# Yavapai County

Our Mission: "Yavapai County will serve and protect its citizens through efficient management of all its resources to enhance the lives of those we serve."

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### September 3rd Update - Yavapai County Community Health Services
### Yavapai County reports 6 new COVID-19 Cases, and 1 Confirmed Death

| Apache | 3,355 | Coconino | 3,355 | Cochise | 1,832 | Graham | 744 | Greenlee | 58 |
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| Gila | 1,122 | La Paz | 512 | Maricopa | 135,109 | Mohave | 3,675 | Navajo | 5,631 |
| Pima | 21,443 | Pinal | 9,744 | Santa Cruz | 2,761 | Yavapai | 2,331 | Yuma | 12,269 |

**1,490,996** Arizonans have been tested for COVID-19 with **203,953** positive results and **5,130** deaths. Yavapai County has tested **36,984** residents with a total of **2,331** positive cases, **1,016** recovered, and **78** deaths. YRMC West is caring for **4** COVID-19 patients, the East campus has **1** COVID-19 patient and there is **1** person under investigation (PUI). Verde Valley Medical Center reports **2** COVID-19 hospitalizations and **5** PUIs. The VA has **1** COVID-19 patient, and **no** PUIs.

| New COVID-19 Cases since Yesterday | | | | | | | | | |
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| Apache | +4 | Coconino | +9 | Cochise | +2 | Graham | +9 | Greenlee | n/c |
| Gila | +5 | La Paz | +14 | Maricopa | +763 | Mohave | +24 | Navajo | +6 |
| Pima | +149 | Pinal | +54 | Santa Cruz | +29 | Yavapai | +6 | Yuma | +5 |

As September gets underway, COVID-19 cases, hospitalizations and deaths in Yavapai County have been declining, however with the careful re-opening of businesses, schools and the Labor Day weekend, we encourage our residents to stay safe, wear a mask when in public places, and maintain your distance from others.

"We use Labor Day to take the day off, but unfortunately the virus doesn't," said epidemiologist Jennifer Nuzzo, a senior scholar at John Hopkins Center for Health Security. "The more we travel, the more we interact with people, the more opportunities there are for exposure, it's really best that we try to limit our movement as much as possible."

What's happening in college campuses across the nation is very concerning. Classes have only just begun, and yet college campuses across the country are continuing to struggle with sudden coronavirus outbreaks on their campuses. 36 states have reported a total of 8,700 COVID-19 cases at colleges and universities. Campuses are asking students with travel plans to get tested before leaving campus for the holiday to reduce the risk of exposing their friends and family at home.

**Suicide Prevention Month Message: You are not alone.** If you are thinking about suicide or are concerned about someone else, call the **National Suicide Prevention Lifeline (1-800-273-8255).** Skilled and trained counselors are available 24/7 to talk, answer questions, and help you navigate this challenging situation. You are not alone, and help is a phone call or chat away.

★ **County COVID-19 Data, Testing Sites, School & Business Guidelines & Resources: www.yavapai.us/chs**
★ **Yavapai Emergency Phone Bank: 928-442-5103 - Monday-Thursday, 8:00 a.m. – 5:00 p.m.**
★ **#Yavapai Stronger Together - https://justicementalhealth.com/resources-support/#covid19**
★ **Arizona 2-1-1: A resource for all the time, not just during COVID-19. https://211arizona.org/**
★ **COVID-19 information en español: https://azhealth.gov/covid-19**