



# OFFICE OF THE CITY MANAGER

## Memorandum

To: City Council, City of Peekskill Employees and General Public  
From: Andrew Stewart, PhD, City Manager  
Date: March 20, 2020  
Re: COVID-19 Cases in Peekskill

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The City of Peekskill is receiving updates from the County of Westchester concerning any positive cases of coronavirus within the city limits. To date, there are **8 individuals** who have tested positive and are under Mandatory Isolation orders from the Westchester County Department of Health (DOH). The City will continue to update the city's website with any increases to the number of Isolation cases daily.

Any individual placed under Mandatory Isolation by the DOH is under strict guidelines for restriction of movement.

Any further information pertaining to positive cases of coronavirus or mandatory isolations is Protected Health Information as defined by the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act (HIPAA).

These mandatory isolations only increase the urgency of handwashing, sanitizing of high-touch surfaces and social distancing, as there are surely far more people carrying the virus in our city than have been isolated so far. Cooperation with these measures will determine our success in overcoming this health crisis.

Information about the County's Isolation and Quarantine protocols for COVID-19 is available online at <https://health.westchestergov.com/2019-novel-coronavirus> for those who want to know more.