

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, AUGUST 16TH**

HEALTH TIP OF THE WEEK:

KEEPING YOUR HANDS CLEAN BY REGULAR HAND WASHING IS ONE OF THE MOST IMPORTANT STEPS WE CAN TAKE TO AVOID GETTING SICK AND SPREADING GERMS TO OTHERS. EFFECTIVE HAND WASHING INCLUDES SCRUBBING YOUR HANDS FOR AT LEAST 20 SECONDS WITH SOAP AND WATER.

NEED A TIMER?

HUM THE "HAPPY BIRTHDAY" SONG FROM BEGINNING TO END TWICE BEFORE RINSING YOUR HANDS.

#COVIDSTOPSWITHME

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/)

LOCAL STATISTICS

**573,416 COVID-19
CASES IN FLORIDA**

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

**103,614 RESIDENTS
TESTED, 15,429
RESULTED POSITIVE
FOR COVID-19 IN
POLK COUNTY**

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

**POLK COUNTY'S
DAILY PERCENT
POSITIVE RESULTS
RANGED FROM 13.1%
TO 6.9% OVER THE
PAST 2 WEEKS WITH
9.9% BEING THE
MEDIAN.**

**LAKELAND AND
WINTER HAVEN ARE
WITHIN THE TOP 35
CITIES IN FLORIDA
FOR POSITIVE
CASES**

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