State Profile Report
02.23.2023

Georgia

State Synopsis

	Last Week	Change from Previous Week
New COVID-19 Cases per 100,000	**51**	**-15%**
Nucleic Acid Amplification Test (NAAT) positivity rate	**11.1%**	**-0.5%**
New Confirmed COVID-19 Hospital Admissions per 100,000	**7.7**	**-4%**
New COVID-19 Deaths per 100,000	**0.8**	**+5%**

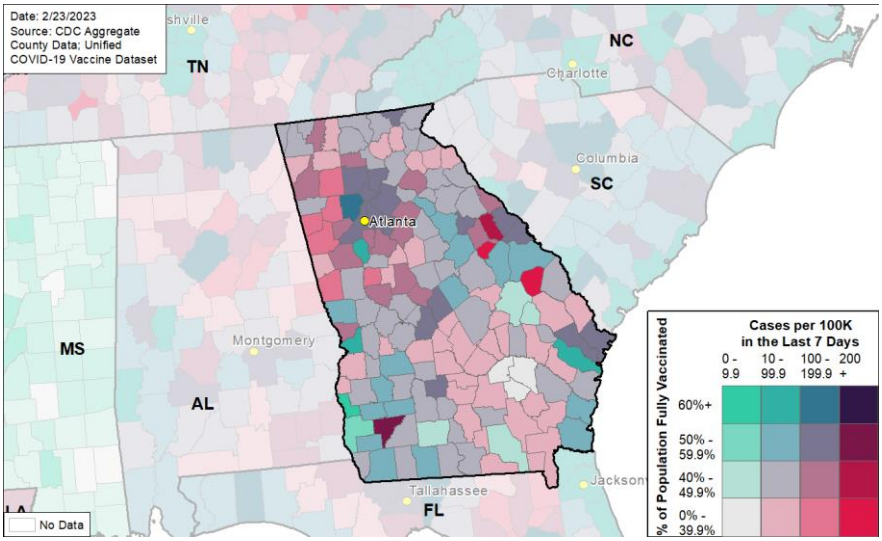
COVID-19 Vaccinations

Total with completed primary series	**6,084,781 people**	**57.3% of total pop.**
<5 years with at least one dose	**32,859 people**	**5.0% of <5 pop.**
5+ years with completed primary series	**6,068,818 people**	**60.9% of 5+ pop.**
5+ years with an updated (bivalent) booster dose	**1,055,200 people**	**10.6% of 5+ pop.**
65+ years with an updated (bivalent) booster dose	**448,612 people**	**29.6% of 65+ pop.**

SARS-CoV-2 Variants of Concern

- In the 4 weeks ending 1/28/2023, with 867 total sequences available, the following proportions of variants of concern were identified in Georgia: Omicron: BA.2, 0.5%; BA.4, 0.1%; BA.4.6, 0.1%; BA.5, 4.8%; BA.5.2.6, 1.1%; BA.2.75, 0.4%; BA.2.75.2, 0.1%; BF.7, 2.4%; BF.11, 0.8%; BQ.1, 11.4%; BQ.1.1, 38.9%; BN.1, 2.5%; XBB, 5.7%; XBB.1.5, 29.8%; CH.1.1, 1.2%

COVID-19 Reported Cases per 100,000 Population (last 7 days) and Percent of Total Population with a Completed Primary Series



After over two years of public reporting, the State Profile Report will no longer be produced and distributed after February 2023. The final release will be on February 23, 2023. We want to thank everyone who contributed to the design, production, and review of this report and we hope that it provided insight into the data trends throughout the COVID-19 pandemic. Data about COVID-19 will continue to be updated at CDC's COVID Data Tracker.

The purpose of this report is to develop a shared understanding of the current status of the pandemic at the national, regional, state, and local levels. We recognize that data at the state level may differ from that available at the federal level. Our objective is to use consistent data sources and methods that allow for comparisons to be made across localities. We appreciate your continued support in identifying data discrepancies and improving data completeness and sharing across systems. We look forward to your feedback. All inquiries and requests for information should be directed to https://wwwn.cdc.gov/dcs/ContactUs/Form.

