Yavapai County

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YCCHS Update:

You may not know this, but October is [Breast Cancer Awareness Month](#)! (Additional resource [here](#)) Awareness of one's own health is just as important as knowing how and where to take care of it.

	Arizona	**Yavapai County**	**Yavapai Males**	**Yavapai Females**
Total, all causes	676.6	706.1	806.5	612.8
Cardiovascular disease	❶ 184.9	❶ 180.6	❶ 208.5	❶ 155.3
Diseases of heart	137.3	136.4	169.7	106.9
Coronary heart disease	98.2	99.2	129	73.1
Malignant neoplasms	❷ 134.7	❷ 150.2	❷ 172.4	❷ 130.4
Lung cancer	26.2	34.9	34.9	35
Colorectal cancer	12.3	11.9	11.4	12.2
Breast cancer	10.1	10.8	0	20.4

In Yavapai County, on average 20 women die from breast cancer each year. The above resources provide the necessary information for the recommended frequency of mammograms, frequently asked questions, and what to do if your doctor identifies anything through an exam. Don't wait, the chance of remission is greatest when breast cancer is caught early!

COVID-19 Free Testing Sites: We ask that you wear a mask at our testing sites and that you only come to be tested if you are symptomatic or have been recently exposed to COVID-19.
Prescott and Prescott Valley COVID-19 Testing Site: Prescott Gateway Mall, 3250 Gateway Blvd. Prescott. Monday-Friday. Time: 9:00am-4:00pm. Saturday 9:00am-4:00pm. Closed: Sunday
Cottonwood: Verde Valley Medical Center 300 South Willard St Cottonwood, AZ 86326. PCR test.
Monday-Friday. Time: 8:00am-5:30pm.
Camp Verde: Northern Arizona Healthcare Camp Verde Campus 1298 W Finnie Flat Rd Camp Verde, AZ 86322. PCR test.
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Yavapai County reports 105 COVID-19 Cases and 1 death since Wednesday, October 5th, 2022. There have been 55,386 positive cases and 1,294 deaths since the beginning of the pandemic. Yavapai Regional Medical Center reports 16 COVID patients, VVMC reports 3 patients, and the VA reports 0 patients. If you are experiencing symptoms of COVID-19 or what seems to be a bad cold, please get tested for COVID-19.
COVID-19 Vaccines now available for all persons aged 6 months and older: Call today to schedule your vaccine appointment at any of our locations. Prescott, Prescott Valley, and Cottonwood. 928-771-3122.

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