COVID-19 Update

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Health System Board
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Community Testing

- Mission is **to deliver easily-accessible, free testing in local vulnerable communities**

- **Keeps the Charlottesville community safe** through early detection of outbreaks

- **Addresses health disparities** in COVID-19 impacts and outcomes in communities of color by getting testing into these communities

- **Provides supportive social services to address community needs via UVA community partnerships**, particularly for those who test positive

Made Possible Through:

- Funding by UVA Health

- Hundreds of hours of service from committed volunteers

- Anonymous donation of $250,000 to support operational costs

- Support from the Virginia Department of Emergency Management

FREE COVID-19 TESTING

Focused on communities of color and other underserved

Free drive through or walk-up testing

Thursday, August 6th 2020
5:00 pm to 8:00 pm

Rain Plan: We will test in light rain, but cancel for heavy rain, thunder, or lightning.

Southwood Community Center
387 Hickory Street, Charlottesville, VA 22903

If you or a member of your household has experienced one of these symptoms over the past week:

- Fever
- Shortness of breath
- Sore throat
- Fatigue
- Loss of smell or test

- Cough
- Chills
- Muscle aches
- Headaches
- Diarrhea

Or if you are,

- First responder or health care worker
- Living in groups of 10 or more
- An essential worker at high risk of exposure
- Have been exposed to somebody with COVID-19

We do not recommend to repeat a test after having been positive in the recent past.
Limited testing available - No appointment needed

PRUEBAS DE COVID-19
GRATIS

ENFOCADO PARA COMUNIDADES DE COLOR Y OTROS DESATENDIDOS

Examen gratis en su automóvil o caminando

Martes, 4 de agosto 2020, 5:00 pm a 8:00 pm

Plan por lluvia: Trabajarémos bajo lluvia suave pero cancelaremos con lluvia fuerte, relámpagos o truenos.

Mt. Zion First African Baptist Church, 105 Lankford Ave, Charlottesville 22903

Si usted o un miembro de su familia ha sentido síntomas durante la última semana:

- Fiebre
- Dificultad para respirar
- Dolor de garganta
- Fatiga
- Perdida del olfato o sabor

- Tos
- Resfriado
- Dolores musculares
- Dolores de cabeza
- Diarrea

O si eres,

- Paramédico o trabajador de salud
- Vive en grupos de 10 personas o más
- Un trabajador esencial con alto riesgo de exposición
- Has estado expuesto a alguien con COVID-19

No es recomendado repetirse la prueba. Número limitado de pruebas

No se necesita cita.

Mt. Zion First African Baptist Church

Community Testing

UVA Health

20 events
2147 tests performed
295 positive results
14% positivity rate

Date		Location	Tested	Positive	Positivity Rate
May	02	Southwood Community Center	19	1	5%
	16	Culpeper	184	80	43%
	23	Mt Zion First African Baptist Church	165	10	6%
Jun	04	Church of the Incarnation	243	41	17%
	30	Southwood Community Center	145	26	18%
Jul	18	Buford Middle School	195	13	7%
	29	Southwood Community Center	86	30	35%
Aug	01	Friendship Court Apartments	110	3	3%
	04	Mt Zion First African Baptist Church	115	8	7%
	06	Southwood Community Center *[Testing stopped early due to weather]*	10	6	60%
	10	Church of the Incarnation	128	16	13%
	11	Mt Zion First African Baptist Church	110	5	5%
	12	Westhaven Nursing Clinic	50	7	14%
	17	Church of the Incarnation	135	15	11%
	18	Mt Zion First African Baptist Church	102	2	2%
	19	Southwood Community Center	29	8	28%
	20	Tonsler Park	101	2	2%
	24	Church of the Incarnation	107	10	9%
	25	Mt Zion First African Baptist Church	89	6	7%
	27	Southwood Community Center	24	6	25%
		Total	**2147**	**295**	**14%**

*In orange are Latino-friendly community settings

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Wrap-Around Services

Credit: Mike Knopf / Charlottesville Tomorrow

Credit: Cultivate Charlottesville

Wrap-around support services for each community member:

1. Goods & Supplies
- PPE & Cleaning Supplies
- Food Boxes and Fresh Produce Bags

2. Informational Resources/Handouts
- Housing/Rental Assistance & Rights
- Voter Registration
- Resilience/Behavioral Health Support
- What To Do When You're Sick

Community Testing

NBC29

TOP STORY

Hundreds attend free COVID-19 testing event at Church of the Incarnation

COVID-19 testing at Church of the Incarnation in Albemarle County (Source: Jeremy Johnson)

By Jeremy Johnson | August 10, 2020 at 9:40 PM EDT - Updated Aug 10 at 9:06 PM

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va. (WVIR) - The parking lot of the Church of the Incarnation was packed Monday evening for free coronavirus testing.

