forsyth.cc/covidupdate.**
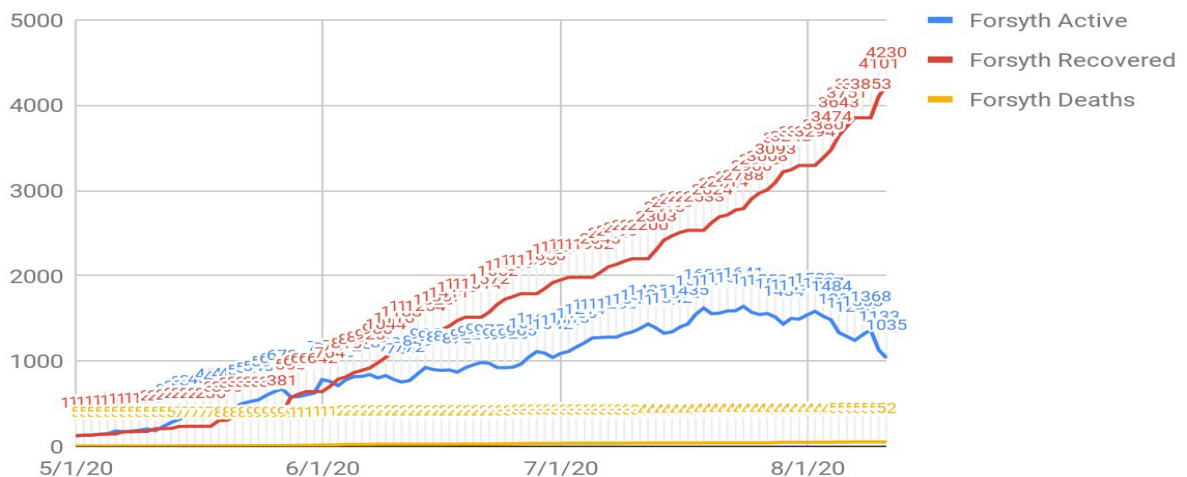
Public Health Director Comment
Public Health Director Joshua Swift commented, "The Forsyth County Department of Public Health is hosting another free COVID-19 testing event tomorrow, August 12th from 4pm to 7pm and Saturday, August 15th from 10am to 2pm at Shiloh Baptist Church 916 E. 12th Street in Winston-Salem. Drive-thru testing is available for both symptomatic and asymptomatic individuals. Walk-ups are also allowed. Registration is not required but is strongly encouraged. To register and for more information on testing, visit http://www.forsyth.cc/covidupdate."
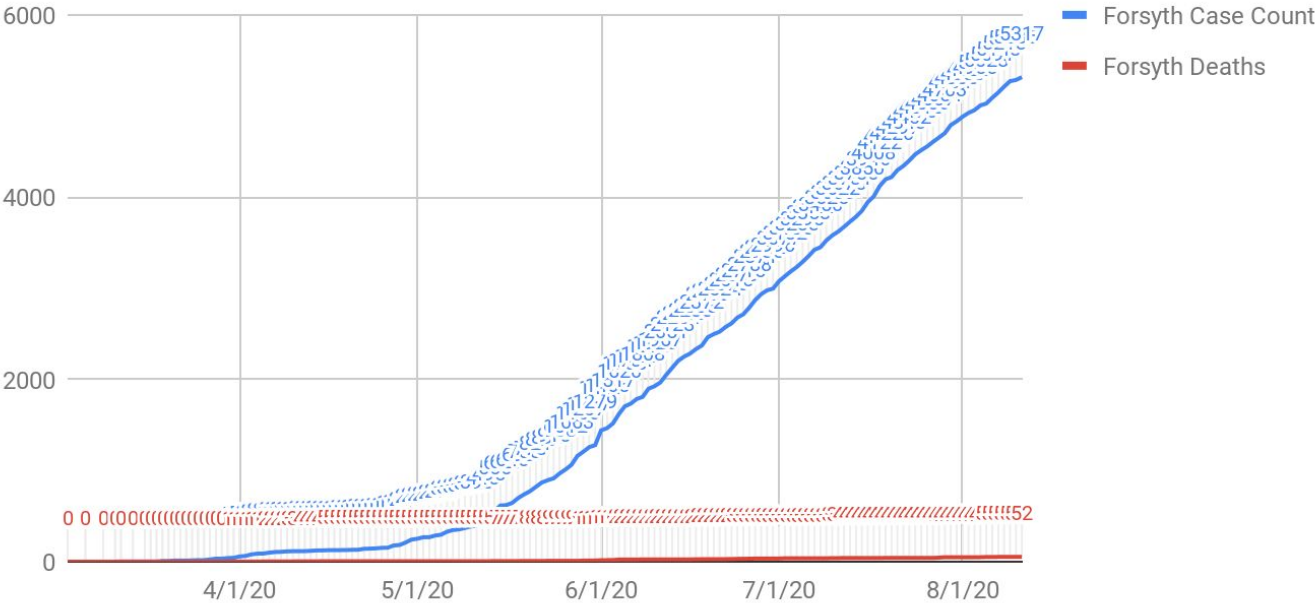
Case Count

