

As of Thursday, November 5, the Town of Plainville has shifted from orange to red alert level. Data suggests the increase spread can be linked to small group gatherings. Robert E. Lee, Town Manager stated, “Plainville has had 44 new cases over the last two weeks (ending 10/31) for a rate per 100,000 of 17.8. Please note that these figures DO NOT include nursing home infections. Red status occurs when a Town goes over 15.0. There are now 68 Towns in the ‘Red Alert’ status”.

He further said that “everyone should remain vigilant in adhering to the prevention measures” and encouraged Plainville residents to go to the Town website at www.plainvillect.com to find additional updated information regarding COVID-19. Information is continuously updated for residents as well”. The website also provides the Governor’s Executive Order 9K regarding the new requirements for social gathering in Connecticut beginning on Friday, November 6, 2020.

“We encourage residents to be tested for the virus,” said Lee. There are free COVID-19 testing sites available throughout Connecticut. Please visit <https://portal.ct.gov/Coronavirus/Covid-19-Knowledge-Base/COVID-19-Testing> for a link to the CT COVID Testing Locator.

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The mission of the Plainville Southington Health District is to preserve, protect, promote, and improve the quality of life in a healthy environment through the prevention of disease, ongoing health education opportunities and the enhancement of the well-being of its residents.
