



City of Easthampton Situation Report

May 7, 2021

Massachusetts Reopening Update

Effective Monday, May 10th:

- Large venues such as indoor and outdoor stadiums, arenas and ballparks currently open as part of Phase 4, Step 1 at 12% will be permitted to increase capacity to 25%.
- The Commonwealth will reopen some outdoor Phase 4, Step 2 industries including amusement parks, theme parks and outdoor water parks that will be permitted to operate at a 50% capacity after submitting safety plans to the Department of Public Health.
- Road races and other large, outdoor organized amateur or professional group athletic events will be permitted to take place with staggered starts after submitting safety plans to a local board of health or the DPH.
- Youth & adult amateur sports tournaments will be allowed for moderate and high risk sports.
- Singing will also be permitted indoors with strict distancing requirements at performance venues, restaurants, event venues and other businesses.

All updates can be reviewed online at <https://www.mass.gov/info-details/reopening-massachusetts>.

COVID-19 Vaccine Appointments Available

Our regional vaccine clinic at the Northampton Senior Center (67 Conz Street) will be hosting a walk-in clinic on Tuesday, May 18th, from 9:00am to 12:00pm noon.

Appointments can be scheduled at the senior center online at <https://www.northamptonma.gov/2219/Vaccine-Clinics>.

Tent/Tables Available for Appointments at City Hall

City Hall remains closed to the public at this time. However, the tent is back up and residents can make outdoor appointments!

Please call or email the department you need to meet with to schedule an appointment under the tent.

All department contact information can be found on the city website at <https://easthamptonma.gov/departments2.html>.

Easthampton Fish Ladder Public Access by Appointment

Effective Friday, April 30th, 2021 the City of Easthampton Fish Ladder will be open for the season. The Fish Ladder will be open to the public every Friday afternoon from 1:00 pm – 3:00 pm by appointment until July 1, 2021.

To schedule an appointment please contact the DPW office at 413-529-1410 or by email at dpw@easthamptonma.gov.

Teen Health in Pandemic Times Webinar

Reminder that the Healthy Youth Coalition will be hosting a webinar regarding support for teens during the ongoing pandemic.

The Healthy Youth Coalition will be joined by a panel of speakers.

The webinar will take place May 13th at 6:00pm.

Zoom Link:

<https://us02web.zoom.us/j/85964069472?pwd=bUtwZ2QvUWFEMi9VMm1jb2srYTR2UT09>

Park Street Roundabout Improvements - Notice of Road Construction

Beginning the week of May 10, 2021 and continuing through August 2021 motorists using Park Street will encounter possible delays and variable traffic patterns as crews complete work on the Mountain View School roundabout.

Motorists are encouraged to seek alternate routes to avoid delays. The road will remain open at all times but may be reduced to one lane of travel (using a police detail) or be routed into and through the roundabout. Please be prepared to stop or move through the intersection slowly. During construction the roundabout will not be fully functional and delays and slow speeds are advised.

Parents entering and/or exiting the school properties should follow more detailed information provided by the School Department. Contractors will be taking steps to reduce work during school arrival and dismissal times. Maps and information about the road plans and up to date construction schedules can go to: <https://epsd.us>

The full press release is available on the city website.

Weekly COVID-19 Data Dashboard

City of Easthampton COVID-19 Weekly Dashboard

Updated 5/7/21

14-Day Daily Avg/100k

↑ 8.8

Hampshire County: 8.8

7-Day Daily Avg/100k

↑ 7.94

Hampshire County: 6.79

7-Day Test Positivity

↑ 0.29%

Hampshire County: 0.12%

14-Day Test Positivity

↑ 0.75%

Hampshire County: 0.37%

Past Week Case* Trend (4/28-5/4)

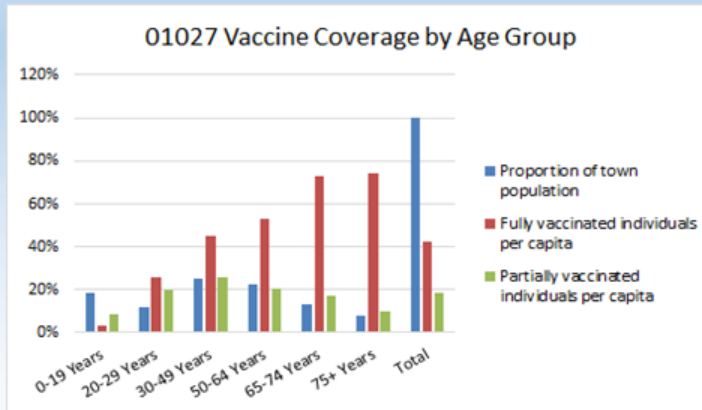
↓ 54%

Current Active Cases**

19

Total Cases*

to Date
990



Notes: City and County data are obtained from MDPH and MAVEN data sources and generally believed to be current and accurate. *Weekly and Total Cases includes confirmed cases (positive PCR test) and probable cases (positive antigen or antibody test, or clinically diagnosed based on symptoms and exposure, in the absence of a positive test result). **Current active cases are considered infectious and under public health isolation guidance at the time of posting.

01027 % Vaccinated (full/partial)

43%/18%

Total Lives Lost

13

GREY: ≤ 10 weekly total cases

GREEN: < 10 average daily cases per 100,000 residents AND > 10 weekly total cases

YELLOW: ≥ 10 average daily cases per 100,000 residents OR ≥ 5% positive test rate

RED: ≥ 10 average daily cases per 100,000 residents AND ≥ 5% positive test rate

City Meeting Calendar Week of May 10th to May 14th

Monday, May 10, 2021	Tuesday, May 11, 2021	Wednesday, May 12, 2021	Thursday, May 13, 2021
Conservation Commission – 6:00pm Zoom Link	Board of Assessors – 5:00pm Zoom Link	Cultural District Subcommittee – 9:00am Zoom Link	City Council Finance Subcommittee – 5:00pm Zoom Link
Housing Authority – 6:00pm	School Committee – 6:00pm Zoom Link	City Council Finance Subcommittee – 5:00pm Zoom Link	
	Planning Board – 6:00pm Zoom Link	Historical Commission – 6:30pm Zoom Link	

Please note: All agendas and Zoom links are also uploaded to the city website at <https://easthamptonma.gov/agendas-minutes.html>.

If you are interested in serving on a board or committee, please check out the vacancies list [HERE](#). The Application to Serve is available [HERE](#).