

Data for K-12 Schools: 14-day COVID-19 Case Rate by County

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This document includes data that can be used by schools in making decisions about their safe learning model. It shows the number of cases by county of residence in Minnesota over 14 days, per 10,000 people by the date of specimen collection (when a person was tested). County population is based on the U.S. Census Bureau American Community Survey 2018 5-year estimates.

Any increase in case incidence can represent a greater risk, but schools may consider a 14-day case rate of 10 or more cases per 10,000 to be an elevated risk of disease transmission within the local community, especially when the level of cases per week is sustained or increasing over time.

Recommended policy options based on 14-day case rate range

Policy Option	Range (14-day case rate per 10,000 people)
In-person learning for all students	0 to less than 10
Elementary in-person, Middle/high school hybrid	10 to less than 20
Both hybrid	20 to less than 30
Elementary hybrid, Middle/high school distance	30 to less than 50
Both distance	50 or more

Number of counties in each range

Date	0 to less than 10	10 to less than 20	20 to less than 30	30 to less than 50	50 or more
6/7 to 6/20	72	9	3	1	2
6/14 to 6/27	63	20	1	1	2
6/21 to 7/4	60	22	1	3	1
6/28 to 7/11	50	27	4	4	2
7/5 to 7/18	40	32	9	3	3
7/12 to 7/25	46	28	10	3	0
7/26 to 8/1	48	29	8	2	0

14-day case rate per 10,000 people by date of specimen collection

County Name	6/7 - 6/20	6/14 - 6/27	6/21 - 7/4	6/28 - 7/11	7/5 - 7/18	7/12-7/25	7/26-8/1
Aitkin	0.63	0.63	1.26	2.53	4.42	3.79	4.42
Anoka	7.25	9.53	11.14	12.46	15.83	17.38	17.67
Becker	2.37	2.07	1.18	7.99	13.03	14.21	13.32
Beltrami	0.87	0.65	3.47	14.31	21.47	18.43	18.21
Benton	3.52	4.02	4.53	9.05	13.58	11.56	8.80
Big Stone	3.99	0.00	5.98	7.97	5.98	7.97	3.99
Blue Earth	15.53	36.94	37.39	30.91	31.97	25.63	23.97
Brown	2.78	4.76	4.76	9.12	10.71	8.73	9.12
Carlton	0.84	0.56	3.10	4.78	5.35	5.91	4.50
Carver	4.78	7.47	12.75	19.52	20.71	17.83	17.33
Cass	0.00	0.69	2.76	4.48	6.55	8.27	9.65
Chippewa	13.32	14.99	8.33	7.49	7.49	7.49	11.66
Chisago	3.11	2.56	2.92	3.47	6.03	8.59	8.95
Clay	6.05	10.03	10.03	11.15	14.97	13.53	9.87
Clearwater	3.40	1.13	3.40	7.94	5.67	0.00	0.00
Cook	1.88	0.00	0.00	0.00	1.88	1.88	0.00
Cottonwood	28.14	17.59	9.67	10.55	15.83	16.71	15.83
Crow Wing	1.72	1.72	1.88	3.60	6.26	7.20	10.49
Dakota	8.11	10.55	13.25	15.09	17.12	19.39	21.40
Dodge	5.83	9.72	9.72	10.20	12.63	9.23	4.86
Douglas	1.61	2.69	3.49	8.06	11.29	7.53	6.45
Faribault	7.20	17.99	19.43	6.48	8.64	10.07	5.76
Fillmore	1.91	3.35	3.35	5.27	9.10	9.57	5.74
Freeborn	22.60	15.72	11.14	11.14	11.47	9.50	8.19
Goodhue	4.76	4.11	5.19	4.98	4.54	3.68	5.19
Grant	0.00	5.05	18.52	40.42	35.37	21.89	25.26
Hennepin	10.61	12.12	15.00	17.75	21.39	23.34	23.76
Houston	5.36	10.18	6.97	4.29	2.68	2.14	3.21
Hubbard	0.00	0.00	1.44	2.88	3.36	5.75	7.67
Isanti	3.08	4.11	5.13	5.39	5.64	4.36	4.36
Itasca	0.22	1.11	1.11	2.88	9.51	9.96	6.19
Jackson	9.95	6.97	1.99	4.98	6.97	6.97	7.96
Kanabec	0.62	0.62	0.62	2.50	5.00	3.12	3.75
Kandiyohi	7.50	3.28	4.45	9.85	11.72	9.85	11.72
Kittson	0.00	2.31	2.31	0.00	2.31	2.31	0.00
Koochiching	0.00	3.16	6.33	13.45	25.31	24.52	19.77
Lac qui Parle	1.48	1.48	0.00	1.48	2.95	1.48	0.00
Lake	3.78	1.89	0.95	4.73	6.62	2.84	4.73
Lake of the Woods	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	0.00	2.63	2.63
Le Sueur	4.65	10.72	15.37	20.37	22.16	16.80	13.58
Lincoln	1.75	7.01	7.01	35.04	70.09	40.30	5.26
Lyon	46.05	28.25	17.80	23.61	25.93	21.29	10.45
McLeod	6.70	7.54	6.42	6.42	6.14	5.02	13.96
Mahnomen	0.00	1.82	9.08	12.71	18.16	16.35	5.45

