

**DRAFT - Shawano School District Masking Metric**  
**Updated: 10/21/21**

This metric was created at the request of the school board as a reference for moving in and out of masking. With input from the executive committee, the following metric proposal was created.

This metric uses the combined total of positive active cases of COVID-19 for staff and students in each building to make the determination for moving to required masks. Active case counts will be assessed weekly on Thursdays. Based on the table below, if case counts indicate the need to require masks, masking will be required from 7:45 to 3:30 starting the following Monday and will remain in place for a 2 week period of time.

**We will communicate the up-coming week’s status on Friday mornings.**

Community level data is presented on the left side (green) for reference. The proposed building level metric is on the right side (blue).

Community and Building COVID-19 case counts by DHS COVID Activity Level						
DHS Covid Disease Activity Total Cases Over 14 Days				Shawano School District - Building Level Masking Metric		
	per 100,000 population	Shawano County	Geographic School District	HC OB MS ~500 student/staff	HS ~900 student/staff	Exec. Comm Masking Level
Low	<=10	less than 4	less than 2	0	0	Strongly Recommend
Moderate	11-50	4 - 20	2 - 9	0	0	Strongly Recommend
Moderately High	51-100	21 - 41	9 - 17	0	0	Strongly Recommend
High	101-350	41 - 143	17 - 60	1 - 2	1 - 3	Strongly Recommend
Very High	>350	144 - 409	60 - 171	2 - 5	3 - 9	Strongly Recommend
Critical	>1000	greater than 409	greater than 171	greater than 5	greater than 9	Masks Required

**Data Consideration**

[Vaccination status](#) - Percent of population who have completed the series as of 10/12/21

<p><b>Shawano County - 41.1% of the total population</b>            12 to 15 years - 25.5%            16 to 18 years - 28.6%</p>	<p><b>Wisconsin - 54.4% of the total population</b>            12 to 15 years - 43.2%            16 to 18 years - 48.7%</p>
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For 10/6/21 – 10/19/21: [Shawano County Covid-19 Disease Activity](#) is “Very High” at 773.1 per 100,000.

**Active cases by building as of 10/20/21: Hillcrest-5; Brener-5; Middle School-5; High School-7**