

LAKE WALES CHARTER SCHOOLS

# YOUR HEALTH IS OUR PRIORITY

Keeping you up to date on the latest statistics regarding COVID-19 in our community.

**HEALTH REPORT AS OF:  
SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 13TH**

## HEALTH TIP OF THE WEEK:

### COVID-19 PREVENTION

THESE STEPS ARE CRITICAL FOR EVERYONE TO TAKE, BECAUSE ALTHOUGH EVERYONE IS NOT AT EQUAL RISK FOR A SEVERE CASE OF COVID-19, EVERYONE RISKS BEING INFECTED WITH THE VIRUS THAT CAUSES THE DISEASE AND THEN SPREADING IT TO OTHERS.

**STEP 1:** STAY HOME IF YOU ARE SICK

**STEP 2:** KEEP A SAFE DISTANCE FROM OTHERS (AT LEAST 6 FT.)

**STEP 3:** WASH YOUR HANDS FREQUENTLY

**STEP 4:** CLEAN AND DISINFECT FREQUENTLY USED SURFACES (COMPUTERS, PHONES, DESKS, DOOR KNOBS, ETC.)

**STEP 5:** PROTECT THE VULNERABLE

**#COVIDSTOPSWITHME**

## LOCAL STATISTICS

**658,203** COVID-19  
CASES IN FLORIDA.  
**17,225** NEW CASES  
SINCE LAST WEEK.

**15% PERCENT**  
POSITIVE RATE FOR  
POLK COUNTY

**18,523** COVID-19  
CASES IN POLK  
COUNTY. **660** NEW  
CASES SINCE LAST  
WEEK.

**14.8% POSITIVITY**  
FOR PEDIATRICS IN  
POLK COUNTY

POLK COUNTY'S DAILY  
PERCENT POSITIVE  
RESULTS RANGED FROM  
9.84% TO 3.84% OVER  
THE PAST 2 WEEKS  
WITH **6.9%** BEING THE  
MEDIAN.

**# OF ACTIVE COVID-19  
CASES FOR LWCS: 7**

### RESOURCES:

FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH  
[HTTP://POLK.FLORIDAHEALTH.GOV/](http://polk.floridahealth.gov/)  
CENTERS FOR DISEASE CONTROL  
AND PREVENTION  
[HTTPS://WWW.CDC.GOV/](https://www.cdc.gov/)

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