

The following numbers are real time from reports received from the Massachusetts Virtual Epidemiologic Network (MAVEN) and tracked in the Board of Health office.

Active cases: 11

Previous cases:

Recovered	685
Total deaths including (BNH)	17

Templeton has **eleven** active cases as of 8/23/2021. If you or someone you know wishes to be vaccinated, please contact your personal care physician, or contact your local pharmacy to see if they are providers.

Templeton is approximately 52% vaccinated as of 8/19/2021, no change from 8/5/2021 per the State reporting.

New recommendations pertaining to face covering went into effect July 30, 2021, for more information on these recommendations, please go to [COVID-19 Mask Requirements | Mass.gov](#).

How do you know if you are a close contact of someone with COVID-19? Go to [Appendices | CDC](#) to find out!

Do you have a private well? For any questions you might have regarding wells in Massachusetts, you can go to <https://www.mass.gov/private-wells>.

It has been a long almost two years having children remote learning from home and working from home, not only that – it has been incredibly wet weather! Is it time to have your septic tank pumped out and receive a once over? It is recommended that a septic system be cleaned out every two – three years, earlier if it has seen a lot of action! For more information on septic system care, please go to [Homeowner's Guide to Septic Systems: Long Version \(epa.gov\)](#) and never, ever flush anything other than toilet paper, especially not “flushable” wet wipes!

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