



**TOWN OF WESTWOOD**  
COMMONWEALTH OF MASSACHUSETTS  
**Weekly Update as of 9.2.20**

Visit Westwood's Coronavirus [website](#) for daily updates  
Health Department COVID-19 Case Update

**Total confirmed cases in Massachusetts: 119,426**  
**Total cases in Norfolk County: 9,569**  
**Total documented cases in Westwood: 157 (+8)**  
**New Cases in MA today: 393**

The Massachusetts Department of Public Health is now reporting COVID-19 cases by city and town. This information is updated each week on Wednesday and is available for your viewing [here](#). In addition, daily updates and information about COVID-19 and necessary precautions continue to be available on the [MDPH COVID-19 website](#).

**A message from the Health Director:**

After another week of increasing cases, we remain firmly in the color code yellow for an average of 4-8 cases per week. The month of August finished with a total case count of 13, up from 10 in July.

At this time the trend it is clearly moving upward. I re-iterate my message from last week that now is the time to refocus our attention on personal health, social distancing, wearing face coverings, avoiding large gatherings, and following the MA travel guidelines.

Please be mindful of these concerns as you celebrate the long Labor Day Weekend. With fall upon us, and schools set to resume in person hybrid learning, it is extremely critical that we all do everything we can to avoid spreading this virus.

**The CDC has released COVID-19 guidelines for summer gatherings.**  
Before you schedule any gatherings or functions, please [review their guidelines](#).



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