

# The 1918 Flu Pandemic Invades Westmoreland County



One hundred years ago, the 1918 Influenza Pandemic affected the entire world. While the true number of deaths is unknowable, the most commonly accepted estimates range between 20-50 million victims. Of the 231,000 residents of Westmoreland County at that time, over 41,000 were infected with approximately 1,750 estimated deaths.

Join Dr. Thomas Soltis from Westmoreland County Community College as he explores the arrival, spread, and impact of the 1918 Influenza Pandemic in Westmoreland County.

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Penn Area Library  
Monday, September 25  
6:30PM

Call 724-744-4414 to register.

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