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**CARRIE'S
COVID Q&A**

Question: What can I do if I've lost my COVID-19 vaccination card showing proof that I've received a vaccine?

Answer: Many places are requiring proof of vaccination in order to attend events or gatherings. If you've lost your vaccination card, there are steps you can take to get proof of vaccination in your hand once again. One option is to contact the place where you originally obtained vaccination as they may be able to re-issue your card. Another option in Wisconsin is the Wisconsin Immunization Registry. This is an online database where immunizations that occurred in the State of Wisconsin are recorded. You will need your social security number and other personal information in order to access this online database where you can print out your vaccination record.

Source: University of Wisconsin



The Demand for COVID-19 Testing has Increased

60 *Monica's Minute*

Shortage of Rapid COVID-19 Tests



- Multiple states are currently experiencing a shortage of COVID-19 rapid tests, including Wisconsin.
- Pharmacy chains are limiting purchases in Wisconsin, including Walgreens; they are limiting customers to 4 tests per purchase.
- The testmakers who produce these rapid tests are frantically trying to produce more; one executive chief says that they will not be able to meet all of the demands they have been having.
- Employer demand of the tests have gone crazy, and the tests are crucial for COVID-19 surveillance programs.
- Some states have even begun to pay higher prices for these rapid tests. The Wisconsin Department of Health Services is hoping to resume a program that will provide free supplies, and pay for collection costs of local health departments.
- Recently the White House announced plans to purchase millions of rapid at-home tests for COVID-19 in response to the national shortage of these tests.



Cultural History Event for Urban Natives



5 nations will be represented. They are: Ho-Chunk, Menominee, Ojibwe, Oneida, and Potawatomi.

November 12th, 2021

10:00-3:30

There will be a free lunch served.

Please call (414)-930-9210 and leave a message with your name and number to reserve your spot!



AICA Announcement

AICA has a *limited* amount of Ellume COVID-19 at-home test kits available. If interested, please give us a call at (414)-930-9210.

Today's Little Chuckle

Q: What do you take before every meal?

A: YOU TAKE A SEAT!

