



TOWN OF RIDGEFIELD

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Important links: www.ridgefieldct.org Click on red banner for COVID-19 updates and charts
www.ct.gov: For updated statewide information.

Ridgefield, CT -December 15, 2020:

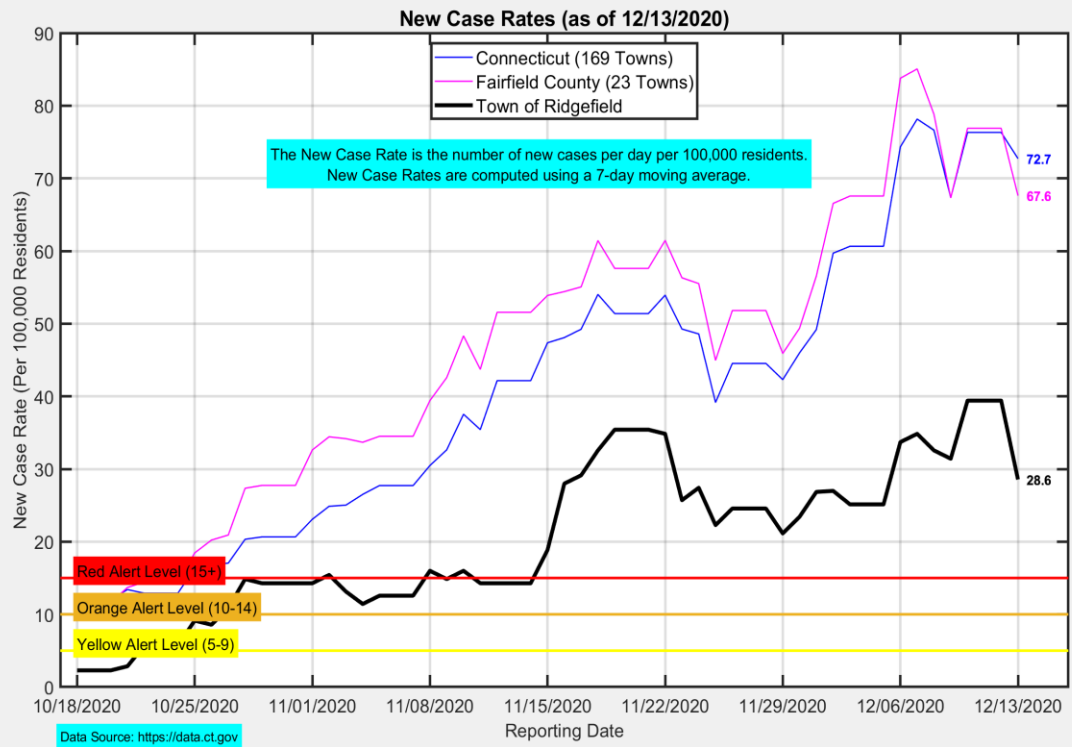
- Ridgefield is currently reporting **9** new cases as of Monday, December 14 at 4 p.m. with ages of cases ranging from under one to 100. The majority of the cases fall in the 40-50 age range.
- After last week's town test site roll out, the Yanity Gym site has increased its test appointments. Go to the town website, www.ridgefieldct.org, click on the red COVID banner and the COVID test icon. Follow directions from there.
- Infectious Disease Doctor Maher Madhoun and Health Director Ed Briggs will talk about the upcoming vaccines during a town wide webinar on Thursday, December 17 at 7 p.m. Panelists also include School Superintendent Susie Da Silva, Data Scientist Rick Lawrence and First Selectman Rudy Marconi. The Zoom webinar will also be on the Town website being streamed on the video page but **will not** be available on Comcast Channel 24. Please register as follows:
When: Dec 17, 2020 07:00 PM Eastern Time (US and Canada)
Topic: Town of Ridgefield COVID Webinar 12/17/2020
Register in advance for this webinar:
https://zoom.us/webinar/register/WN_JJeVg0VHRaKrWXPxWeVqMw

After registering, you will receive a confirmation email containing information about joining the webinar. It will be made available on the town web site on Friday, December 18 at: www.ridgefieldct.org. Questions may be sent in advance or during the presentation to: pio@ridgefieldct.org.

- First Selectman Rudy Marconi urges residents to continue to avoid group gatherings and to follow protocol to stop the spread. "Some communities experienced huge leaps in numbers after Thanksgiving which their officials say is because they ignored the warnings of group gatherings. I implore everyone to avoid groups over the holidays so we can keep our numbers from leaping and our town safe," he said. "This is a tough time to ask this, but if Ridgefield can just hang in there through the holidays and the next couple of months, there is light at the end of the tunnel."
- See the chart below for Ridgefield's new case rate as of Monday, December 14. Updates to the town website for December 15 will be made as soon as they become available.

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The New Case Rate in Ridgefield decreased to 28.6



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Ridgefield COVID-19 Task Force

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