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THE HANFORD SITE

July 8, 2022

TO: All Hanford Contractor Employees

SUBJECT: Masks Optional at the Hanford Site July 9 – 15

****PLEASE SHARE THIS MESSAGE WITH THOSE WHO ARE NOT ON COMPUTERS****

For the week of **July 9 – 15**, 2022, the Community Level in Benton and Franklin counties has returned to low. Based on this status, masks remain **optional** at Hanford Site facilities regardless of vaccination status. Masks are still required for anyone visiting HPMC OMS or other healthcare facilities.

A copy of the current metrics that determine our community level is attached. This is derived from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention [Integrated County View of Community Levels](#).

If you have any questions, please work with your management. Thank you for doing your part to keep Hanford safe.



The Hanford Site

Department of Energy
COVID-19 Tracking - HQ

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Community Level Low	Cases Per 100k 190.58	Admissions Per 100k 9.00	% Staffed Inpatient Bed 4.40%
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Current Status

The Hanford Site has completed phase 3 of the COVID-19 re-entry.

On 25 February, the Safer Federal Workforce Task Force (Task Force) issued initial implementation guidance on COVID-19 Community Levels, which measure the impact of COVID-19 illness on health and healthcare systems. Hanford is relying on this data to determine the COVID-19 Community Level for a given facility by looking to the COVID-19 Community Level for Benton and Franklin counties. Where a locality imposes more protective pandemic-related safety requirements, those requirements should be followed in Federal facilities within that locality.

In Washington, the Governor updated Proclamation 20-25 (Washington Ready) to rescind the face covering requirement in most places. The face covering requirement will remain in place in healthcare settings, long-term care facilities, and correctional facilities and jails.

CDC Community Rates

Population	7 Day Total Cases	Cases Per 100k
299,612	571	190.58

CDC Community Trending (Benton & Franklin County)

