

MESSAGE REGARDING CORONAVIRUS



Friday, November 20, 2020

Good afternoon Ladies and Gentlemen,

I wanted to take a moment to thank Ocean Reef Club's leadership for this morning's Town Hall meeting and the men and women who work behind the scenes to ensure all experiences exceed expectation. Fantastic overview. As previously highlighted by the Medical Center and reemphasized in this morning's Town Hall discussion; testing for COVID of yourself, family and friends prior to traveling to Ocean Reef is highly encouraged. Doing so, contributes to our collective efforts to maintain the safety of our community. If you are in need of any additional information, would like to speak with your provider, or are new to the Medical Center and would like to establish yourself as a patient prior to arrival; do not hesitate to give us a call at 305-367-2600.

Thanksgiving is but a week away. As with holiday seasons of years' past, travel from one destination to another will increase. However, unlike previous seasonal revelry; the CDC continues to caution families, friends, and loved ones to reconsider how best to celebrate holiday festivities safely. These are unprecedented times and while more is known about COVID in November than was previously known in March; the spread of coronavirus is at an all-time high with increases in positivity and hospitalization accelerating at alarming rates. Links below include guidance and insight you may find informative. You can also access this information on The Medical Center's web site at www.MCOR.org.

CDC advises Americans not to travel for Thanksgiving;
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<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/daily-life-coping/holidays/thanksgiving.html>



<https://www.cnn.com/2020/11/16/health/thanksgiving-family-covid-testing-wellness/index.html>

US Trending: sourced from Johns Hopkins University: <https://www.cnn.com/interactive/2020/health/coronavirus-us-maps-and-cases/>
Travel Restrictions State & Territorial Health Department Websites: <https://www.cdc.gov/publichealthgateway/healthdirectories/healthdepartments.html>

What to know if you're considering travel: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/travelers/travel-during-covid19.html>

What to know: Holiday Celebrations and Small Gatherings: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/daily-life-coping/holidays.html>

Testing: What to know: <https://www.fda.gov/consumers/consumer-updates/coronavirus-disease-2019-testing-basics>

This week's grid has been updated below.

COVID-19 Dashboard as of: 11/20/20 3:00PM Total

Pending Lab Results	0
Negative Lab Results	328
Active Positive Results: (within the last 10 days)	1
Historic Positive Lab Results	22

1. All positive tests must be provided to the Dept. of Health
2. 22 Historic positives have successfully completed their respective quarantine period.
3. Negative and Positive counts may include both in-house (rapid) and outside (commercial lab, i.e. Quest, LabCorp) testing results.

Thank you,

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