



# TOWN OF MARBLEHEAD

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## MARBLEHEAD CASE REPORTING

### Case Count

Confirmed cases (recent guidance categorizes all confirmed or presumptive positive cases as positive): **262**

Active cases:  $\leq 5$

Confirmed deaths: **30**

The Marblehead Health Department will make weekly updates of confirmed cases, August 24, 2020.

Marblehead Health Department (MHD) data regarding case counts come directly from Massachusetts Department of Public Health (MDPH) and their surveillance system (MAVEN). We use the language and terminology per the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) guidance, and *recent guidance categorizes all confirmed or presumptive positive cases as positive*.

50% of the 262 confirmed cases and 96.667% of the reported coronavirus-related death were either residents or staff members at one of Marblehead's long term care facility.

We would like to extend our deepest sympathies and condolences to the families that are grieving these losses.

Please help prevent the spread of COVID-19 through Social Distancing, Staying at Home and wearing a facial covering.

- **All travelers arriving to Massachusetts – including Massachusetts residents returning home are instructed to self-quarantine for 14 days, except travelers from Connecticut, Vermont, New Hampshire, Maine, New York and New Jersey.**
- **If you had close contact with a person who has been diagnosed with COVID-19, get tested, self-quarantine (stay home) and monitor your health for symptoms of COVID-19 for 14 days after your last contact (even if you have a negative test result).**
- **Please call Marblehead Health Department to Report contact with a positive case**