Township of Franklin COVID-19 Update: August 17th

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The Township of Franklin would like to provide you with an update on COVID-19 from the Office of Emergency Management.

Positive COVID-19 Cases
Franklin Township 2010 population: 62,300
New cases in Franklin Township: 6
Total cases in Franklin Township: 1430
New fatalities reported in Franklin Township: 0
Total fatalities reported in Franklin Township: 137

For a map of Somerset County NJ -COVID-19 Status click the link below.


The best way to protect yourself and your family from this coronavirus and other diseases is to follow simple daily health precautions:

- Wash hands frequently with soap and water, and for at least 20 seconds each time.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth with unwashed hands.
- Avoid close contact with people who are ill.
- Cover your mouth and nose with a tissue when you cough or sneeze.
- Do not reuse tissue after coughing, sneezing, or blowing your nose.
- Clean and disinfect surfaces that are frequently touched.
- Stay home when you are sick.
- Stay at home unless you are essential personnel or seeking essential services.
The New Jersey Department of Health is providing information to residents and has set up a 24/7 public hotline with the New Jersey Coronavirus & Poison Center at 1-800-222-1222.

For an updated case count of COVID-19 in Somerset County, please call 908-231-7111. For Somerset County specific updates, please visit www.co.somerset.nj.us/health

Since the situation is evolving, it is important to stay up to date by following trusted sources of information such as the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention at www.cdc.gov, the World Health Organization at www.who.int, the New Jersey Department of Health at www.nj.gov/health, or http://www.covid19.nj.gov, the Somerset County Department of Health at www.co.somerset.nj.us/health and the Franklin Township Home page www.franklintwpnj.org