

SOUTHERN MANATEE FIRE RESCUE DISTRICT

Interoffice Memorandum

TO: The Southern Manatee Board of Fire Commissioners

FROM: Bobby Thayer – Training Chief

Through: Robert Bounds – Fire Chief

RE: COVID-19 Report

DATE: April 7th, 2022

1st Quarter 2022 positive cases: 8

Return to full duty: 8

Total number of Covid-19 Test Employees: 15

Number of Covid Vaccinations Received: 0

Currently our district has no active cases of Covid-19. We have test kits available thru training if needed to test any employees, as most all public test sites have shut.

At the time of this report, Manatee County has declined in its weekly positivity rate to 3.1%. This rate is up approximately 1.7% since last report, which means our cases have risen slightly since last month. The total hospitalizations and deaths are stabilized at this time which is good news, however crews are remaining to be vigilant with PPE while on suspected Covid related calls.

Currently we will continue to monitor as we slowly remove guidelines and prepare to return to normal. If needed all guidelines can be reinstated quickly if any variants cause a spike in cases.