



Southeastern Idaho Public Health

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Southeastern Idaho Public Health’s Weekly COVID-19 Update

For the week of September 14 – September 20, Southeastern Idaho Public Health had 826 new confirmed and probable cases of COVID-19. This brings the total of confirmed and probable cases to 21,036. Out of the 21,036 cases, 19,746 have recovered from COVID-19.

There are seven confirmed deaths related to COVID-19. There are two in Bannock County: a male in his 80’s and male in his 50’s. There were two deaths in Bingham County: a male in his 50’s and a male in his 70’s. Additionally, there was one death in Bear Lake County, a male in his 90’s, one death in Power County a male in his 60’s and one death in Oneida County a male in his 80’s. This brings the total to 279 deaths due to COVID-19. Out of respect to these individuals’ families, no additional details will be released.

See county case counts below for the week of September 14 – September 20, 2021:

	New Confirmed	New Probable	Total	Total Deaths
Bannock	331	157	488	2
Bear Lake	29	10	39	1
Bingham	79	113	192	2
Butte	10	6	16	0
Caribou	7	21	28	0
Franklin	7	29	36	0
Oneida	9	3	12	1
Power	12	3	15	1
TOTAL	484	342	826	7

To help prevent the spread of this virus, it is more important than ever that the public follows the following prevention methods.

- Wear cloth face coverings in public places.
- Practice social distancing (6ft).
- Stay home if you are sick.
- Avoid people who are sick.
- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds. If soap and water are not available, use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer with at least 60% alcohol.
- Cover your nose and mouth with a tissue or your sleeve when you cough or sneeze.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth with unwashed hands.
- Cleaning and disinfecting surfaces and objects that may be contaminated with germs using a disinfecting solution.
- Get vaccinated as soon as possible.

For more information, please call SIPH’s COVID hotline at (208) 234-5875 or visit <https://siphidaho.org/coronavirus.php>.

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