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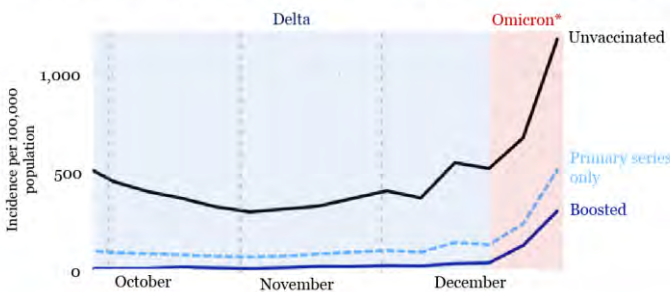
Community Talking Points

February 2, 2022

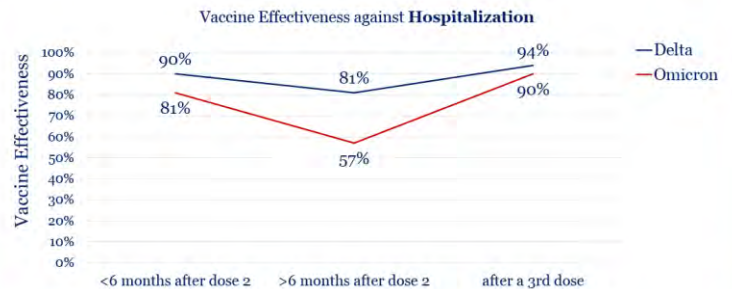
Williams County (WC) Data: January 25th – February 1st				
318 New Cases	8 COVID-19 Hospitalizations	5 Deaths Reported (sometimes delayed due to ODH death reporting system change)	46.54% Completed 1st Dose of COVID-19 Vaccine	CDC Level of Community Transmission: RED – HIGH
#36 Williams County's Rank (based on cases per capita in 88 counties in Ohio)	2,065.8 – high incidence WC Cases Per Capita (new cases per 100,000 population over 2 weeks)	1,582.0 Ohio Cases Per Capita (new cases per 100,000 population over 2 weeks)	43.00 % Completed COVID-19 Vaccine Series	

- COVID-19 Booster & Vaccine Effectiveness Data** (CDC, DOI: <http://dx.doi.org/10.15585/mmwr.mm7104a2>)
 - Studies show after getting vaccinated against COVID-19, protection against the virus and the ability to prevent infection with variants may decrease over time and due to changes in variants. The recent emergence of the Omicron variant further emphasizes the importance of vaccination, boosters, and prevention efforts needed to protect against COVID-19.
 - The **first graph** (bit.ly/3uhf9md) shows a timeline for the rate of COVID cases by vaccination status and booster doses. Unvaccinated individuals are at a much greater risk of being infected by COVID-19 (**Unvaccinated = 13x increased risk of infection** compared to fully vaccinated individuals with boosters).
 - The **second graph** (bit.ly/3Hj5waA) shows the effectiveness of COVID-19 mRNA vaccines and boosters for preventing hospitalizations. Omicron is projected to be associated with 99.8% of COVID cases in Region 5 (Ohio, Indiana, Illinois, Michigan, Minnesota, and Wisconsin). **COVID-19 vaccines are 90% effective against hospitalization during Omicron for those who have received a booster dose.**

Rates of COVID-19 Cases by Vaccination Status and Booster Doses



Vaccine effectiveness of 2 vs 3 doses of mRNA vaccines for Delta and Omicron



*On December 1, 2021, the first case of COVID-19 attributed to the Omicron variant was reported in the United States.

Source: CDC COVID Data Tracker - Rates of COVID-19 Cases and Deaths by Vaccination Status



Source MMWR: <http://dx.doi.org/10.15585/mmwr.mm7104e3>

- Get Free At-Home COVID-19 Tests Delivered to Your Home.** Every home in the U.S. is eligible to order 4 free at-home COVID-19 rapid antigen tests. The tests are completely free. Orders will usually ship in 7-12 days. Limit of one order per residential address. Orders will ship from USPS for free starting late January. Order your tests now so you have them when you need them: <https://www.covidtests.gov/>

Williams County COVID-19 Testing Locations

There are several locations that offer COVID-19 testing in Williams County. Some locations require appointments and some allow walk-ins. Information is subject to change based on supply. It is possible for these testing locations to temporarily stop offering tests due to lack of supply. Please call or check the provider's website for appointments or to verify walk-in clinic hours.