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Marshall	0.00	0.00	0.00	8.52	13.84	8.52	4.26
Martin	4.01	4.51	11.52	11.02	9.52	10.02	7.51
Meeker	4.33	3.90	2.17	3.90	6.07	5.63	2.17
Mille Lacs	1.55	1.17	1.94	3.50	5.44	8.55	7.77
Morrison	1.21	0.91	1.52	3.64	3.64	2.73	3.03
Mower	76.01	52.52	33.84	17.68	14.65	15.15	15.15
Murray	7.18	9.58	21.55	46.69	53.87	33.52	14.37
Nicollet	2.66	12.73	19.54	20.42	18.06	19.54	23.98
Nobles	14.65	14.65	18.32	19.69	20.15	17.86	15.57
Norman	3.05	4.57	3.05	3.05	9.15	13.72	13.72
Olmsted	12.02	15.81	14.76	17.77	19.01	14.76	13.59
Otter Tail	1.21	1.55	2.59	6.38	8.10	6.04	6.21
Pennington	1.41	0.00	1.41	4.94	6.35	7.05	7.05
Pine	0.69	2.06	4.81	3.78	2.75	3.43	3.09
Pipestone	1.09	11.98	48.99	76.21	71.86	47.90	19.60
Polk	2.85	4.75	3.48	3.80	6.01	8.86	12.66
Pope	0.00	0.00	1.82	10.93	16.39	11.84	14.57
Ramsey	12.82	12.26	11.69	13.67	16.93	19.83	22.25
Red Lake	0.00	0.00	2.50	4.99	7.49	17.47	32.44
Redwood	2.61	2.61	5.22	5.87	4.57	3.26	2.61
Renville	6.79	8.83	13.59	8.83	5.43	7.47	6.11
Rice	25.09	17.64	14.45	13.23	10.19	10.64	13.38
Rock	4.25	4.25	3.19	8.50	18.06	28.68	30.81
Roseau	0.65	1.94	8.41	13.58	12.93	8.41	5.17
St Louis	1.30	1.95	2.80	4.85	5.70	4.95	7.70
Scott	5.93	8.65	13.18	19.39	20.99	20.92	25.04
Sherburne	1.93	2.79	5.90	9.76	15.77	23.28	20.38
Sibley	5.36	16.09	16.09	10.06	11.40	8.05	5.36
Stearns	4.08	11.22	19.58	17.92	13.97	12.31	11.54
Steele	7.63	10.63	9.54	11.45	14.45	14.72	12.00
Stevens	2.04	3.07	3.07	9.20	8.18	2.04	2.04
Swift	1.06	0.00	3.19	23.38	25.50	8.50	4.25
Todd	13.09	8.18	2.86	2.05	2.05	4.09	8.18
Traverse	0.00	0.00	3.00	11.99	11.99	5.99	3.00
Wabasha	3.26	3.72	1.86	6.05	12.09	12.56	10.70
Wadena	2.93	3.66	0.73	2.20	4.40	4.40	3.66
Waseca	5.85	12.23	13.29	12.23	15.95	20.73	18.08
Washington	6.28	8.84	10.66	12.67	14.96	15.71	16.66
Watsonwan	103.89	119.38	56.50	51.03	42.83	23.69	15.49
Wilkin	15.77	7.88	3.15	4.73	1.58	4.73	14.19
Winona	3.34	6.49	6.49	9.44	14.16	12.78	8.85
Wright	3.09	4.44	6.86	10.32	13.18	12.88	11.90
Yellow Medicine	16.21	19.25	7.09	5.07	11.15	12.16	9.12