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Lackawanna County Issues New Mask Guidelines For County Buildings

The CDC has updated its Masking Guidelines, and Lackawanna County is following suit.

The CDC now considers three factors:

New COVID Hospitalizations
Hospital Capacity
New COVID Cases

Taken together, the new CDC metrics will consider an area to be: "High," "Medium" or "Low" risk.

Under these new guidelines, Lackawanna County is now considered at the "Medium Risk Level."

Starting on Tuesday, March 1, the wearing of masks in County Buildings will be **optional**.

At all levels, individuals can wear a mask based on personal preference.

All individuals are highly recommended to wear a mask if they have: underlying conditions; symptoms of COVID; recently tested positive; or recently been exposed to COVID.