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## PCHD News Release COVID-19 Cases in Pike County, IL on the Rise

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**Pike County, IL** – Pike County, IL COVID-19 cases are on the rise. Statewide, the numbers of COVID-19 positive cases are increasing as well. The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) show most of the state of Illinois in the High Transmission range. Per the Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH) website, the age group that is seeing the highest surge are those less than 20 years of age.

In Pike County, IL, only 44.1% Pike County residents age of 12 or older have received the COVID-19 vaccine.

The best way to prevent contracting COVID-19 continues to be socially distancing yourself, washing your hands, masking, and getting a COVID-19 vaccination per CDC recommendations.

PCHD will offer COVID-19 vaccinations, including booster shots, on November 18<sup>th</sup> and 19<sup>th</sup> from 1:30 to 4:30 pm, at the health department. Please go to [www.pikecountyil.org](http://www.pikecountyil.org) for more information.

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