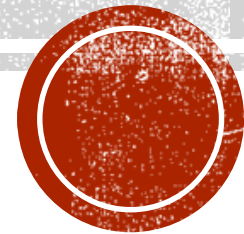


FOOD & LIQUOR LICENSES, 5 STAR STATUS UPDATE

Updates on the fee waivers for specific licenses and the
CDPHE 5 Star program



RETAIL FOOD LICENSES & LIQUOR LICENSES

- Jenn Chavez – Gunnison County Consumer Protection Specialist
 - The Senate Bill waiver does NOT include Limited licenses that are not bars, Grocery or convenience stores, or Mobile licenses of any kind. Facilities that are not eligible for the waiver will have license renewal invoices mailed to their accounts receivable address this week, and those invoices will be due within 30 days. Please watch your mailboxes over the next week or so, as mail may be delayed due to COVID-19 and the holidays. Facilities that ARE eligible for the waiver will not be receiving mail this week, and should expect to have your licenses mailed to you in mid to late January.
- Tiffany O'Connell – Town Clerk, Mount Crested Butte
 - Mt. CB waiving local license costs
 - City of Gunnison waiving local license costs
 - State license fees will be waived
 - Those in process will either be 1) reimbursed or 2) waived at time of next renewal



5 STAR PROGRAM

- Colorado Department of Public Health and Environment has finalized their structure for the 5 Star program
- This is a comprehensive program to allow local governments to implement a program that certifies businesses based on their containment and COVID-19 safety procedures
- The 5 Star certification allows a business to operate at a slightly less restrictive status as compared to the community's official restrictions based on the State Dial
- <https://covid19.colorado.gov/five-star-certification>



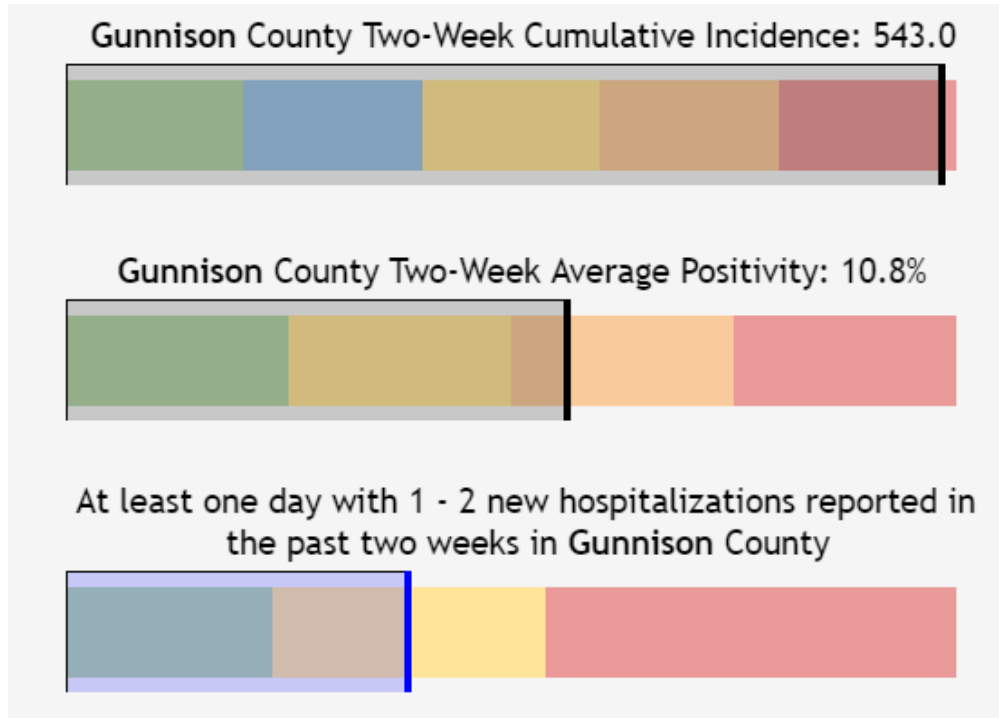
5 STAR & GUNNISON

- Per CDPHE Guidance on 12/18/20, Gunnison County is currently ineligible to participate in 5 Star
 - Gunnison County has a two-week incidence of rate of 543 per 100,000
 - Our two-week average positivity continues over 10%
- So, Gunnison County does not meet ALL the criteria for Level Yellow

