



NEW YORK STATE SENATOR

Alessandra Biaggi

## SENATOR BIAGGI ISSUES STATEMENT ON COVID-19 DIAGNOSIS

ALESSANDRA BIAGGI | October 22, 2021

**State Senator Alessandra Biaggi (D-Bronx/Westchester) issued the following statement:**

“Yesterday evening, I tested positive for COVID-19. While I am fully vaccinated and have taken all CDC recommended safety precautions, I unfortunately contracted the virus. I am experiencing symptoms and isolating at home per CDC guidelines.

As someone experiencing a breakthrough case, I urge everyone unvaccinated to receive the COVID-19 vaccine. The vaccine has proven to slow transmission of the virus and to suppress symptoms, protecting people from more serious outcomes, including death. All of us must continue to do our part in protecting our community’s health and safety-- that means getting vaccinated. If you have any questions regarding the vaccine or need help scheduling an appointment, please visit [vaccines.gov](https://vaccines.gov) or [covid19vaccine.health.ny.gov](https://covid19vaccine.health.ny.gov).”

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