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**Virginia**- The Cass County Health Department has reported 44 new Covid cases and two Covid-related deaths in Cass County residents over the past week. Cass County's overall Covid-19 case count is now at 4,533. The active case count is 67. The total number recovered is 4,415 with 51 deceased. There are four cases currently hospitalized.

As of February 11, 58.44% (7,165) of Cass County's residents have been fully vaccinated. To date, CCHD has provided 13,785 vaccines to Cass County residents and others who are employed in the County and surrounding area.

While case rates continue to drop, CCHD urges residents to reduce their risks by wearing a mask in public places and being vaccinated for Covid. One of the most powerful defenses against the Omicron variant is to be vaccinated and receive boosters as soon as you are eligible. For more information on vaccine eligibility or assistance with making an appointment, please call our office at 217-452-3057 option 2 for assistance in making your appointment. Appointments can also be made online by visiting our website at <a href="https://www.casscohealth.org">www.casscohealth.org</a> and clicking "Schedule My Appointment."

Pop-up clinics continue to take place in Cass County communities. More details can be found on our Facebook page or at the CCHD webpage.









