

PHG Update: November 18

Dear Valued Providers

We want to be a resource to our Premier Health Group Independent providers. As our health care system begins to stabilize, we will provide clinical and operational updates as they become available to continue and provide support to providers.

In addition, we have created a resources page on the [PHG website](#).

Please feel free to contact us directly at (937) 499-7441 if you have any questions

Yours sincerely,

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Patient Load at MVH

### Patient Load Balancing at Miami Valley Hospital's Main Campus

Premier Health has seen their volume of patients (both non-COVID-19 and COVID-19) increase in recent days, they are taking several steps to ensure timely care for all of their patients. We want to ensure you're aware of these steps, which are part of our ongoing surge planning.

**We are not, at this time, cancelling any elective surgeries.** At Miami Valley Hospital's main campus, we have had conversations with proceduralists and surgeons to assist us in rebalancing the volume load of surgeries, when possible and appropriate. These conversations began this week and will be ongoing as the COVID-19 admissions increase.

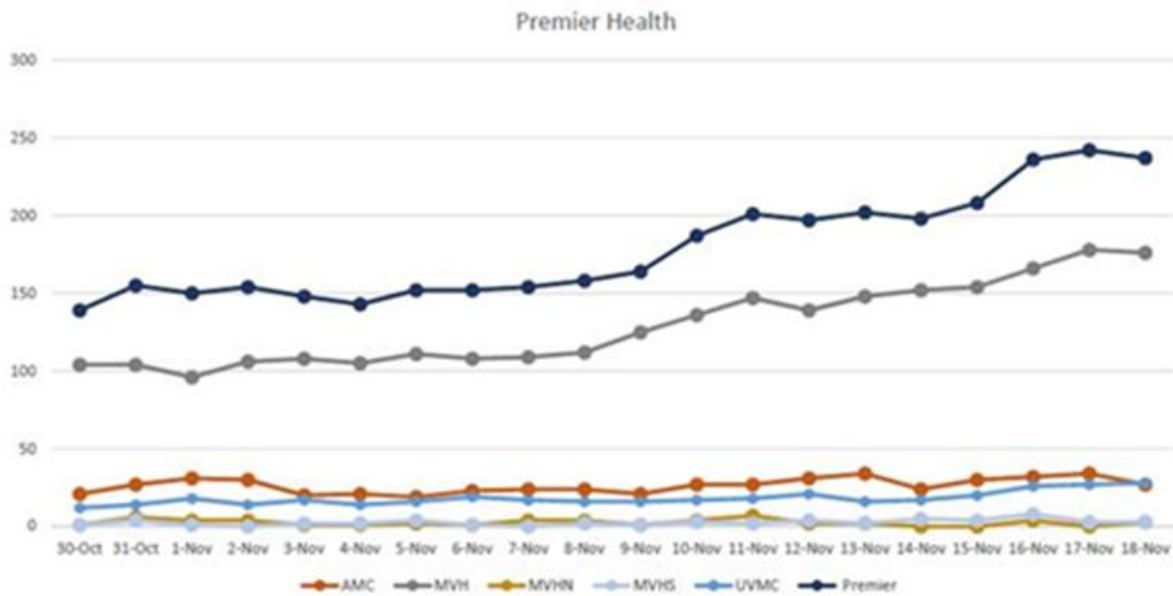
Our goal is to proactively balance the patient load, capacity and resources to be as efficient as possible during this pandemic. This will help to ensure surgeries/procedures remain available for all patients.

Along with hospitals throughout the nation, we are adapting so we can safely care for as many people as possible. **We need your help to ensure everyone understands that the load balancing currently under way at Miami Valley Hospital's main campus does not involve cancelling elective procedures and is being done to care safely for as many people as possible.**

