

WASHTENAW URBAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING
Wednesday, December 7, 2022 - 2:00pm – 3:30pm (Remote)

This meeting is being held remotely in compliance with *the Michigan Open Meetings Act* and *Washtenaw County Board of Commissioners Resolution 21-007*. A link to Urban County Executive Committee roster with members' contact information is available [here](#).

I. Welcome & Introductions

- Roll Call – members shall state their physical location from which they are attending the meeting remotely.

II. Public Comment

Zoom link: <https://washtenawcounty.zoom.us/j/81799637267?pwd=ZkF4aTduTHd2YVp0SnRoR1B0ZkhkQT09>

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III. Announcements from Members and/or Staff

A. Congratulations and Welcome to new members joining the Urban County Executive Committee!

B. Thank you to our outgoing members and to Commissioner Shink for her service as UCEC Chair the last 2 years!

C. Warming Centers

- Daytime warming shelter (Ypsilanti): at Ypsilanti Freighthouse, 100 Market Place, Nov. 7 – March 31 Monday through Thurs (8am-6pm)
- Daytime warming shelter (Ann Arbor):
 - a. Zion Lutheran Church, 1501 W. Liberty, Ann Arbor, November 14 – December 2, 2022
 - b. Journey of Faith, 1900 Manchester Rd, Ann Arbor, December 5 – December 16, 2022
 - c. Trinity Lutheran Church, 1400 W. Stadium Rd, Ann Arbor, December 19 – December 30, 2022
 - d. First Baptist Church, 517 E. Washington St., Ann Arbor, January 2 – February 3, 2023
 - e. First Congressional Church (M, W, Fri), 608 E. Williams St, Ann Arbor, February 4, 2023 – February 28, 2023
 - f. St. Mary's Student Parish (Tu+Thu), 331 Thompson St. Ann Arbor, February 4, 2023 – February 28, 2023
- Winter overnight shelter for individuals: Delonis Center and partnering Congregations, Nov. 7, 2022 – March 31, 2023 pending weather conditions

D. Member Announcements (All)

IV. Minutes

A. 11-2-22 Meeting Minutes – Review & Approval (**ACTION**)

V. General Administration

A. County Health Officer's COVID-19 Written Updates

B. Public Hearing: Needs Assessment for 2023-2027 Five-Year Consolidated Plan & 2023 Annual Action Plan

C. Assessment of Fair Housing Subcommittee (Tara Cohen, OCED)

D. 2023-27 Five-Year Consolidated Plan / 2023 Annual Action Plan Timeline Overview

- VI. General Updates** - Member Announcements
- VII. Public Comment** – See II. above for Zoom details.
- VIII. Adjournment**

Next Meeting: Wednesday, January 11, 2023, 2:00 – 3:30pm, Location: Remote (Zoom)

WASHTENAW URBAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE MEETING
Wednesday, December 7, 2022 - 2:00pm – 3:30pm
Location: Virtual Meeting using Zoom (details below)

Members in Attendance:

Supervisor Diane O’Connell (Ann Arbor Township); Councilmember Elizabeth Nelson (City of Ann Arbor); Jessica West (Director of Community Development, Pittsfield Township); Trustee Linda Adams (Augusta Township); Supervisor Will Hathaway (Scio Township); Council Member Janet Dillion (City of Saline); Heather Jarrell Roe (Clerk, Ypsilanti Township); Christopher Jacobs (Community Development Manager, City of Ypsilanti); Trustee Sandie Schulze (Sylvan Township);

Members Absent: Supervisor Charles Tellas (York Township); Supervisor Diane Ratkovich (Dexter Township); Supervisor Duane Luick (Lima Township); Supervisor Laurie Fromhart (Bridgewater Township); Supervisor Gary Whittaker (Salem Township); Supervisor Jim Marion (Saline Township); Supervisor John Kingsley (Webster Township); Supervisor Ken Dignan (Northfield Township); Supervisor Ronald Milkey (Manchester Township); Supervisor Brenda Stumbo (Ypsilanti Township); Mayor Lois Richardson (City of Ypsilanti); Michelle Aniol (Community Development Manager, City of Dexter); Mike Greene (Assistant City Manager, City of Saline); Supervisor Ken Schwartz (Superior Township); Commisioner Sue Shink (Washtenaw County BOC, Chair of Board)

