COVID-19 Daily Update
1 p.m, Aug. 24, 2020

Current Situation Overview – Douglas County
Total Cases: **1,017** (**794** Inactive/Past Infectious Period)

Current Active Cases: **223**

New Cases: **128** (since Friday report)

Added to Inactive: **29** (since Friday)
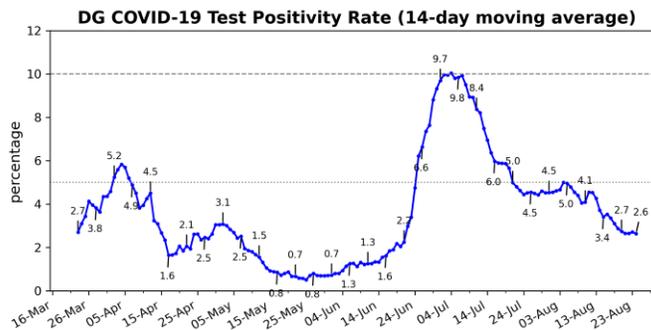
Deaths: **8**

Travel-Related Cases: **89**

Local Transmission: **312**

Contact of Positive Case: **396**

Probable Case: **3**

Transmission TBD: **217**

With the inclusion of a large number of KU cases, we are still working on updating the regular 14-day moving average graph. Here is the 14-day moving average of the positivity rate, which has also been affected by the large number of tests in recent days.

DG COVID-19 Test Positivity Rate (14-day moving average)

Age Range:

0 – 9	**10**	45 – 54	**77**
10 – 17	**32**	55 –64	**57**
18 – 24	**512**	65 –74	**47 (3 deaths)**
25– 34	**158**	75– 84	**20 (1 death)**
35 – 44	**75**	85 +	**29 (4 deaths)**

Male – **515**
Female – **498**
TBD — **4**

African American, Non-Hispanic — **62**
Asian American – **16**
Hispanic – **77**
Native American —**24**
White, Non-Hispanic – **685**
Other/Unknown – **153**

Number of People in Douglas County Tested During Outbreak: **22,033** (KDHE testing map)
Current LMH Health Inpatients Positive for COVID-19: **9**

- You will notice a large increase today in our cumulative cases and number of people tested as the University of Kansas announced initial results from its entry tests. We have been actively working with KU and the KDHE to ensure all KU cases are included in our numbers for Douglas County. Director Dan Partridge said these numbers illustrate the importance of identified cases isolating themselves as part of the disease investigation process to help reduce transmission of the virus to those most vulnerable.
- This data does influence metrics in the COVID-19 Smart and Safe School Reopening Guidance, which assists K-12 school districts and families in decision-making for the upcoming school year. We will update our phase recommendation every Thursday to give time to identify trends in the data.