



# Sedgwick County News

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### **Updates to County COVID-19 Operations**

(Sedgwick County, Kan.) – Please review the below changes to Sedgwick County’s COVID-19 community resources.

#### **COVID-19 Sampling/Testing**

No cost, walk-in testing offered by Sedgwick County Health Department is now located at the Sunflower Shelter at Sedgwick County Park, 6501 W. 21<sup>st</sup> St., not at the K-State Research & Extension Center. The Sunflower Shelter is located closer to the park entrance at 13<sup>th</sup> Street.

Testing is available for residents regardless of symptoms Monday through Friday, 8:30 a.m. to noon. No appointment is required.

Results of the PCR tests are generally available within 12-24 hours.

#### **COVID-19 Vaccinations**

The community vaccine clinic at K-State Research & Extension will end on Saturday, March 27.

The vaccine clinic at 223 S. Main will be the primary location for people to schedule a vaccine appointment. People who qualify for the COVID-19 vaccine in Phases 1-4 are able to schedule an appointment online at [www.sedgwickcounty.org/covid-19/vaccine/schedule/](http://www.sedgwickcounty.org/covid-19/vaccine/schedule/)

If a person with a severe medical risk has received medical advice to not go to a large vaccine clinic, such as the community vaccination site at 223 S. Main, please call SCHD at (316) 660-1029 to schedule an appointment for the drive-thru clinic.

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#### **About Sedgwick County**

The mission of Sedgwick County is to cultivate a healthy, safe, and welcoming community through exceptional public services, effective partnerships, and dedicated employees. Named for Civil War hero, Major General John Sedgwick of the Union Army, the 2021 Adopted Budget of \$457.6 million was developed to address economic impacts of the COVID-19 pandemic while maintaining a prudent fund balance and preserving service levels. The County’s strategic plan will continue to guide the organization to ensure we deliver the best services possible that are also sustainable and manageable under the current economic and health crisis.