January 20, 2022

OHKAY OWINGEH COVID UPDATE:

The following updates are in effect as of this date for Ohkay Owingeh:

- The Ohkay Owingeh CHR Office does have rapid-home tests available for residents of the community. Individuals may call the office and go for a test. They must provide the name of the person who will use the test, along with their DOB, and a phone number.
- The test results should be called back into the CHR office or to one of the CHRs, PHN, or Diabetes Nurse.
- Testing for Buffalo Thunder is still on-going Mondays through Fridays from 9:30-11:00 (no Holidays). Individuals must go through the Ohkay Owingeh CHR office to get their paperwork filled out and obtain a space for testing. CHR program will fill out your paperwork and forward to the BTR testing site.
- Ohkay Owingeh only has 10 testing slots available daily for BTR.
- Without the paperwork from the Ohkay Owingeh CHR office, you will not be accepted to be tested.
- For individual placement at the BTR Quarantine site individuals must go through the CHR office as well. There is paperwork the must be filled out and sent over to BTR before an individual will be accepted there. The medical staff at BTR will review the paperwork and call the individual to do an over the phone assessment. They will make the decision to accept you or not. Your medical Provider can not send you over without having gone through the Ohkay CHR program.
- Before you are discharged from the BTR Quarantine site, the BTR medical staff person will call the CHR PHN or DM Nurse and request our approval for discharge.
- If your household is in quarantine and you have questions regarding days to quarantine, testing, or in need of other assistance you can call the CHR office or one of the CHRs, PHN, or DM Nurse.
- Testing is also available at the Santa Fe Indian Clinic (formerly Hospital) and the Santa Clara Health Center. Santa Fe IHS is on Monday – Friday @ 9:00 a.m. and SCHC Monday – Friday at 11:00 a.m. You must have an appointment for testing at either facility; call 505-946-9200 for an appointment.
Northern Community College offers testing as well; you need to go online to the New Mexico Department of Health Covid Testing site. This will direct you to enter your information for testing there.

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