Facilitator: OCED Housing & Infrastructure Manager Tara Cohen (Absent: Washtenaw County Commisioner Sue Shink)

OCED Staff Present: Tara Cohen, Jasmyne Townsend, Aaron Kraft, and Karen Newman

Guests: Jimena Loveluck (Officer, Washtenaw County Public Health Officer)

Meeting called to order: 2:04 PM

I. Roll Call

Pursuant to [MCL 15.263 Sec.3](#), Cohen took roll call during which each member stated their name and physical location (I.e. City or Township, Washtenaw County, State of Michigan).

Adams: Participating remotely from Augusta Township, Washtenaw County

Nelson: Participating remotely from City of Ann Arbor, Washtenaw County

Hathaway: Participating remotely from Scio Township, Washtenaw County

West: Participating remotely from Pittsfield Township, Washtenaw County

O’Connell: Participating remotely from Ann Arbor Township, Washtenaw County

Schulze: Participating remotely from Sullivan Township, Washtenaw County

Jacobs: Paticipating remotely from City of Ypsilanti, Washtenaw County

West: Particapting remotely from Pittsfield Charter Township, Washtenaw County

Dillion: Participating remotely from City of Saline, Washtenaw County

Jarrell Roe: Participating Remotely from Ypsilanti Township, Washtenaw County

II. Public Comment – No public comment was stated.

III. Announcements from Members and/or Staff

A. Warming Centers - OCED Director Teresa Gillotti provided a brief update on the following:

- Daytime warming shelter: at Ypsilanti Freighthouse, 100 Market Place, Nov. 7th – March 31st Monday through Thurs (8am-6pm)
- Daytime warming shelter for Ann Arbor has not been made public at this point in time.
- Availability for Winter overnight shelter for individuals: Delonis Center and partnering Congregations will be open from Nov 7th – March 31st.

IV. Minutes

A. 09-07-22 Meeting Minutes – Review & Approval (ACTION)

Moved by Adams. Support by Hathaway.

ROLL CALL:

Adams: Yes

Nelson: Yes

Hathaway: Yes

West: Yes

O'Connell: Yes

Schulze: Yes

Jacobs: Yes

West: Yes

Dillion: Yes

Jarrell Roe: N/A

Ayes – 9; Nays – 0; **Motion carried, Jarrell Roe was not present at the time of motion/vote; quorum was met. Motion Carried.**

V. General Administration

A. County Health Officer's COVID-19 Update (Jimena Loveluck, WCHD) - Health Officer Loveluck provided a presentation that can be found in the updated [November agenda packet](#) starting on page 111. A brief Q & A followed the presentation.

B. Approval of UCEC Proposed 2023 calendar dates – **Discussion and Possible Action** (Tara Cohen, OCED)

Motion: *OCED staff is proposing to keep the UCEC monthly meetings on first Wednesdays – with exception for certain holiday weeks or school district breaks – from 2pm to 3:30pm. Barring any unforeseen changes, OCED plans to continue holding these monthly meetings as 100% remote on Zoom. If UCEC votes today to approve the proposed meeting calendar included in your packet, staff will send out invitations for the whole set of 2023 meetings to ensure they are on members' calendar.*

Proposed Dates: January 11th, 2023; February 1st, 2023; March 1st, 2023; April 5th, 2023; May 3rd, 2023; June 7th, 2023; July 12th, 2023; No August Meeting; September 6th, 2023; October 4th, 2023; November 1st, 2023; December 6th, 2023.

Moved by Hathaway. Support by Jarrell Roe.

