

Board of Health Press Release - 4/13/2020

Weekly testing at AFC Urgent care continues to test 250-300 local residents per week, as the State enters its anticipated surge period. Of the 108,776 tests administered across the State to date 22,860 positive cases have been yielded, equating to 21% of tests administered. While this rise in case count continues, the Board of Health continues to urge vigilance in exercising social distancing.

As of April 10th, Governor Baker has issued a face-covering advisory indicating that all residents of the Commonwealth should use masks or cloth face-coverings when in places where social distancing may be difficult, including essential businesses like grocery and hardware stores.

Coupled with the State's new directive that reduces maximum building operating capacity to 40%, the use of face coverings, along with proper hygienic practice can effectively help to reduce the spread of COVID-19.

This advisory does not apply to basic outdoor activities like exercise/walking/hiking or yard work.

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