

Colville Tribal Emergency Operations Center

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Okanogan County incidence rate is trending down, but please stay vigilant

Over the past 14 days, Okanogan County has experienced 98 new cases of COVID-19, bringing the incidence rate (# of cases/100,000/14 days) to 229.3.

On Aug. 21, the incidence rate in Okanogan County was 259.8. On Aug. 14, the incidence rate for the county was 395.5 and on Aug. 6, the incidence rate for the county was 662.3.

While this number has trended down, the risk of contracting COVID-19 remains very real in Okanogan County and on and around the Colville Indian Reservation.

Continue to take simple steps to protect yourself and your family. Earlier this week, Colville Tribal Health and Human Services Director Dan Barbara wrote in an update:

"Social distancing, wearing masks, and following the emergency orders are together working to protect the community and help stop the spread of COVID-19, but because this virus is so easily spread through respiratory (breath) droplets, wearing masks to prevent spreading the virus to other people and maintaining social distance is still very important. We scientists and public health folks now know more than we did earlier this year about COVID-19 and how it is spread, and all of that evidence points to how well the simple precautions I've mentioned work."

Know the hotspots: County totals around the Colville reservation

Below are the total number of cases, hospitalizations and deaths reported by the Washington Department of Health for counties surrounding the Colville Reservation:

Okanogan County - 970 cases, 36 hospitalizations, 6 deaths

Ferry County - 25 cases, 1 death

Stevens County - 125 cases, 14 hospitalizations, 1 death

Spokane County - 5,158 cases, 376 hospitalizations, 128 deaths

Lincoln County - 31 cases, 2 hospitalizations, 1 death

Grant County - 2,166 cases, 118 hospitalizations, 14 deaths

Douglas County - 1,146 cases, 53 hospitalizations, 7 deaths

Chelan County - 1,713 cases, 56 hospitalizations, 11 deaths

Yakima County - 10,869 cases, 764 hospitalizations, 238 deaths

Colville Reservation COVID-19 Quick Facts

Current cases/in isolation on the Colville Reservation

> Omak 5 Nespelem 4 Keller 1 Inchelium 3

Current quarantine list

Numbers current as of August 27 at 3:30 p.m.

Clinics

Lake Roosevelt Community Health Center
- Inchelium
(509) 722-7006

Lake Roosevelt Community Health Center
- San Poil Valley Community Health
(509) 634-7300

Colville Service Unit - Nespelem Clinic Phone: (509) 634-2913

Colville Service Unit - Omak Clinic Phone: (509) 422-7416

For emergencies, call 9-1-1.

Washington Department of Health Hotline 1-800-525-0127

> WA Listens 1-833-681-0211

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