ROLL CALL:

Adams: Yes

Nelson: Yes
Hathaway: Yes
West: Yes
O'Connell: Yes
Schulze: Yes
Jacobs: Yes
West: Yes
Dillion: Yes
Jarrell Roe: Yes
Ayes – 10; Nays – 0; **Motion carried.**

C. Approval of Revisions to Housing Program Guidelines (ACTION) (Tara Cohen, OCED)

The Housing Program Guidelines for the Washtenaw Urban County is the guiding policy document for OCED's Housing Rehabilitation Program (funded with CDBG) and Developer Housing projects (funded with a mix of HOME and CDBG funds). These policies need revision occasionally, and UCEC is responsible for approving any revisions or updates recommended by OCED staff. The last set of revisions were approved by UCEC in May 2021. The complete document with tracked changes is included in your packet. The revisions presented for your approval at the November 2nd meeting fall under three areas within the Guidelines.

Proposed changes is can be located within [November agenda packet](#) on pages 5- 8.

Q & A

1. **(Q) – (Dillon)** "Is there also an option for window units like individual windows units or are these full systems in place?" This question was regarding the new Air Conditioner Assistance Program.

(A)- (Aaron Kraft) Window air conditioner units are not covered, as they are not the most cost effective and don't have as much longevity.

(Q) – (West) "Why are water heaters being called out here...as well as other miscellaneous repairs – why are we not just saying anything under \$3,000.00?" This question was regarding which types of Critical Repair projects will be offered as a grant versus as a zero percent interest lien.

(A) – (Aaron Kraft) In efforts to simplify the process for rehab assistance this change will help draw a clear line for individuals requesting rehab assistance (so that they know up front whether they will be required to take on a lien on their property), and also help designate what is considered a miscellaneous expense.

D. Urban County 2022 CDBG Allocation and Donation Acknowledgment Letters (Tara Cohen, OCED)

In October, each member community should have received an email from OCED that included a letter with information about their 2022 CDBG allocation. For communities that programmed their allocations in the 2022 Action Plan, the letter referenced your specific project(s). For all other communities, the letter notifies them of their final 2022 CDBG allocation under the approved formula and reminds them that their funds are being directed into the Single Family Rehab Program (which serves the entire Urban County). For any community with unspent prior year CDBG balances, the letter also included a reminder of those unspent funds and deadlines for allocating funds, if applicable. Please reach out to Ms. Townsend at townsendj@washtenaw.org with questions about your CDBG funds or to request a meeting to discuss a particular CDBG-assisted project.

E. Update: Assessment of Fair Housing Plan Subcommittee Members (Tara Cohen, OCED)

The [Affirmatively Furthering Fair Housing \(AFFH\)](#) Subcommittee has now met twice. The Subcommittee includes 3 representatives from Urban County communities (Ypsilanti, Ypsilanti Township, and Augusta Township), 4 representatives from the Community Action Board (CAB), along with staff from OCED and Ann Arbor Housing Commission. As noted previously, the Urban County will also be partnering with the Ann Arbor Housing Commission on making updates to the 2017 AFH Plan. Updates will focus on key sections and elements of the Plan to provide a framework for the next 5-year planning period (FY 2023 – FY 2027). Members have provided input on the Housing & Neighborhood Survey tool, focus group priorities, and specific neighborhood profiles to update and/or add that were not included in the 2017 AFH Plan. We plan to convene the Subcommittee a few more times, for a total of no more than 5 meetings, winding down in December.

The Housing & Neighborhood Survey will be available within the next 1-2 weeks both online and hard copy, in 4 languages: English, Spanish, Arabic, and Somali. Please be on the lookout for more information and ways to distribute the online link and hard copies within your communities. This data collection effort will be more representative and robust with assistance from all of the UCEC.