Area emergency departments are overwhelmed with people seeking care for COVID-19 and other medical emergencies. Please only seek care at an emergency department if it is an urgent medical need. Please utilize these testing resources rather than going to the Emergency Department for testing.

Four free at-home tests can be ordered per household at <https://special.usps.com/testkits>.

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Location	Address Phone Number Website (if applicable)	Appointment or Walk-In	PCR or Rapid Test
Klinger Pharmacy	102 W. Jackson St. West Unity, OH 43570 419-924-2444	Appointment only	Rapid
Bryan Community Health Center	228 S. Main St. Bryan, OH 43506 567-239-4562	Appointment only	PCR
Rings Pharmacy	221 W. Main St. Montpelier, OH 43543 419-485-5115	Call ahead (Insurance can't be billed, test costs \$56)	Rapid
Walgreens Pharmacy	403 S. Main St. Bryan, OH 43506 419-636-0613 https://www.walgreens.com/findcare/covid19/testing?ban=covid_vanity_testing	Appointment only (schedule online)	PCR or Rapid
PPG Urgent Care	442 W. High St. Bryan, OH 43506 419-636-4517 My Chart COVID-19 Symptom Checker: https://www.parkview.com/services-specialties/virtual-health/mychart-covid-19-symptom-checker Virtual Walk-in Clinic: https://www.parkview.com/services-specialties/virtual-health/virtual-walk-in-clinic	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> If you have MyChart: COVID-19 Symptom Checker or Virtual Walk-in Visit is recommended. You will receive an order for a test. No MyChart: Walk-in available. 	PCR or Rapid
Rite Aid Pharmacy	618 N. Clinton St. Defiance, OH 43512 419-782-0155 https://www.riteaid.com/pharmacy/services/covid-19-testing	Appointment only (schedule online)	PCR
CVS Pharmacy	700 North Wayne St. Angola, IN 46703 260-665-2106 https://www.cvs.com/minuteclinic/covid-19-testing/?icid=locator_banner_testing_button	Appointment only (schedule online)	PCR

- If you have an established healthcare provider, you can reach out to them about testing.
- If you complete an at-home test, you must use the app to connect with a provider to have a valid test result. After the provider has verified the result, it will be sent to you.
- While waiting for test results, please remain at home and limit close contact with others. If the result is positive, stay home and separate yourself from others. You can end isolation 5 days after your symptoms started or 5 days from the test date if you are not experiencing symptoms. Continue to wear a mask for an additional 5 days.

Williams County Vaccine Providers



There are several locations that offer COVID-19 vaccines in Williams County. Some locations require appointments and some allow walk-ins. It is recommended to call or check the provider's website for appointments or to verify walk-in clinic hours. Other vaccine providers can be found at [vaccines.gov](https://www.vaccines.gov) or [gettheshot.coronavirus.ohio.gov](https://www.gettheshot.coronavirus.ohio.gov).

Updated 12/15/2021

Location	Address Phone Number Website (if applicable)	Appointment Types			Vaccine		
		Appointment	Walk-In	Pediatric (5-11)	Pfizer	Moderna	J&J
Williams County Health Department	310 Lincoln Ave. Montpelier, OH 43543 419-485-3141 Bit.ly/WCVaccine	X	X	X	X		X
Rings Pharmacy	221 W. Main St. Montpelier, OH 43543 419-485-5115	X	X		X	X	
Klinger Pharmacy	102 W. Jackson St. West Unity, OH 43570 419-924-2444	X	X	X	X	Sometimes available	X
Bryan Community Health Center	228 S. Main St. Bryan, OH 43506 567-239-4562	X	X	X	X	X	X
CVS Pharmacy	341 W. High St. Bryan, OH 43506 419-636-5021 www.cvs.com/immunizations/covid-19-vaccine	X			X		
Walmart Pharmacy	121 S. Main St. Bryan, OH 43506 419-636-1535 www.walmart.com/cp/flu-shots-immunizations/1228302	X	X	X	X	X	X
Walgreens Pharmacy	403 S. Main St. Bryan, OH 43506 419-636-0613 www.walgreens.com/findcare/vaccination/covid/19/landing	X			Sometimes available	X	
Rite Aid Pharmacy	1211 W. High St. Bryan, OH 43506 419-636-6142 www.riteaid.com/pharmacy/scheduler	X	X	X	X	X	