**Please see the below two pages for graphs.**

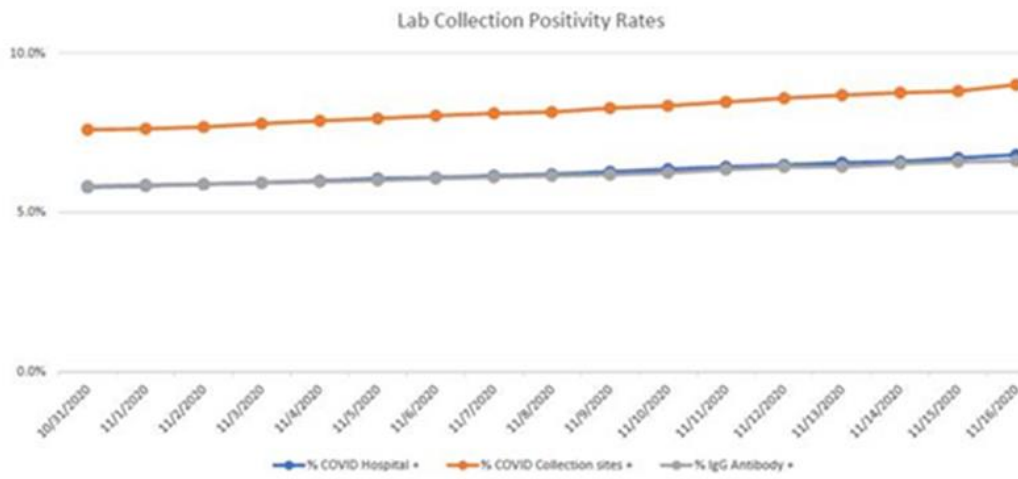


## Number of Positive and Suspected COVID Patients Admitted



Source: Epic

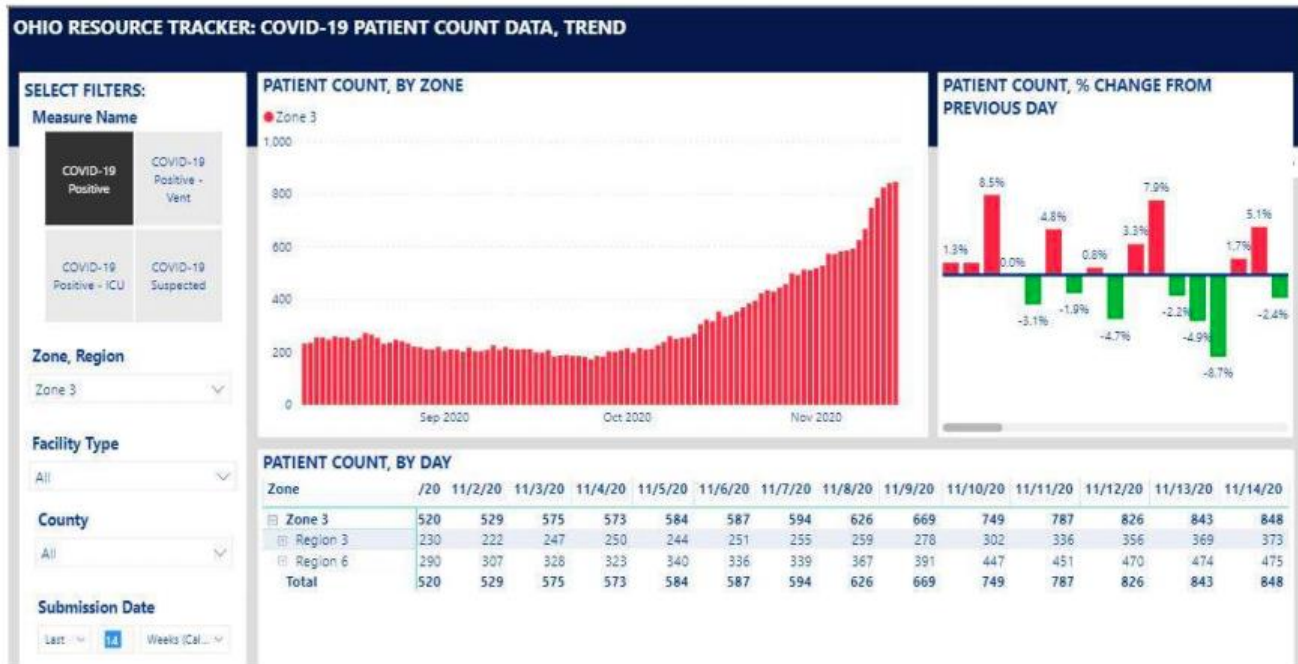
## Premier Health Lab Collection Center Positivity Rates



Last week Total Positivity Rate: 18.9%

Source: CompuNet

## Zone 3 (Cincinnati and Dayton Regions 3 & 6) Hospitalized Patients



Source: OHA Data Analytics