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February 22, 2022 Erie County, Ohio Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) update

Due to the continued decline in Coronavirus cases, today will be the last regularly scheduled COVID-19 community update. The Erie County Health Department will continue to monitor COVID-19 cases and update the Erie County COVID-19 Dashboard at CovidErieOhio.com to ensure the community stays informed. In the event of a spike in cases, a press release will be issued at that time.

Please see the following charts for a current status report on the number of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) cases in Erie County, Ohio as of Tuesday, February 22, 2022.

Total number of cases of COVID-19 in Erie County, Ohio	20,472 (+82)
Total number of COVID-19 deaths in Erie County, Ohio	309 (+2)

(The number in parenthesis indicates the change from Sunday, February 13, 2022 to Saturday, February 19, 2022.)

Total number of Erie County residents who have received at least 1 dose of the COVID-19 vaccine	45,397 (61.13%)
Total number of Erie County residents who are fully vaccinated against COVID-19	42,899 (57.76%)
Total number of Erie County residents who have received additional doses of the COVID-19 vaccine.	23,802

(The number in parenthesis represents the percentage of Erie County residents.)

Total number of hospitalized patients at Firelands for various reasons	130
Total number of COVID-19 positive patients being treated at Firelands	10
Total number of COVID-19 positive patients being treated at Firelands that are unvaccinated	6
Total number of COVID-19 positive patients discharged from Firelands	1521
Total number of COVID-19 positive patient deaths at Firelands	170

Visit the Erie County COVID-19 Dashboard at CovidErieOhio.com for up-to-date, local information. For questions about COVID-19, call the Erie County COVID-19 Information Center at 567-867-3243.

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