

**Date:** 9/9/21

**Event:** COVID-19 Response

**CG Public Health Activation Level:** Yellow

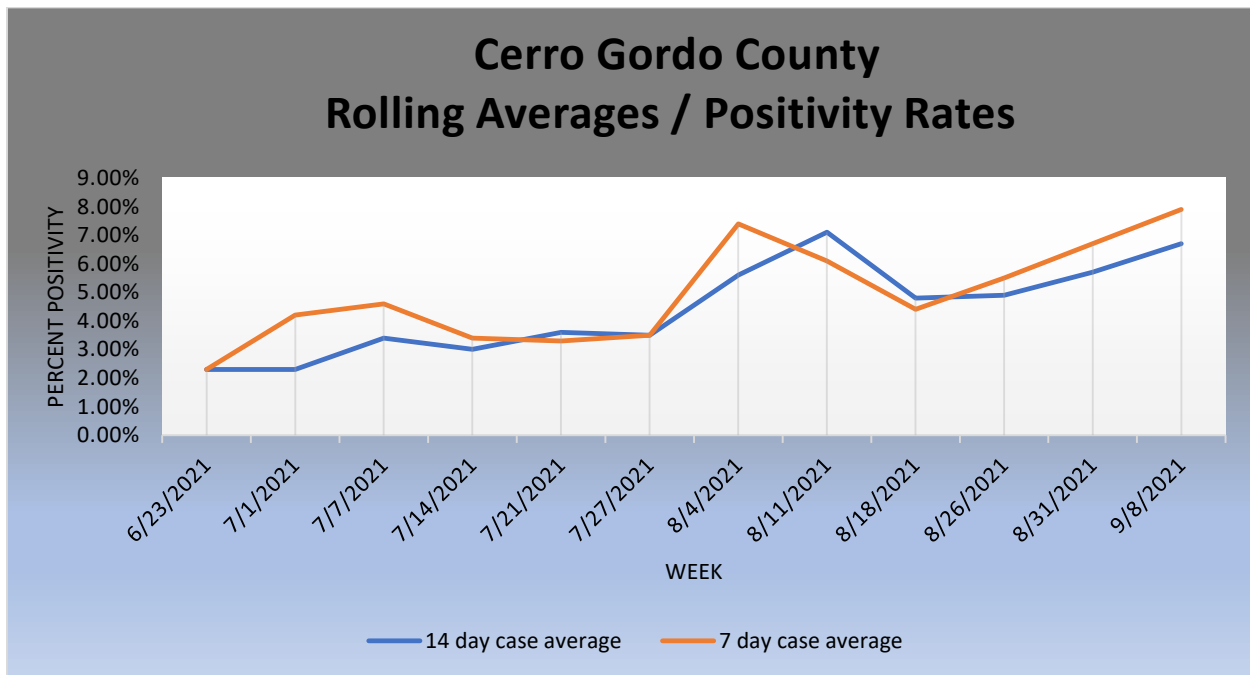
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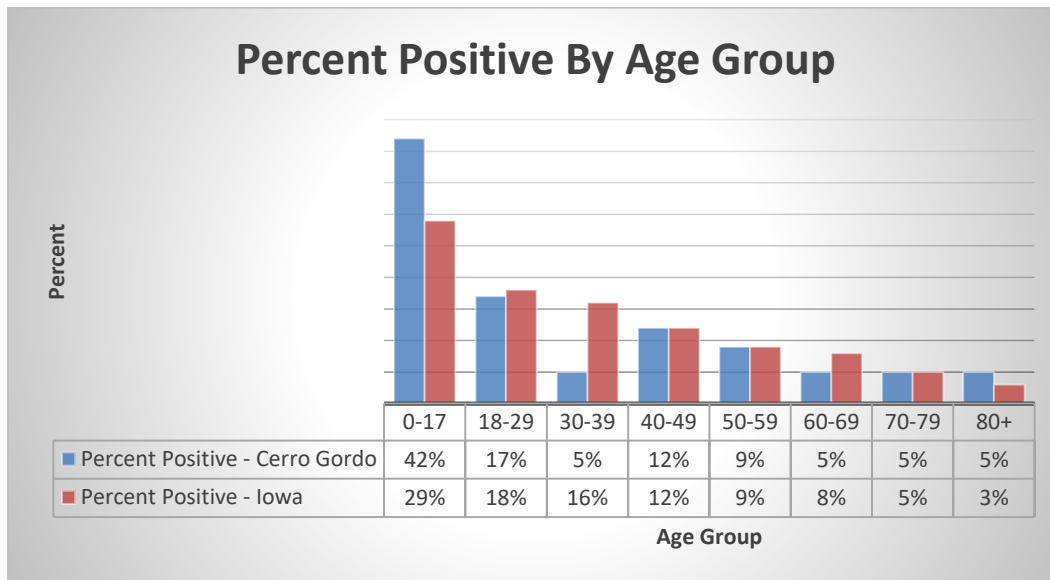
This report is intended to provide community partners with a COVID-19 status update, and brief you on activities the health department is working on to respond. We have also included links for guidance recently released, we thought might be useful to you. This report will be sent out once a week to keep everyone updated as we continue to work our way through the COVID pandemic.