Level	Eligibility	Benefit for Certified Businesses
Green	An automatic capacity increase process is already built into Protect Our Neighbors	Increases consumer confidence
Blue	Eligible if incidence, percent positivity, and hospitalizations ALL meet Level Blue thresholds	Certified businesses can operate with an additional 50 people added to their cap
Yellow	Eligible if incidence, percent positivity, and hospitalizations ALL meet Level Yellow thresholds	Certified businesses can operate at Blue capacity levels
Orange	Eligible if incidence, percent positivity, and hospitalizations ALL meet Level Orange thresholds	Certified businesses can operate at Yellow capacity levels
Red	Eligible ONLY if a county has had a 2 week sustained decline in incidence, hospitalizations, and a percent positivity under 10% or improving over the last 2 weeks	Certified businesses can operate at Orange capacity levels
Purple	Not eligible	Not eligible



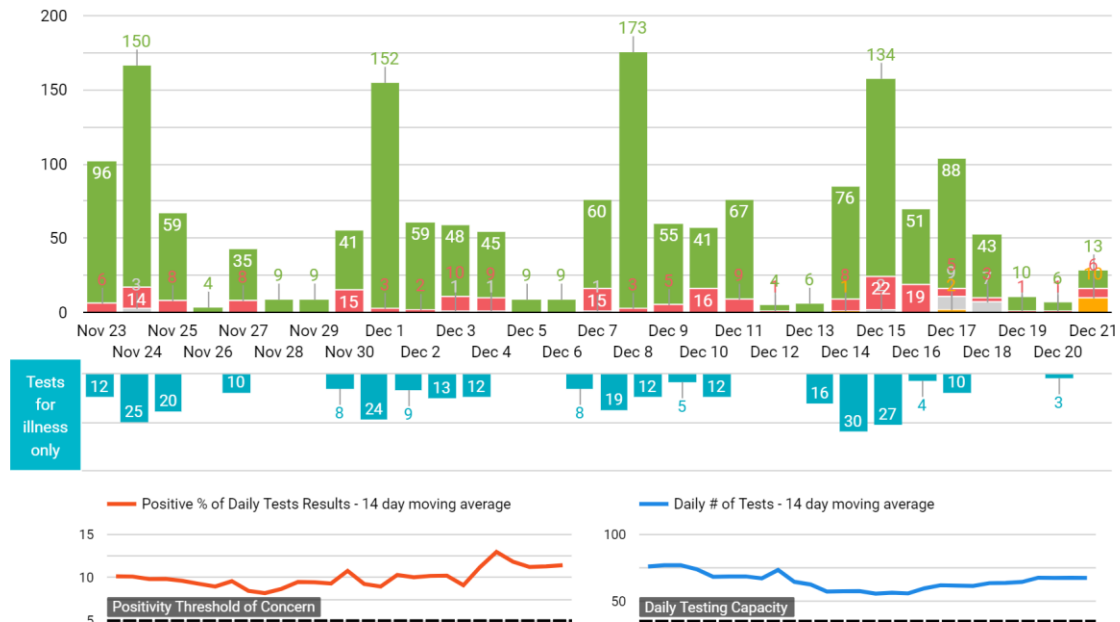
5 STAR CONTINUED...



- Gunnison County would need to move to higher levels of restriction to participate
 - Since our incidence rate is State Red we would have to move to that highest indicator level to apply
- Relative to our current capacities we would gain nothing from the move
- An elaborate process to regain capacity we currently have



PUBLIC HEALTH UPDATE



- 684 positive, 6,462 negative, and 29 pending tests as of December 21st
- Last week saw 56 positive test results
 - This is our 2nd highest tally of the pandemic behind the November peak
- Community transmission is occurring and we need to be mindful as we consider our holiday plans and activities



HOW TO ACCESS YOUR RESULTS FROM THE COMMUNITY TESTING

- Combined 1,624 tests conducted, 824 in Crested Butte and 800 in Gunnison.
- When you signed up for the testing event, you should have received an email from “CO-Gunnison County Public Health COVID-19 testing with Curative.”
- Within that email you have an “appointment reference number”. At the bottom of the email there is a link to check your results.
- You can also go direct to the www.curative.com website with your “appointment reference number” and click the drop down menu and select “check result.”
- We expect results to become available to people on Tuesday (12/22)

