



Public Health
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COVID-19

WEEKLY REPORT

MIDDLETON BY THE NUMBERS

**TOTAL CONFIRMED
COVID CASES TO DATE: 30***
APRIL 17, 2020:

***Number of cases excludes cases
within Correctional Facility (40)**

SEX	
Male	15
Female	15
Unknown	N/A
AGE GROUP	
<19 years of age	0
20-29 years of age	4
30-39 years of age	4
40-49 years of age	5
50-59 years of age	10
60-69 years of age	1
70-79 years of age	5
>80-89 years of age	1
DEATHS	
Attributed to COVID-19	3

The **Middleton Board of Health** passed an emergency order on 4/13/2020 that requires patrons and employees wear facial coverings (over mouth and nose) in essential service establishments open to the public. It also requires the public to properly dispose of personal protection items (masks, gloves, etc. to be properly disposed into trash receptacles and not on the ground, or a fine can be issued.

To view the Order, click here!



**FACIAL COVERING REQUIRED IN
THIS FACILITY BY ORDER
OF MIDDLETON BOH**



**SOCIAL
DISTANCE**

REMINDERS

We all need to do our part to stop the spread of COVID-19. To screen your symptoms visit www.bouyhealth.com

Please **stay home** as much as possible.

Practice Social Distancing

- If you need to go out to get essentials like groceries, wear a facial covering, stay at least 6 feet away from others, and be efficient
- Avoid gatherings of any kind.

Wash your hands frequently for at least 20 seconds. If you don't have immediate access to soap and water, use hand sanitizer.

Avoid touching your face, especially your eyes, nose, and mouth.

Be especially careful around **high-risk** individuals, such as older adults or those with underlying health conditions.

Properly notify EMS/Fire and Police if you seek assistance from them and are symptomatic and/or COVID-19 positive.



DEPARTMENTAL INFORMATION

Middleton Board of Health / Health Department

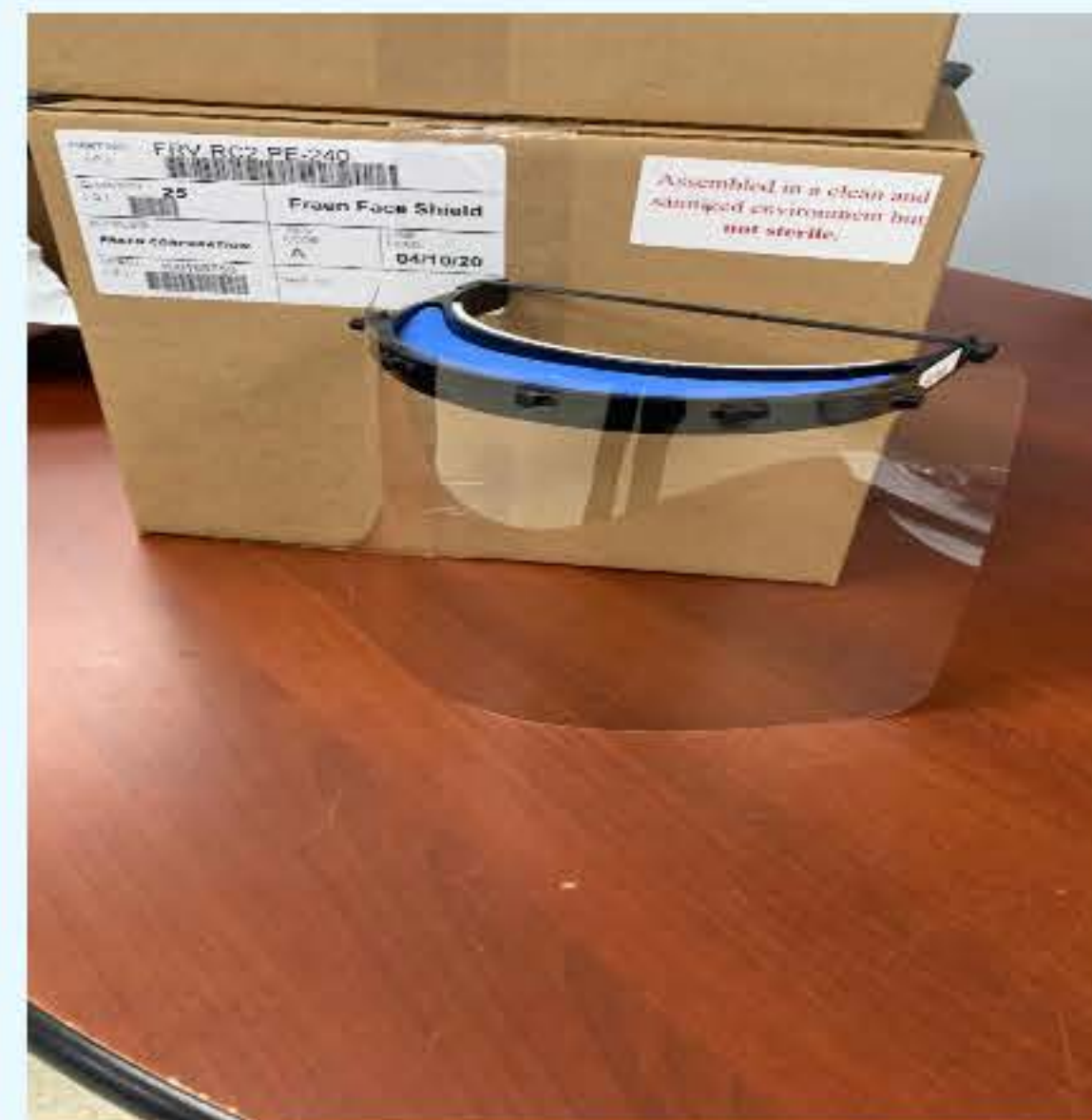
The Middleton Health Department assisted the Senior Center to on Meal Deliveries this week to our seniors. We are happy to report that Seniors are in good spirits, very thankful for the Senior Center and their efforts to provide daily meals, and remain very hopeful.

The Middleton Health Director facilitates a weekly zoom meeting with over 20 North Shore local public health officials to collectively discuss local COVID related planning. Officials share information, best practices, community efforts, identify strengths and gaps, and collaborate on upcoming prevention efforts.



Emergency Medical Services (EMS)/Fire & Police

The Middleton Fire Department (MFD) and Middleton Police Department (MPD) continue to respond to COVID related medical transports. The MPD assisted Market Basket this week to ensure public cooperation related to the local order for facial coverings of patrons. Both the MFD and MPD received Personal Protection Equipment (PPE) from the Massachusetts Emergency Management Agency (MEMA), a donation of face shields from a local manufacturer, and digital thermometers, face shields, and gowns from the Middleton Health Department.



Town Administration

Due to the COVID-19 pandemic and related stay at home orders, the Board of Selectmen has postponed the 2020 Annual Town Meeting and Town Election.

Annual Town Meeting: The Annual Town Meeting which was scheduled for May 12, 2020 is postponed to Wednesday, June 10. The public hearing on the budget is now scheduled for May 7, 2020.

Annual Town Election: The Annual Town Election which was scheduled for May 19, 2020 is postponed until Saturday, June 20, 2020.

All dates are subject to change as the COVID-19 pandemic evolves. We will provide updates as we get closer and as circumstances change.