



Press Release #2

August 18, 2021

Following my press release this morning, I was asked by one of our local papers to provide more specific data for Marshall County related to school age children contracting COVID 19. Here are our totals broken down by age group from June 1, 2021 through today. Keep in mind that we are still adding cases to today's total as I am sending this release.

| Age Group | June 2021 | July 2021 | August 18, 2021 |
|--------------|-----------|-----------|-----------------|
| 0 – 5 | 0 | 4 | 28 |
| 6 – 10 | 0 | 6 | 47 |
| 11 – 15 | 0 | 14 | 63 |
| 16 – 18 | 0 | 3 | 41 |
| Total | 0 | 27 | 179 |

Among the number of children in the totals listed above, six of them range from age two to nine months.

Once again, we encourage the public to be aware that COVID is affecting everyone, to include our young children.

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