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Hurley, WI- Iron County Public Health is reporting a total of **75** positive COVID Iron County residents, **7** positive COVID non-residents, **64** recovered residents, **3** ever hospitalized, **1167** negative test results and 1 death.

Avoid close contact with others and practice physical distancing

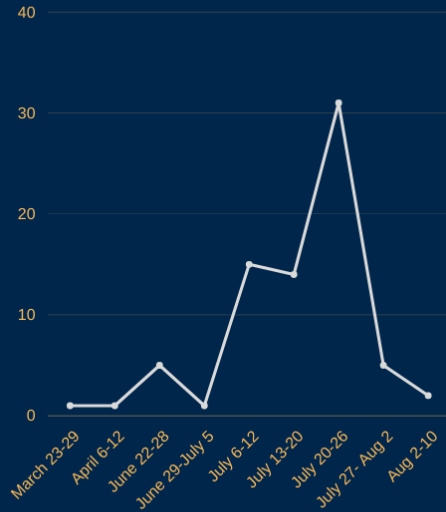
- Stay at home as much as possible. Cancel events and avoid groups, gatherings, play dates, and nonessential appointments.
- Avoid gatherings of 10 or more people. See the frequently asked questions below more information about gatherings.
- Stay at least 6 feet away from other people, when possible.
- Wear a cloth face covering in public settings, especially when it is difficult to practice physical distancing.
- Stay home when you are sick, except to get medical care.

Enjoy summer safely

- Explore the outdoors, but keep it local.
- When you're enjoying time outside, the safest option is to spend time with the people you live with.
- If you are gathering with other people, wear a face covering, limit the number to under 10, and practice physical distancing.
- Avoid sharing food.
- Wash your hands frequently, and avoid touching shared surfaces.

Rising quarantine fatigue and the greater acceptance of disease risk by the public is often behind the reason for spikes in positive COVID-19 cases. Concern over local economies and loosening social distancing guidelines or mask wearing guidelines can influence these numbers also. Communities must remain diligent and follow public health recommendations to continue to flatten the curve and assure resident health and safety. See graphs below.

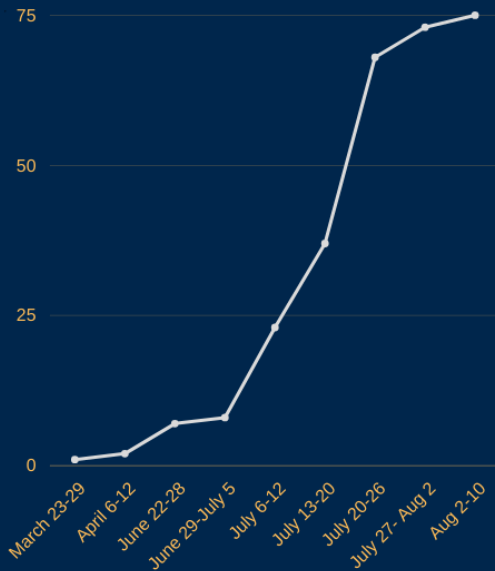
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