F. 2023-27 Five Year Consolidated Plan / 2023 Annual Action Plan Overview (Tara Cohen, OCED)

We are currently in Year 5 of our Five-Year Consolidated Plan that covered Fiscal Years 2018 through 2023. This month will begin the planning and development of a new Five Year Consolidated Plan, which will cover the 5 year period of July 1, 2023 through June 30, 2028. This Consolidated Plan will also include the Annual Action Plan for Year 1 (Fiscal Year 2023). As noted above, the AFH Plan goals will be integrated into the Consolidated Plan, following suit with our last process. The survey mentioned above will serve a double purpose by informing the Needs Assessment component of the Consolidated Plan. Key milestones for plan development are as follows:

- o Housing & Neighborhood Survey: Targeted for Nov. 7 – Dec. 18, 2022
- o 30-day public comment period on community needs: Nov. 16 – Dec. 16, 2022
- o Virtual Public hearing for community needs: December 7, 2023 at UCEC meeting
- o 30-day public comment period / Public hearings on Draft Plan: April 2023
- o Approval of Final Plan: May 2023 (subject to delay based on HUD timing)

VI. Public Comment – None

VII. No General Updates/ Announcements

VIII. Adjournment

Dillion moved to adjourn. Support from Jacobs.

Motion carried unanimously.

Adjourned: 2:53 pm

Next Meeting: Wed., December 7th , 2022, 2:00 – 3:30pm, Location: ZOOM

WASHTENAW URBAN COUNTY EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE (UCEC) MEETING
Wednesday, December 7, 2022, 2:00pm- 3:30pm

AGENDA SUMMARY

County Health Officer's COVID-19 Updates (Tara Cohen, OCED)

In lieu of an in-person presentation this month, County Health Officer Jimena Loveluck provided the following updates and flyers for the Committee:

- The Health Department has developed guidance for having safe holiday gatherings – A flyer is included in your meeting packet. The Health Department also has a [news item](#) on this topic that includes a link to the same flyer.
- The Health Department has launched their Plan4Health initiative, which is aimed at helping people who do not have health insurance or a regular primary care provider get free access to the COVID-19 antiviral treatment Paxlovid. See flyer in your meeting packet with information, and the Health Department news item with more information [here](#).
- COVID-19 and flu vaccines continue to be available at the Health Department, and they also have upcoming community vaccine clinics. This information is regularly updated on the Health Department website [here](#). A 3rd flyer in your meeting packet is for the upcoming vaccine clinic at Second Baptist Church in Ypsilanti on December 8th.

Public Hearing: Needs Assessment for 2023-27 Five-Year Consolidated Plan & 2023 Annual Action Plan (Tara Cohen, OCED)

Prior to the public hearing, Housing and Infrastructure Manager, Tara Cohen will provide a brief presentation on the public input process for the development of the 2023-27 Five-Year Consolidated Plan and corresponding 2023 Annual Action Plan.

Every five years, the Washtenaw Urban County develops a 5-year plan outlining the goals for investment of funds from the U.S. Department of Housing and Urban Development (HUD) to strengthen our local communities, particularly in lower-income areas, with services and projects that include:

- Affordable housing (homeowner and rental);
- Community infrastructure and facility improvements;
 - examples include parks improvements, community center expansions/improvements, non-motorized and accessibility improvements
- Human services provided by local non-profits;
- Assistance for low- and moderate-income homeowners to maintain their homes; and
- Services for individuals and families experiencing homelessness.

Each year, HUD also requires the submission of an Annual Action Plan. The 2023 Annual Action Plan (Year 1 of the Five-Year Consolidated Plan) will identify ***specific projects and programs*** that the County intends to implement with Community Development Block Grant (CDBG), HOME Investment Partnership (HOME) funds and Emergency Solutions Grant (ESG) funds to address housing and community development needs in the Urban County during the period July 1, 2023 – June 30, 2024, in alignment with the Urban County's 2023-2027 Consolidated Plan.

The public comment period for community needs began November 16, 2022, and will continue through December 16, 2022. Today's public hearing invites participation and/or written comments from any

person having an interest, or their duly appointed representative, in the 21 jurisdictions that will be in the Washtenaw Urban County as of Fiscal Year 2023-24, which begins July 1, 2023. Please note the City of Chelsea will become a member of the Urban County as of Fiscal Year 2023.