Forsyth Cases	Forsyth Deaths	NC Cases	NC Deaths	NC Completed Tests	US Cases *	US Deaths *
5,317	52	137,895	2,204	2,017,498	5,100,636	163,613

Active and recovered data starting May 1, 2020

Forsyth County COVID-19 Case Count

Legend:
- Forsyth Case Count
- Forsyth Deaths

North Carolina COVID-19 Cases

Legend:
- NC Case Count
- Forsyth Case Count
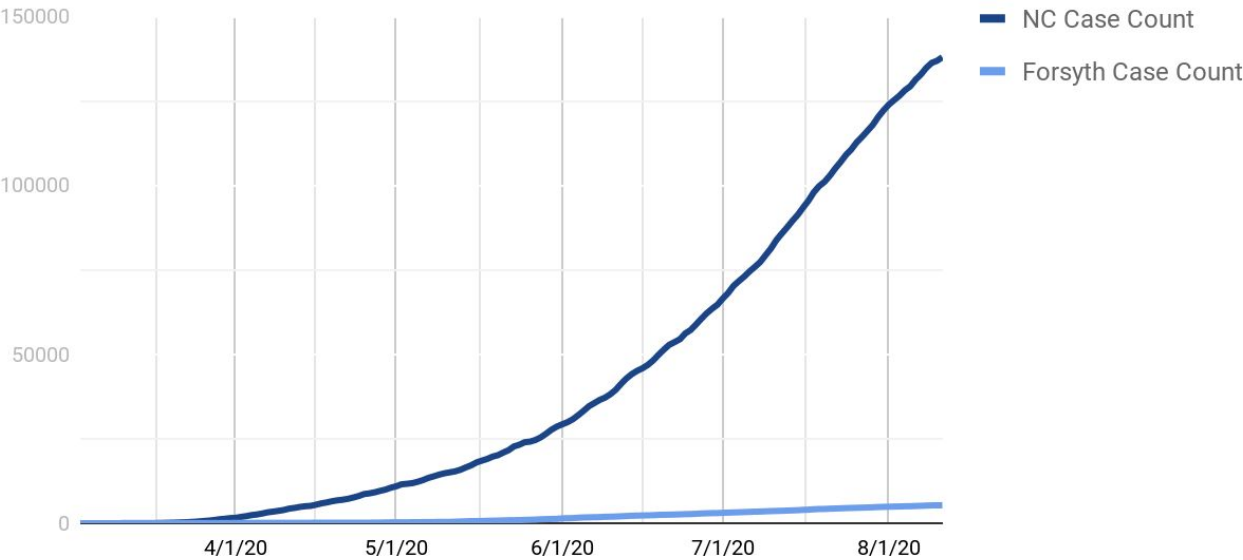
Sources: NCDHHS; Forsyth County Department of Public Health
*John Hopkins University as of 12:00pm

Operational Update
There are no operational updates to report today.

Forsyth County Government's helpline is available to answer questions about Phase 2. Please click this link to ask a question online: http://forsyth.cc/stayathome.aspx or call (336) 464-7800.

Any additional changes in Forsyth County's operations will be provided in this daily briefing which will be updated by 12:30pm daily.

Additional Information
NC Department of Health and Human Services has published additional metrics located here:
https://www.ncdhhs.gov/divisions/public-health/covid19/covid-19-nc-case-count

The Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation at the University of Washington has created a model for COVID-19 projections. The projections can be found here: https://covid19.healthdata.org/

Environmental Systems Research Institute's (ESRI) COVID-19 Cases and Planning Report is updated daily and can be found here: https://esridc.github.io/covid-report/?county=Forsyth%2C+NC