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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. Mayor Rilling provided the following Norwalk-area specific updates regarding COVID-19 coronavirus as of 6:30 p.m. on Monday, July 13, 2020:

- Since yesterday, there are no new positive cases in Norwalk, and the total positive reported cases remains at 2,098. There were no new deaths reported.
- The U.S. Census Bureau is monitoring coronavirus closely. City officials ask those living Norwalk to complete the Census online, by phone, or by mail. To date, the national response rate is about 62.0%, and in Connecticut, 65.5%. In Norwalk, the response rate is at 64.4%. View results as they come in at 2020census.gov.
- Due to COVID-19, the City moved the camp experience online this month, with the second week of the Norwalk Adventure Clubs starting today. While in-person outdoor activities remains possible for August, the City designed free online activities for ages and interests. A list of classes, supplies to use at home, and more, can be found at norwalkct.org/recreationandparks.
- Sidewalk Service continues at the Main and SoNo Branches of the Norwalk Public Library, and book drops are also open. Patrons can make a reservation online, receive notification when items are ready, and then head to the library for a safe and easy pick up. The online reservation form can also be used to ask a librarian for a suggestion. Sidewalk Service is available Monday - Friday, 10 a.m. - 4 p.m. More information is available at norwalkpl.org.

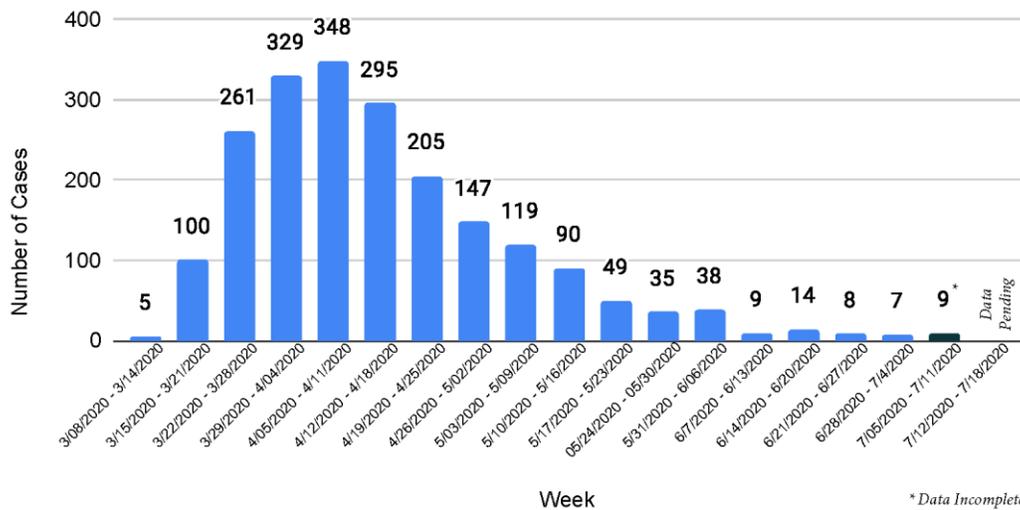
“Our case numbers continue to remain steady, and that is the result of people wearing face coverings, socially distancing, and adhering to the best health and safety guidelines available,” Mayor Rilling said. “It is so important that we continue to follow these guidelines, use caution, and not lose sight of the fact that this virus is still very much a concern in our country. We have worked so hard over the last several months and if we become more relaxed with our guidelines, I fear we could be back in the same place we were just a few short months ago.”

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

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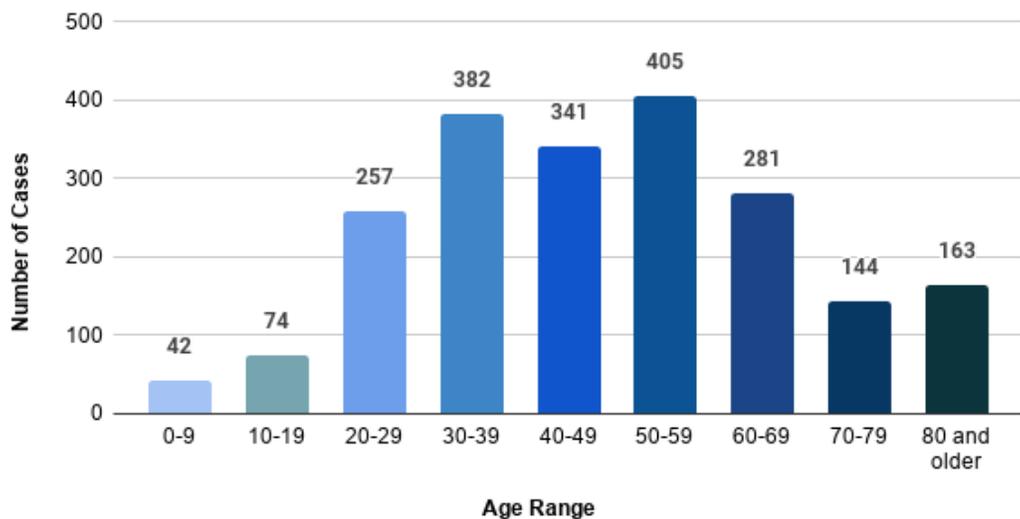
Number of Norwalk COVID-19 Cases by Date of Specimen Collection

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



Number of Positive 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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