



## Learning Model Re-Evaluation Matrix Background Information

To assist in determining the learning model that will provide our students with a safe and effective learning environment, the AASD will rely on **burden**, **trajectory**, and **composite** indicators from the City of Appleton and the Tri-County region, which includes Outagamie County, Calumet County, and Winnebago County.

The **composite** score is a combination of the burden and trajectory. A composite score of 'Low' will be needed for a fully in-person model. A composite score of 'Medium' is needed for a hybrid model, and a composite score of 'High' will result in a fully virtual model. We will need the composite indicator to be favorable for both the burden and the trajectory for us to consider changing our learning model.

**Burden** (case count) and **trajectory** (change in case rate) indicators are based on confirmed COVID-19 cases. Burden indicators are categorized as **low**, **moderate**, **moderately high**, or **high**, and trajectory indicators are categorized as **shrinking**, **no significant change**, or **growing**.

Below in yellow is our current status based on City of Appleton data as of 9-23-20.

Composite		Trajectory		
		Shrinking	No Significant Change	Growing
Burden	Low	Low	Low	Medium
	Moderate	Medium	Medium	High
	Moderately High	Medium	High	High
	High	High	High	High

**Burden** (case count) is the total number of cases per 100,000 residents in the last two weeks. Given that Appleton has a population of 75,000, we are using 75% of the 100,000 resident rate.

Burden Status	Value (per 75,000 Appleton residents in the past two weeks)
Low	Case count is less than or equal to 7
Moderate	Case count is greater than 8, but less than or equal to 37
Moderately High	Case count is greater than 38, but less than or equal to 75
High	Case count is greater than 75