The Urban County Executive Committee and its staff will gauge community needs as part of the planning process to inform both the 2023-2027 Five-Year Consolidated Plan as well as the 2023 Annual Action Plan. We do this through a three-part process:

1. Holding a 30-day comment period where we solicit citizen input on housing and public infrastructure needs in the Washtenaw Urban County. The public comment period for community needs began Nov. 16, 2022, and will continue through Dec. 16, 2022. The Notice was published in Ann Arbor News and on Mlive.com on Nov 13, 2022.
2. Holding today's public hearing (Dec. 7, 2022) at the Urban County Executive Committee to further provide for citizen input.
3. Distributing an online Housing & Neighborhood survey for members of the public to provide additional input on both housing and non-housing needs to be considered for future investments. This survey is available in English, Arabic, Somali, and Spanish. The survey will remain open until December 23, 2022 and can be accessed at the following links:
 - o English: <http://bit.ly/3XnspSC>
 - o Español: <http://bit.ly/3tQ4loz>
 - o Arabic (عربي): <http://bit.ly/3tQsOil>
 - o Somali: <http://bit.ly/3i9tSLW>

Any questions or requests for hard copy surveys to distribute should be directed to Jasmyne Townsend at townsendj@washtenaw.org or 734-544-3056. As noted above, in addition to offering comments at today's public hearing, members of the public are also encouraged to provide input by participating in a brief online survey found; (English) [here](#), (Spanish) [here](#), (Arabic) [here](#), or (Somali) [here](#).

Update: Assessment of Fair Housing Subcommittee (Tara Cohen, OCED)

The [Affirmatively Furthering Fair Housing](#) (AFFH) Subcommittee has now met three times. The Subcommittee includes 3 representatives from Urban County communities (Ypsilanti, Ypsilanti Township, and Augusta Township), 4 representatives from the Community Action Board (CAB), along with staff from OCED and Ann Arbor Housing Commission. As noted previously, the Urban County will also be partnering with the Ann Arbor Housing Commission on making updates to the 2023 AFH Plan. Updates will focus on key sections and elements of the Plan to provide a framework for the next 5-year planning period (FY 2023 – FY 2027). Members have provided input on the Housing & Neighborhood Survey tool, list of 2017 neighborhood profiles to be updated and other areas to be included, and which 2017 goals and strategies to keep and/or modify for inclusion in the 2023 AFH Plan. We are tentatively planning to convene the Subcommittee once more in January.

The 2022 Housing & Neighborhood Survey mentioned above for the Five-Year Consolidated Plan and 2023 Annual Action Plan is also a component of the 2023 AFH Plan. The survey is available both online and in hard copy, in 4 languages: English, Spanish, Arabic, and Somali. Links for the survey are provided below along with a link from the OCED's Facebook site to share from that platform as well.

Links:

English: <http://bit.ly/3XnspSC>

Español: <http://bit.ly/3tQ4loz>

Arabic (عربي): <http://bit.ly/3tQsOil>

Somali: <http://bit.ly/3i9tSLW>

Facebook Link: [OCED Facebook/ 2022 Housing & Neighborhood Survey](#)

If you would like to receive hard copies, please email Jasmyne Townend (townsendj@washtenaw.org). If there are organizations or individuals you all believe would benefit from this survey, please share the links above, or contact Jasmyne Townend to ensure they receive the survey information.

2023-27 Five Year Consolidated Plan / 2023 Annual Action Plan Overview Timeline Overview

The 2023-2027 Consolidated Plan will also include the Annual Action Plan for Year 1 (Fiscal Year 2023). As mentioned previously, the AFH Plan goals will be integrated into the Consolidated Plan, following suit with our last process. As has been mentioned, the Housing & Neighborhood survey will serve a double purpose by informing the Needs Assessment portion of the Consolidated Plan. Key milestones for plan development are as follows:

- Nov. 7 – Dec. 23, 2022: Housing & Neighborhood Survey
- Nov. 16 – Dec. 16, 2022: 30-day public comment period on community needs:
- Dec. 5, 2022: Affordable Housing RFP #8412 is released on County Purchasing
- Dec. 7, 2022: Virtual Public hearing for community needs
- Dec. 15, 2022 (2pm): Virtual RFP #8412 Mandatory Pre-Bid Meeting
- Jan. 11, 2023: 2023 CDBG Project Application Forms available for Urban County member communities
- Jan. 31, 2023: Affordable Housing RFP #8412 bid opening
- March 1, 2023: OCED shares RFP #8412 Affordable Housing/HOME funding recommendations
- March 31, 2023: Draft 2023-2027 Five-Year Consolidated Plan & 2023 Action Plan available for review
- April 2023: 30-day public comment period / Public hearings on Draft Plan
- May 2023: Approval of Final Plan by Urban County and Board of Commissioners (subject to delay based on HUD timing)

Additional Information

If you have any questions on any of the information included in this summary, or would like additional information, please contact Jasmyne Townend at (734) 544-3056 or townsendj@washtenaw.org.



SHELTER ASSOCIATION OF WASHTENAW COUNTY
WINTER PROGRAMS INFORMATION 2022-2023

*PLEASE NOTE THAT DUE TO COVID-19 – OUR SHELTERING OPTIONS MAY CHANGE,
INFORMATION WILL BE UPDATED AS NEEDED*

When is the winter shelter open? – November 7th, 2022 – March 31st, 2023 pending weather conditions. Overnight Shelter is available each night beginning at 7:00pm.

How is this year different because of COVID-19? - Because of the pandemic, our sheltering may be different this year. Shelter beds are limited, so if you're able to stay at a family members, friends, or anywhere else, it is highly encouraged and we will try divert individuals from shelter as much as possible. We have enhanced health and safety practices and will open additional offsite location(s) if needed to ensure the safety of guests.

Will I be safe? - We work diligently with the Public Health department to maintain health and safety protocols to keep you safe. Everyone at the shelter locations are required to wear a mask and adhere to health and safety protocols. If anyone is ill, we will work to get them medical attention immediately.

How do I get into the shelter? – Any individuals seeking emergency shelter please contact Housing Access of Washtenaw County at 734-961-1999 to obtain a referral to the Delonis Center. If it is after 5pm or weekend, please come to the Delonis Center and we'll assist ensuring you're served. Families, please contact Housing Access of Washtenaw County to be referred to appropriate shelter resources.

What is provided? – Individuals are provided a safe place to sleep each night and can access a wide variety of services including meals, case management, medical care, and most importantly help finding permanent housing.

Where is shelter provided? - Nighttime accommodations are at the Delonis Center; 312 W. Huron St., Ann Arbor and offsite locations including Congregation partners. During day-time hours, those seeking shelter should first contact Housing Access of Washtenaw County to obtain a referral for shelter at 734-961-1999. If it is after 5pm or weekend, please come to the Delonis Center and we'll assist with ensuring you're served and provide transportation to an offsite location if needed.

What about during the daytime? – Daytime shelter accommodations are available throughout the winter shelter season. Day shelter is provided through a partnership with the local group MISSION beginning in late November. Day-time accommodations will also be provided beginning in November, Monday-Thursday at Freighthouse in Ypsilanti in partnership with the City of Ypsilanti. Please see the schedule below for a list of locations. Some Day-time sites open hours vary. If you are seeking day shelter on the weekend, please call 734-662-2829 to be given the most up to date information. We will have day-time shelter accommodations 7 days a week.

How can I be connected to housing resources? An Intake Specialist will connect with you via phone to discuss housing resources and share information about SAWC housing case management assisting you with your housing search. See staff member to complete an intake and be connected to a case manager.

Who's here to support me during my housing crisis? There are a number organizations devoted to helping you. Whether you call Housing Access of Washtenaw County or visit the Delonis Center for shelter, you will be connected to a network of almost 30 organizations to help you with moving into safe, permanent housing.

