



County News Now

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Cuyahoga County Resources, Services and Information for You



COVID-19 Daily Rates Increasing

The number of new cases of COVID-19 being reported to the County Board of Health is increasing week-by-week, and Cuyahoga County is still in "level red" according to the Governor's Public Health Advisory System. As the weather gets cooler and people are forced to spend more time inside, it's important to remember the best ways to limit the spread of the virus. The County and the Board of Health hold bi-weekly [media briefings](#) updating the public on current COVID-19 data and best practices.

[See the Current COVID-19 Data](#)



Every Child Needs a Home

We may be practicing social distancing, but none of us goes through this world alone. Every child needs family, and in Cuyahoga County there are more than 2,800 children in the care of the Division of Children and Family Services. More than 600 of those children and teens are in permanent custody. November is National Adoption Month, and the County's newly-updated Health and Human Services site is a one-stop-shop for everything you need to know about foster care and adoption.

[Learn if Adoption is Right for You](#)



You Can Help Make a Family's Holiday This Year

Hope for the Holidays is the County's annual gift program for children and teens in foster care. This year the event will be a drive-thru format for our families. You can purchase a new gift from the Target Wishlist which contains requests from our children in foster care. You can also buy a toy, game, book, etc. from your favorite online retailer and have it shipped directly to us. The deadline for donations is Monday, December 7.

[Purchase a Gift for a Child in Need](#)

Elect to Recycle Campaign Signs

After the election, recycle plastic and cardboard yard signs plus the metal stands.

CuyahogaRecycles.org
CUYAHOGA COUNTY SOLID WASTE DISTRICT

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Properly Recycle Your Campaign Signs

Did you cast your ballot this week? Now it's time to dispose of your yard signs-- but it's important you do it properly. Don't place unwanted campaign yard signs in curbside recycling. Instead, recycle unwanted campaign yard signs-- plastic film, corrugated plastic and cardboard signs plus the metal stands-- at the Cuyahoga County Solid Waste District. Your community may also collect signs for recycling.

[Find My Nearest Campaign Sign Recycling Site](#)