Several groups, including UVA Health and the Thomas Jefferson Health District hosted the event the church located at 1465 Incarnation Drive

Community Partner Involvement:

100 Black Women

100 Black Men

Blue Ridge Area Food Bank

Charlottesville Abundant Life Ministries

Charlottesville City Schools – Buford Middle School

Cultivate Charlottesville – Charlottesville Food Justice Network

Church of the Incarnation

Fifeville Neighborhood Association

Habitat for Humanity – Southwood

Loaves & Fishes Food Pantry

Mt Zion African Baptist Church

Piedmont Housing Association

Public Housing Association of Residents

Sin Barreras

Urban Agriculture Collective

Virginia Deptment of Health - Thomas Jefferson Health District

Westhaven Community Clinic

Community Testing

Volunteers

- **260+ volunteer slots** filled by UVA Health, the University, and the community
- **1090+ volunteer hours** thus far

Leadership Team

Amy Salerno, MD	Katie Fellows
Katie Pennock	Dawn Niles
Elizabeth Beasley	Mo Nadkarni, MD
Art Saavedra, MD	Max Luna, MD
Amy Mathers, MD	

With support from teams across UVA Health

- Latino Health Initiative
- Marketing & Strategic Relations
- Community Partnerships
- Patient Friendly Access
- Revenue Cycle
- Lab Services
- Health Information Technology
- Supply Chain
- Special Event Medical Management
- Environmental Services

Community Testing

What's Next?

- **Four evening events per week**
  - Church of Incarnation and Mount Zion First African Baptist Church
  - Two locations will shift to respond to hot spots and community requests

- **50-75 tests** per event

- **1-2 larger Saturday events** per month with capacity for 250 tests

- **Hiring dedicated staff** to greet, schedule, register, test, and call back results

Community Testing

"I wanted to thank UVA on behalf of myself and all our residents. We had a wonderful experience and are thankful for how quickly we received our test results. I can't find enough positive words to express our gratitude!"

—Myrtle Houchens
Long-time community volunteer and Piedmont Housing Association organizer

UVA Health GERi-PaL Program

- GERi-PaL = Geriatric Engagement and Resource Integration for Post-Acute and Long-Term Care Facilities

- Helps long-term care facilities save lives by preventing COVID-19 and managing outbreaks

UVA Health GERi-PaL Program

- 5 regional facility outbreaks

- "SWAT" team of UVA physicians performed initial on-site for triage and COVID-19 testing support as needed

- Daily virtual rounds on COVID-19 positive residents:
  - Facilitates bi-directional transfers
  - Identify need for telemedicine consultation

- Full telemedicine consultation:
  - Virtual stethoscope
  - Pulmonary/critical care
  - Geriatrics/palliative care
  - Supports care-in-place model
  - Addresses goals of care

- **Decreased hospitalization rate**

- **Lower mortality rate**

Leadership Team:
- Laurie Archbald-Pannone, MD, MPH
- Drew Harris, MD
- Justin Mutter, MD
- Kim Albero, DNP
- Rebecca Steele
- Karen Rheuban, MD
- David Cattell-Gordon
- Jasveen Kaur

SWAT Team:
- Taison Bell, MD
- Ebony Hilton Buchholz, MD
- George Hoke, MD
- Amy Mathers, MD

UVA Health GERi-PaL Program

Next Steps:

- Telemedicine contracting in place / in process at 12 regional facilities for ongoing support and outbreak response

- Expand clinical consultations available via telemedicine

UVA Health GERi-PaL Program

Media coverage across Virginia and nationally in more than 100 outlets, including:

- The Daily Progress
- NBC12 in Richmond
- U.S. News & World Report
- Houston Chronicle

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UVA COVID-19 program helps save lives in long-term care facilities

In early March, doctors and nurses with UVA knew they not only needed to have a coronavirus game plan in house, but also out in the community. (Source: WAFF)

By Riley Wyant | June 20, 2020 at 7:15 PM EDT - Updated June 22 at 10:39 AM

CHARLOTTESVILLE, Va. (WVIR) - The thought of contracting coronavirus is very scary, but for those living and working in long-term care facilities, the threat is even more daunting. A team of healthcare workers at UVA stepped up and came together to help some of the most vulnerable patients and staff in the Charlottesville and Albemarle County area stay healthy.

Questions?