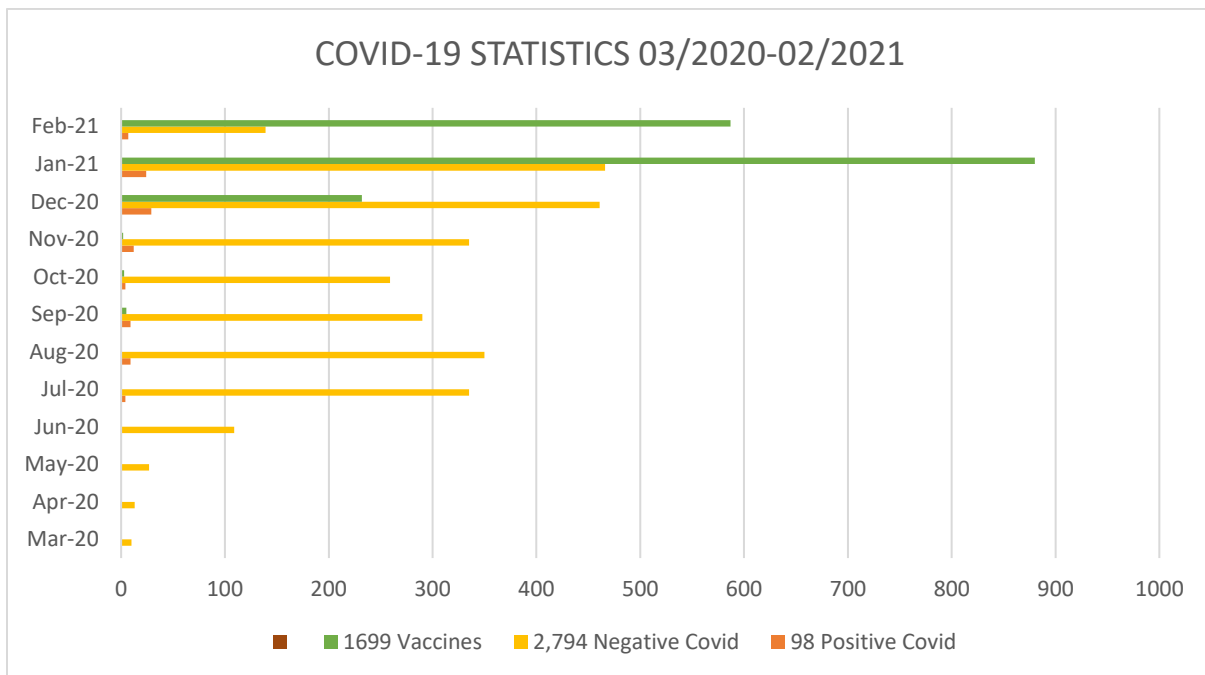


It's been a little while since our last clinic COVID-19 update and no doubt the journey to this point has been long, however the light is at the end of the tunnel. To those who have lost loved ones or have experienced the severity of this novel virus, we mourn and grieve with you. For the many who have had only mild symptoms or have successfully managed to stay safe and COVID free until now, let us congratulate and celebrate each other. Over the last month and half, the Chehalis Wellness Center joined the medical community in celebrating a major milestone of this pandemic: we started providing a Covid-19 vaccine. Although not a cure, the Moderna Covid-19 vaccine has been proven to be effective in preventing major complications from COVID-19 which include organ failure, heart problems, respiratory distress, blood clots that can result in hospitalizations and death.

This information is as of 02/19/2021.

- Since December 2020 to date we have vaccinated 1699 individuals.
- In February 2021 we have had a total of 7 positive Covid-19 tests with 4 on the reservation. Households were successfully isolated/quarantined and virus contained.
- Since March 2020 there has been a total of 98 positive COVID-19 tests with a high majority of these being non-Tribal employees or patients living off of the Chehalis Reservation.
- Since March 2020 we have had 2,794 negative COVID tests.



COVID-19 testing is still available at the Wellness Center as well as the COVID-19 vaccinations. Call the Wellness Center at 360-273-5504 and make an appointment.

From The Chehalis Tribal Wellness Center