Forsyth County Government COVID-19 Daily Briefing September 4, 2020

Updated weekdays by approximately 12:30pm

Forty-eight new cases have been reported since yesterday's daily briefing was issued. There have been 6,335 laboratory-confirmed cases in Forsyth County. All cases reported by the Forsyth County Department of Public Health are Forsyth County residents. Of the 6,335, 5,582 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 September 10th 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 September 10th. The call-in information will be sent to the media next week.

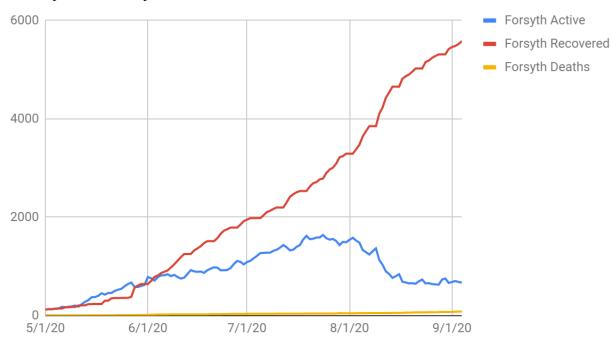
Forsyth County Department of Public Health's COVID-19 helpline is (336) 582-0800. For information on COVID-19 testing locations, symptoms and prevention, as well as Safer at Home Order measures, visit: <u>https://forsyth.cc/covidupdate</u>.

Public Health Director Comment

Public Health Director Joshua Swift commented, "The Forsyth County Department of Public Health will host its next testing event on Saturday, September 5th from 9 am to noon at Union Baptist Church 1200 Trade Street NW, Winston-Salem. For more information visit www.forsyth.cc/covidupdate"

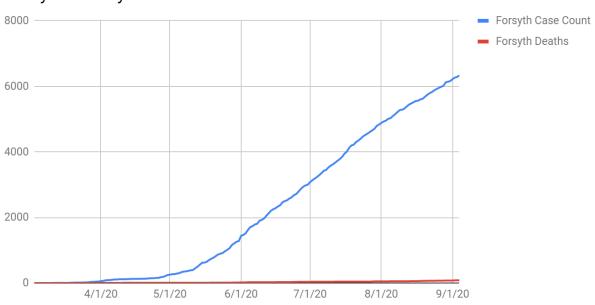
Case Count

Forsyth Cases	Forsyth Deaths	NC Cases	NC Deaths	NC Completed Tests	US Cases *	US Deaths *
6,335	82	174,254	2,839	2,389,096	6,166,939	186,984



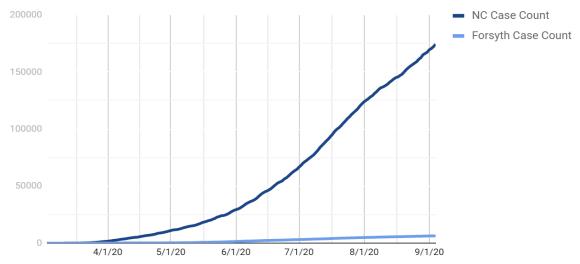
Forsyth County COVID-19 Cases

Active and recovered data starting May 1, 2020



Forsyth County COVID-19 Case Count

North Carolina COVID-19 Cases



Sources: <u>NCDHHS</u>; Forsyth County Department of Public Health <u>*John Hopkins University as of 12:00pm</u>

Operational Update

There are no operational updates to report today.

Forsyth County Government's helpline is available to answer questions about Phase 2.5. Please click this link to ask a question online: <u>http://forsyth.cc/stayathome.aspx</u> 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: <u>https://covid19.healthdata.org/</u>

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