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## Media Advisory

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## MOVHD Encourages Pre-registration for COVID Testing Events

**Parkersburg, WV, December 2, 2020** – The Mid-Ohio Valley Health Department will hold a free COVID Testing event at the Jackson Park Recreation Center, 510 33<sup>rd</sup> Street, Vienna on Friday, December 4. The event will take place from 10 a.m. to 1 p.m.

Carrie Brainard, Threat Preparedness Coordinator encourages individuals to pre-register at [www.ipsumcovidresults.com](http://www.ipsumcovidresults.com). Pre-registration will help reduce the wait time in line. The QR code that is received when registering can be printed and brought to the event or it can be scanned from the phone.

It is important for the public to understand that the demand for testing has increased over the last few weeks. The health department with National Guard support is doing its best to meet the demand by scheduling almost daily testing sites. The lines are long and to process the tests in a timely manner, it is often necessary to stop taking registrations earlier than the scheduled time. Be prepared for a 60 to 90 minute wait. MOVHD appreciates the community's cooperation and patience as we try to accommodate the needs of our citizens.

**PLEASE PROTECT YOURSELF AND OTHERS -> STAY SAFE and KEEP OTHERS SAFE, WEAR A MASK.**

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