

Town of Cornwall



Apart Together

Coronavirus / Covid-19 Update, Vol. 23 July 9, 2020

Dear Friends,

As the summer heat builds, its important to maintain our community efforts to limit the spread of Covid-19. Northwest Connecticut remains a good place to be during this pandemic. Most of the country however, is on a dangerous trajectory of rapidly increasing infection rates and hospitalizations. Governor Lamont has listed over two dozen states on a watchlist where returning travelers are requested to do a two week self-quarantine. Many of these states are in the South and West, but Delaware was added this week to the list because of a spike in cases due to lax behavior at the ocean beaches.

Our Hammond Beach is operating smoothly under Covid modifications. On hot weekends it is very busy, and residents are urged to make quick visits under those conditions. People are reminded to wear masks in public.

Covid19 testing is available at the following locations:

- 1) Sharon: www.nuvancehealth.org/virtualvisits or call 1-800-350-1595
- 2) Torrington: Hartford Healthcare Urgentcare –
www.Hartfordhealthcare.org/virtualhealth 1-833-621-0600
- 3) Torrington: AFC Urgent East Main St. – 860-406-7448 (For Symptomatic cases)
- 4) North Canaan: Mobile Testing Unit, Wednesday July 15th at North Canaan Town Hall 10AM – 2PM (**Must register for #4 by Friday July 10, 2020 by calling 860-496-6479**)

Heather Dinneen and the Cornwall CERT Volunteers continue to supply residents in need during these difficult times. Thanks to all who have donated. Heather's wish list for the week is:

- Flour
- Cake and Brownie Mix
- Coffee
- Tomato Sauce
- Vegetable Oil
- Olive Oil
- Whole Tomatoes
- Kid's Snacks

Donated items can also be sent to The UCC Church, 10 Bolton Hill Rd, Cornwall, CT 06753 by [Boxed.com](https://www.boxed.com)

A message from Heather Dinneen for local gardeners:

Surplus Veggies from Local Gardens to the Food Pantry: If you or your neighbors have extra items and want to donate them, please deliver to the Parish House on Mondays at 2-3PM. If you need to deliver outside of this window, please email: cornwallsocialservices@gmail.com or call/text me at 860-671-9315 to coordinate. If we are unable to distribute within Cornwall, we have partnerships with other pantries to be sure produce gets out to families in need. Thanks for your support!

Thankyou for helping us get through these unusual times together.

Gordon Ridgway,

First Selectman
Town of Cornwall, CT