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## Mayor Rilling Provides Local Update on Coronavirus

(Norwalk, Conn.) - City officials are working closely with partners at the state and federal levels, as well as partners in Norwalk, to monitor and respond to COVID-19, the 2019 novel Coronavirus. Statewide updates can be found online at [ct.gov/coronavirus](https://ct.gov/coronavirus). Mayor Rilling provided the following Norwalk-area specific updates regarding COVID-19 coronavirus as of 5:00 p.m. on Wednesday, May 27, 2020:

- Since yesterday, there is one new positive case in Norwalk, bringing the total positive reported cases to 1,987. There were three new deaths reported. Now, a total of 127 residents have died from coronavirus.
- The State of Connecticut Department of Consumer Protection urges the public to remain vigilant when making online purchases and to take extra precautions if purchasing large items, such as vehicles, appliances, and furniture. For more information visit [ct.gov/dcp](https://ct.gov/dcp).
- With City Hall closed to the public, the Town Clerk's office is accepting dog license renewals via mail or at the walk-up window at City Hall. For more information, visit [norwalkct.org](https://norwalkct.org).
- Earlier today, Lt. Governor Susan Bysiewicz joined Mayor Rilling to [visit local businesses](#) to see how they've prepared to reopen under Phase One. The Mayor and Lt. Governor walked Washington Street to discuss outdoor dining and reopening plans with local business owners.
- City officials remind local businesses that an outdoor dining permit is required when using either public or private property. Businesses found operating without a permit will be subject to penalties. Visit [norwalkct.org/covid19businessresources](https://norwalkct.org/covid19businessresources) for FAQs and the application.
- Governor Lamont released his [Reopen Connecticut report](#), which contains recommendations from the Reopen Connecticut Advisory Group - the panel of local health, business, workforce, and education experts who provided his administration and legislative leadership with recommendations on the reopening of Connecticut's economy and education system as the nation emerges from the unprecedented public health emergency caused by COVID-19.

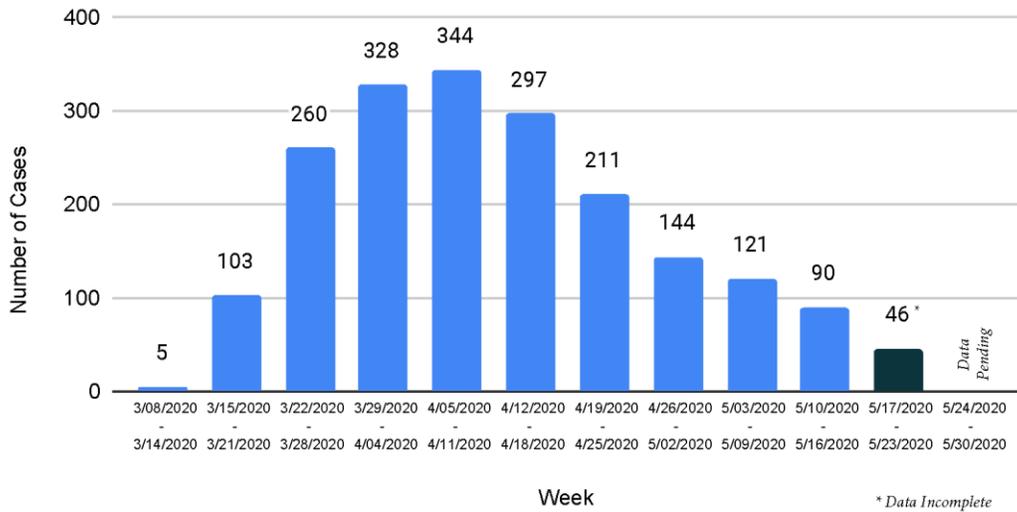
"I am troubled to report that three more of our residents have died from COVID-19. My heart breaks for their families and friends. I offer my condolences to their loved ones during these challenging times," Mayor Rilling said. "Businesses must secure a permit before operating outdoors for the safety of the public and their employees. It will be a slow process to build customer confidence, and it is imperative all guidelines for social distancing, face coverings, and sanitization are being adhered to by businesses and members of the public. The health and safety of Norwalk residents is my top priority and we'll continue to strictly enforce these public health regulations."

Members of the public are encouraged to sign-up for the City's CodeRED Emergency Alert Notification System at [norwalkct.org/codered](https://norwalkct.org/codered). Updates on City services, hours, and community resources will be routinely published at [norwalkct.org/citynews](https://norwalkct.org/citynews). The latest health updates can be found at [norwalkct.org/coronavirus](https://norwalkct.org/coronavirus).

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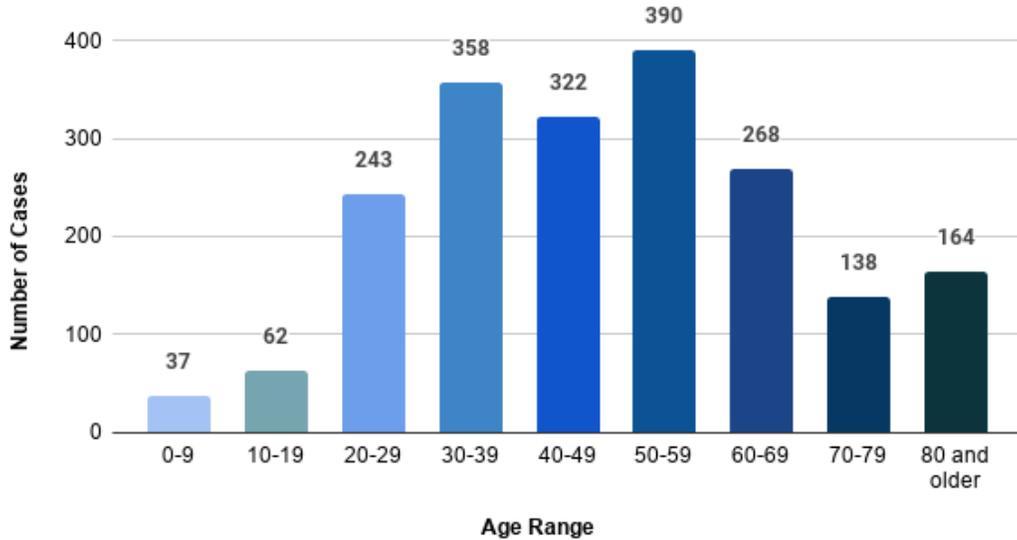
## Number of Norwalk COVID-19 Cases by Date of Specimen Collection

Test results may be reported several days after collection. Does not include cases with missing specimen collection dates.



## Number of Confirmed COVID-19 Norwalk Cases per Age Group

\*Data are preliminary & subject to change. May not add up to total case count as demographic data may be missing.\*



## Number of COVID-19 Norwalk Deaths per Age Group

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