



# Public Health Update

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CITY COUNCIL PRESENTATION  
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A glance in the rear-view mirror



# Burleson Public Health Accomplishments: 2020-2022

Public Health Instituted  
April 2020

Dr. Steve Martin MD

Medical/Social Services

- Groceries/toiletries
- Medical Consultations
- Prescribed Monoclonal treatments
- Graduation Cap & Gown

Testing: Approxmatly 25K  
Rapid & PCR

Vaccinations: 57K Covid  
immunizations

Provide guidance: local  
businesses, daycares,  
assisted living, nursing  
homes, BIRD & JIRD School  
Diristricts

Mobil Vaccinations in  
Burleson & Johnson  
County

City of Burleson employee  
informational & vaccine  
clinics

- Spanish speaking
- Limited computer access

Saved lives & Served Our  
Community with  
Compassion & Excellence!!

# Consistent Trends

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- Demand for Burleson Public Health Services Continue to decline
  - Last three months: May – Aug (2022)
  - Total Vaccinations: 277 (Last 4 weeks 25 total or 8 average per week)
  - Total Tests: 1154 (Last 4 weeks 317 total or 79 average per week)
  
- Providers & Supplies for Covid testing, vaccines, treatment, general information are readily available
  
- Economy of scale to provide Burleson Public Health Services no longer efficient use of funding

# Transition of Services Recommendation

- Staff recommends discontinuing public health services on October 28th, 2022. Public health staff has been notified of the recommendation.
- Current services include vaccines, testing, and employee guidance on positive tests and exposures to COVID-19.
- Council appointed Dr. Martin to a two-year term as the City's public health authority. Dr. Martin's contract will continue for the duration of his term to ensure availability for consultation as needed.





# Questions Comments

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