Sid Lentz asked a great question (he tends to do that).

I was going to wait until we had the test results back to report all this but that’s ok. To understand the information you should know the tests were conducted by Zufall. Their mission is to provide access to quality, affordable and culturally competent healthcare to people and communities who experience barriers to care. They are federally funded. Initially they were called “Federally Qualified Health Center”.

How many were tested

Total tests 73.

16 – walk-ups without pre-registration
35 – new to Zufall Health
22 – established Zufall patients

55 insured

40 from Somerset/Franklin Park
12 -Somerville
4 – Manville
3 – Bound Brook
2 – Dover
2 – Ewing
2 – North Brunswick
2 – Plainfield
1 each from: No. Plainfield, South Plainfield, Roselle, Rahway, Branchburg, Highland Park.

What was the operational cost and who paid for it?

Franklin provided the location (thank you BOE). We put up tents and traffic cones. Two on duty police officers and our OEM manager who all would have been working that day anyway were there. Zufall supplied the test kits, personnel, and PPE so that is federal money. I’m told there was no expense to the “patients”.

No incremental cost to Franklin.