



Cambridge
Public Health
Department

Agenda

Cambridge COVID-19 Expert Advisory Panel

1:00 pm, Thursday October 22, 2020

VIDEO link (Google Meets) [REDACTED]

PHONE dial-in [REDACTED]

Attendance

- 1) Brief update on local/MA data, trends
- 2) How can Cambridge use sewer data be used to direct pandemic response?
 - Setting action levels (e.g. 100 RNA copies/ml)
 - Using sewer data with other data sets (case counts, hospitalization, %-pos)
 - Following up with more targeted sewer testing (SNFs, public housing, senior housing, previous hotspots)
 - Door-to-door follow-up (encourage household testing, promote flu shots)
 - Missing pieces (alternate housing, household separation, strategic use of rapid testing with data tracking plan)
- 3) Update on Chelsea deployment of sewer sampling program (Sammi Chung)
 - Preview Chelsea/MAPC discussion on 10/29 EAP
- 4) Halloween: CDC and MA guidance (slides)
 - Quarantine candy?
 - City cancels Halloween event
- 5) Recommendations to CPHD and City on specific policies or activities

Adjourn