Please contact the Delonis Center at 734-662-2829 if you have any questions or need more information.

Day Time Warming Shelter Location(s)		
Location	Address	Month
Freighthouse (Mon. – Thur., 8-6pm)	100 Market Pl, Ypsilanti, MI 48198	November 7, 2022 – March 31, 2023
Zion Lutheran Church	1501 W. Liberty, Ann Arbor	November 14 – December 2, 2022
Journey of Faith	1900 Manchester Rd, Ann Arbor	December 5 – December 16, 2022
Trinity Lutheran Church	1400 W. Stadium Bd, Ann Arbor	December 19 – December 30, 2022
First Baptist Church	517 E. Washington St., Ann Arbor	January 2 – February 3, 2023
First Congregational Church (M, W, Fri)	608 E. Williams St, Ann Arbor	February 4, 2023 – February 28, 2023
St. Mary's Student Parish (Tu + Thu)	331 Thompson St, Ann Arbor	February 4, 2023 – February 28, 2023
Delonis Center (Weekends only)	312 W. Huron St., Ann Arbor	November 7, 2022 – March 31, 2023

WASHTENAW COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT COVID-19 VACCINATION CLINIC



NO APPOINTMENT NECESSARY!
OPEN TO THE PUBLIC!

FREE!

Vaccinations available:

Moderna & Pfizer, 1st and 2nd Doses
Moderna and Pfizer Bivalent Boosters (5 yrs +)
and
Flu Shots (6 mos. +)

Coronavirus Vaccine

Thursday, December 8, 2022
1:00pm-4:00pm

SECOND BAPTIST CHURCH
301 S. Hamilton St.
Ypsilanti, MI 48197
Rev. George W. Waddles, Jr., Pastor

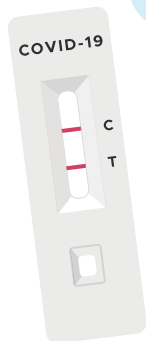


Questions, contact WCHD (734) 544-6700 | 555 Towner St. | Ypsilanti, MI 48198

If you're **50+ years old, not up-to-date on your COVID vaccines** (including a bivalent booster), or not very physically active, getting COVID could make you especially sick.*

Join COVID Plan4Health

to get FREE tests and treatment!



**Other things that can make you more likely to get very sick from COVID include being a current or former smoker, having conditions like asthma, cancer, or diabetes, and being overweight or obese. See a full list at covidplan4health.org/wchd*

If you don't have insurance or a doctor: join COVID Plan4Health now so if you get COVID later, you can quickly get treatment from the Health Department.

Joining is free and easy!



Join COVID Plan4Health

covidplan4health.org/wchd

You can also call 734-544-2963
or email np@washtenaw.org

This program is meant for Washtenaw County residents who are at high risk for severe outcomes from COVID and who don't have a regular health care provider and/or insurance. Those who have a health care provider should go to them for treatment. COVID Plan4Health is a partnership between the Washtenaw County Health Department and CareEvolution.



COVIDPlan4Health

Have a happy & safe holiday!



Looking for ways to keep holiday gatherings safer?

Consider taking these steps to reduce your risk of getting and spreading COVID-19, flu, and RSV this holiday season!

3 weeks before event

- ✓ Make sure everyone eligible has gotten a flu shot and is up-to-date on COVID-19 vaccines (including a bivalent booster)

The week before event

- ✓ Wear a high quality mask when out
- ✓ Use rapid at-home COVID tests: test 2 days before the event and the morning of the event to be safest

Day of event

- ✓ If you have symptoms, stay home and away from others
- ✓ Do what you can to increase ventilation: meet outside or open windows and run fans if inside

After the event

- ✓ If someone has symptoms or gets sick, have them talk to a doctor right away about treatment options. Treatments are available for both flu and COVID that can help lower the chances of severe illness.*

*This is especially important for high risk people, which includes anyone not up-to-date on COVID-19 vaccines (including a bivalent booster), 50+ years old, and/or not very physically active.