**Current COVID-19 Statistics (data from [coronavirus.iowa.gov](https://coronavirus.iowa.gov)):**

	Cerro Gordo County	State of Iowa
<b>14 Day Positivity Rate:</b>	6.7%	8.9%
<b>7 Day Positivity Rate:</b>	7.9%	9%
<b>Hospitalized Patients:</b>	27	578
<b>Patients in ICU:</b>	6	158
<b>Deaths:</b>	100	6,337
<b>Age 18 – 64 Fully Vaccinated:</b>	64.9%	54.3%
<b>Age 65+ Fully Vaccinated:</b>	86.1%	82%
<b>Population Fully Vaccinated:</b>	53.7%	64.1%

*Statistics from this website are updated once a week (Wednesday).*






**County Response Actions:**

- CG Public Health continues to plan for 3<sup>rd</sup> dose vaccines. We are in the process of securing space, and gathering equipment & supplies to begin once this is approved by the FDA.
- This week we will be working with MercyOne and other first responders to survey interest in receiving 3<sup>rd</sup> dose vaccine.
- CG Public Health is working with local pharmacies and long term care facilities to ensure plans are in place once 3<sup>rd</sup> dose administration is approved for this population.
- CG Public Health released a video this week to help parents understand next steps if their children are exposed to COVID (I have attached the video below for you to view).

**Current Guidance:**

Organization Providing	Topic	How to Access
IDPH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• IDPH COVID-19 Vaccine Update</li> </ul>	<a href="https://idph.iowa.gov/Portals/1/userfiles/293/09_03_21%20COVID-19%20Vaccine%20Information%20Brief.pdf">https://idph.iowa.gov/Portals/1/userfiles/293/09_03_21%20COVID-19%20Vaccine%20Information%20Brief.pdf</a>
CG Public Health	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Parental Guidance – Quarantine &amp; Isolation Guidance for the School Year.</li> </ul>	<a href="https://cghealth.com/parental-guidance">https://cghealth.com/parental-guidance</a>



Iowa Department of Education	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Frequently Asked Questions</li> </ul>	 9-2-21 Frequently Asked Questions on
NACCHO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>FDA Authorizes Shelf-Life Extension for Bamlanivimab</li> </ul>	<a href="https://virtualcommunities.naccho.org/ncov/communities/community-home/digestviewer/viewthread?MessageKey=efb3147d-31f8-484c-80d9-641ef87e8430&amp;CommunityKey=8690f0ff-6c94-4e7a-b7d9-69ffce62a899&amp;tab=digestviewer&amp;ssostoken=07ae325c-8896-4f1d-a255-fd8fc9440aae&amp;Site=naccho">https://virtualcommunities.naccho.org/ncov/communities/community-home/digestviewer/viewthread?MessageKey=efb3147d-31f8-484c-80d9-641ef87e8430&amp;CommunityKey=8690f0ff-6c94-4e7a-b7d9-69ffce62a899&amp;tab=digestviewer&amp;ssostoken=07ae325c-8896-4f1d-a255-fd8fc9440aae&amp;Site=naccho</a>
CDC	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>CDC COVID Bi-Weekly Key Messages</li> </ul>	<a href="https://higherlogicdownload.s3.amazonaws.com/NACCHO/e403c4ae-3052-4e99-b799-ad596cc70954/file.pdf?AWSAccessKeyId=AKIAVRDO7IEREB57R7MT&amp;Expires=1631220858&amp;Signature=4nfA%2FvTYTAQThkY4orCQKUXhFOY%3D">https://higherlogicdownload.s3-external-1.amazonaws.com/NACCHO/e403c4ae-3052-4e99-b799-ad596cc70954 file.pdf?AWSAccessKeyId=AKIAVRDO7IEREB57R7MT&amp;Expires=1631220858&amp;Signature=4nfA%2FvTYTAQThkY4orCQKUXhFOY%3D</a>

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