

Town of Mount Desert: Covid Update

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Mask. Distance. Wash Hands. Repeat.

The Town of Mount Desert expects residents and visitors alike to abide by CDC and State recommendations for mask wearing, social distancing, quarantine, isolation, and handwashing. Abiding by these recommendations will help protect our island community.

Covid Transmission Update

- MDI Hospital confirmed 33 positive tests to date, with the most recent positive on 12/2
 - 27 Hancock County residents
 - 6 (non-residents)
- As of today 12/10/20, Maine CDC has confirmed 344 positive cases in Hancock County
 - This is an increase of 57 cases since 12/3, the previous week saw 63 new cases
 - The current case rate for the State of Maine is 111 per 10k people
- The current case rate for Hancock County is 62.8 per 10k people

[Maine Center for Disease Control](#)

MDI Hospital

- [MDI Hospital](#) Coronavirus Call Center :If you are having symptoms or think you may have been exposed to COVID-19, call your primary care provider. If you do not have one, reach out to our Coronavirus Call Center at 207-801-5900. **Remember: PLEASE CALL AHEAD**

Public Safety, Municipal & Hancock County News

- The next Board of Selectmen meeting is Dec. 21st at 6:30pm
- [Walgreens pharmacy in Ellsworth is now offering free drive-through rapid COVID-19 antigen testing to people experiencing symptoms of the virus.](#)
- 2021 Dog Renewal Licenses are available, [click here for more information](#) on how to renew online.

School Information: Mt. Desert Elementary & MDI High School

School Emails & Websites:

- [Mount Desert Island Regional School System](#)
 - [Asymptomatic Testing for MDIRSS](#)
- [Latest email update from Principal Haney and MDI High School](#)
 - [Chalk Talk Update](#)
- [Latest email update from Superintendent Marc Gousse](#)
- [MDES Newsletter Link : December 5th](#)

Government News & Mandates & Resources

[Governor Mills: Latest Updates :](#)

- [Governor Mills Unveils Blaine House Holiday Display Honoring Resilience of Maine People Amidst COVID-19](#)
- [Maine and United Kingdom Sign Agreement to Advance Partnership on Clean Energy, Climate Change](#)
- [Governor Mills Statement on Pixelle's Jay Mill Decision](#)
- [Mills Administration Announces One-Time Relief Payment for Mainers Unemployed Due to COVID-19](#)
- [Maine Department of Marine Resources Launches New Maine Seafood Brand Initiative](#)
- [Governor Mills Announces Negative COVID-19 Test](#)
- [Mills Administration Dedicates \\$10 Million to New Program to Assist Maine Food and Agriculture Businesses with COVID-19 Infrastructure Expenses](#)
- [Mills Administration Dedicates \\$2 Million to Support Maine food banks and pantries](#)
- [Mills Administration Continues Early Business Closing Time Amid Rising Cases, Hospitalizations](#)

Other Government Resources

- [Maine DECD Website -](#)
- [The Small Business Association](#)
- [CDC Guidelines](#)
- [Maine CDC](#)

Community Resources

- [Mount Desert Chamber of Commerce](#)
- [Healthy Acadia Newsletter : 12/1](#)

Acadia National Park

- **See latest alert from ANP : Current Conditions**

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