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## COVID-19 VACCINE INFORMATION AND DATA UPDATE

Although many people in the Barren River District have been vaccinated, the majority of the population remains unvaccinated. COVID-19 vaccines are safe and effective at preventing severe illness and death. Vaccination also reduces the risk of people spreading the virus. The COVID-19 vaccine teaches your body how to fight off the virus in case you become infected. If you are vaccinated and you do catch the virus, you are much less likely to be hospitalized.

County	Total Vaccinated Population	% of Vaccinated Older Than 18	% of Vaccinated Older Than 65
Barren	37.17%	46.89%	72.25%
Butler	36.12%	45.06%	55.49%
Edmonson	30.47%	36.60%	46.40%
Hart	28.45%	37.13%	56.36%
Logan	39.60%	50.28%	74.59%
Metcalfe	28.93%	37.46%	50.28%
Simpson	41.83%	53.29%	73.71%
Warren	39.07%	47.56%	70.02%

We strongly encourage everyone who is eligible to get the vaccine do so as soon as possible. The COVID-19 vaccine is available at multiple locations in the area. To find a vaccine near you, visit <https://www.vaccines.gov/search/>. If you are 18 years of age or older and would like schedule vaccination with the Barren River District Health Department, call your local health department and press option 1. Clinic contact information is listed at the end of the press release.

The Barren River District Health Department has confirmed a total of 31,904 cases, 28,989 of which have recovered. We have 541 deaths reported from COVID-19. We stand in solidarity with those affected during these difficult times. See the breakdown of numbers by county below. Please note that a decrease in numbers is due to the county of residence or case status being corrected/updated from what was previously reported.

COUNTY	RECOVERED	DEATHS	TOTAL CASES
Barren	4,229	103	4,646
Butler	1,361	28	1,509
Edmonson	912	24	988
Hart	1,863	54	2,084
Logan	2,679	72	2,968
Metcalfe	948	31	1,052
Simpson	1,996	42	2,211
Warren	15,001	187	16,446
<b>Total</b>	<b>28,989</b>	<b>541</b>	<b>31,904</b>



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# Barren River

DISTRICT HEALTH DEPARTMENT 

**Warren County Health Department**

Phone: 270-781-2490

Hours: Monday-Friday 8 AM-4:30 PM

**Barren County Health Department**

Phone: 270-651-8321

Hours: Monday-Friday 8 AM-4:30 PM

**Butler County Health Department**

Phone: 270-526-3221

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**Edmonson County Health Department**

Phone: 270-597-2194

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**Hart County Health Department**

Phone: 270-524-2511

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