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## **Cayuga County COVID-19 Situational Update as of 4:30pm**

### **New Cases**

Wednesday, March 3, 2021 – nine new cases admitted

Thursday, March 4, 2021 – fifteen new cases admitted

### **Active Cases in Mandatory Isolation**

90 Mandatory Isolation

### **Confirmed Cases – total since March 18, 2020**

There have been 5,339 cases of COVID-19 in Cayuga County.

### **Hospitalizations**

There are 2 COVID-19 related hospitalizations at Auburn Community Hospital.

### **Deaths**

There have been 88 total Cayuga County deaths related to COVID-19.

### **Additional Information**

Residents 18 – 64 with a qualifying health condition and anyone 65 years and older are currently eligible and should work with their respective City, Town and Village offices to get on the wait list. Residents of the City of Auburn are encouraged to call 315-253-8316.

Individuals age 18-64 are required to provide a physician's note indicating they are eligible for the vaccine due to a qualifying health condition, unless a person falls under one of the already eligible categories. Individuals age 65 and older are now eligible to be vaccinated through local health departments without restriction and do not need a qualifying health condition to be eligible at our clinics. We encourage anyone who falls in to this category to work with your City, Town or Village to get on a list.

As a reminder, individuals under categories 1a and 1b are still eligible for the vaccine. As New York expands eligibility to more groups in 1b, we will be working with employers to get staff registered for appointments. This includes hotel workers, food service establishment providers, including food pantries, and permitted home delivered meal program workers are now eligible to receive the COVID19 vaccination. An email will come from [KVasile@cayugacounty.us](mailto:KVasile@cayugacounty.us) with information that will be needed to register employees of local hotels and permitted food service establishments for the vaccine.



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To make the most efficient use of our vaccines, if you are on multiple lists please cancel any appointment that you will not need. Cancellations should occur in the manner in which you registered.

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