Tarrant County Public Health follows CDC Indicators and Thresholds to determine the level of COVID-19 community transmission in Tarrant County.

Indicator- If the two indicators suggest different transmission levels, the				
higher level is selected	Low Transmission	Moderate Transmission	Substantial Transmission	High Transmission
Total new cases per 100,000 in the past				
7 days	0-9.99	10-49.00	50-99.99	≥100
Percentage of NAATs that are positive				
during the past 7 days	0-4.99%	5-7.99%	8-9.99%	≥10.0%

To control for daily fluctuations in available data, the transmission level category will change after the metric has remained in that category for two consecutive days. For example, if the transmission level is Moderate, the Case Rate would need to be less than 10.0 for two consecutive days before changing to Low.