COVID-19

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	State	State, % change from previous week	FEMA/HHS Region	United States
New COVID-19 Cases (rate per 100,000)	5,445 (51)	-15%	55,048 (82)	236,131 (71)
Nucleic Acid Amplification Test (NAAT) Positivity Rate	11.1%	-0.5%*	11.1%	9.8%
Total NAAT Volume † (tests per 100,000)	48,034 (452)	-19%	338,411 (506)	1,653,711 (498)
New COVID-19 Deaths (rate per 100,000)	89 (0.8)	+5%	699 (1.0)	2,407 (0.7)
Confirmed new COVID-19 Hospital Admissions (rate per 100,000)	820 (7.7)	-4%	4,663 (7.0)	24,485 (7.4)
COVID-19 Inpatient Occupancy	4%	0%*	3%	3%
Hospitals With Supply Shortages (%)	2 (1%)	-33%	37 (4%)	275 (5%)

COVID-19 Vaccinations

<5 years first dose (% of population)	201 (0.03%)	-26.6%	1,345 (0.03%)	13,551 (0.07%)
<5 years with a completed primary series (% of population)	281 (0.04%)	+8.5%	1,159 (0.03%)	11,676 (0.06%)
5+ years first dose (% of population)	2,284 (0.02%)	-6.7%	18,520 (0.03%)	113,154 (0.04%)
5+ years with a completed primary series (% of population)	1,933 (0.02%)	-7.5%	12,618 (0.02%)	69,059 (0.02%)
5+ years first booster dose	2,847	-2.4%	13,262	98,978
5+ years updated (bivalent) booster dose (% of population)	8,522 (0.09%)	-9.7%	54,492 (0.09%)	380,322 (0.12%)
12+ years second booster dose	3,789	-10.3%	20,799	162,070
65+ years updated (bivalent) booster dose (% of population)	2,989 (0.20%)	-7.0%	22,412 (0.19%)	120,551 (0.22%)

* Indicates absolute change in percentage points.
† Due to delayed reporting, this figure may underestimate total diagnostic tests and week-on-week changes in diagnostic tests.

DATA SOURCES

Note: Some dates may have incomplete data due to delays in reporting. Data may be backfilled over time, resulting in week-to-week changes.

Cases and Deaths: COVID-19 case and death metrics at the state level are generated using a dataset managed by the CDC which is compiled from state and local health departments; this dataset is updated weekly. State values are aggregated from counties. Historical reports of cases and deaths exceeding 1% of the total new cases or deaths reported in the US that day have been excluded. Data are through 2/22/2023; previous week is from 2/9 to 2/15.

Testing: CELR (COVID-19 Electronic Lab Reporting) state health department-reported data. The term Nucleic Acid Amplification Test (NAAT) includes RT-PCR and other testing methods. Test positivity through 2/20/2023; previous week is from 2/7 to 2/13. Test volume through 2/16/2023; previous week is from 2/3 to 2/9.

Admissions: Unified Hospitals Dataset in HHS Protect. Data are through 2/21, previous week is from 2/8 to 2/14.

Shortages: Unified Hospitals Dataset in HHS Protect. Values presented show the latest reports from hospitals in the week ending 2/15/2023 for supplies.

Vaccinations: CDC COVID Data Tracker. Data include the Moderna, Pfizer BioNTech, J&J/Janssen, and Novavax COVID-19 vaccines. Data last updated 04:00 EST on 02/22/2023. People initiating vaccination include those who have received the first dose of the Moderna, Pfizer-BioNTech, or Novavax vaccine as well as those who have received one dose of the J&J/Janssen vaccine. Persons who have completed their primary series include those who have received both doses of the Moderna, Pfizer-BioNTech, or Novavax vaccine as well as those who have received one dose of the J&J/Janssen vaccine. Population denominators reflect the subset of the population of the corresponding age range. Counts of first and second booster doses may include updated (bivalent) booster doses.

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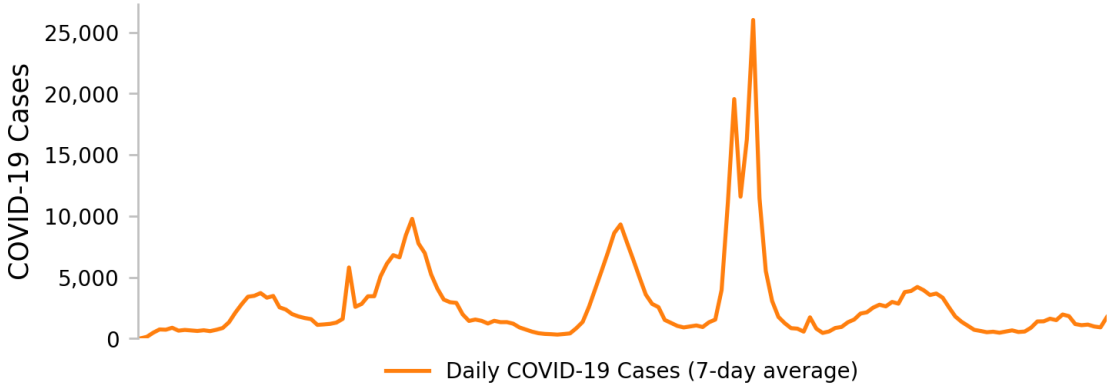
New Cases



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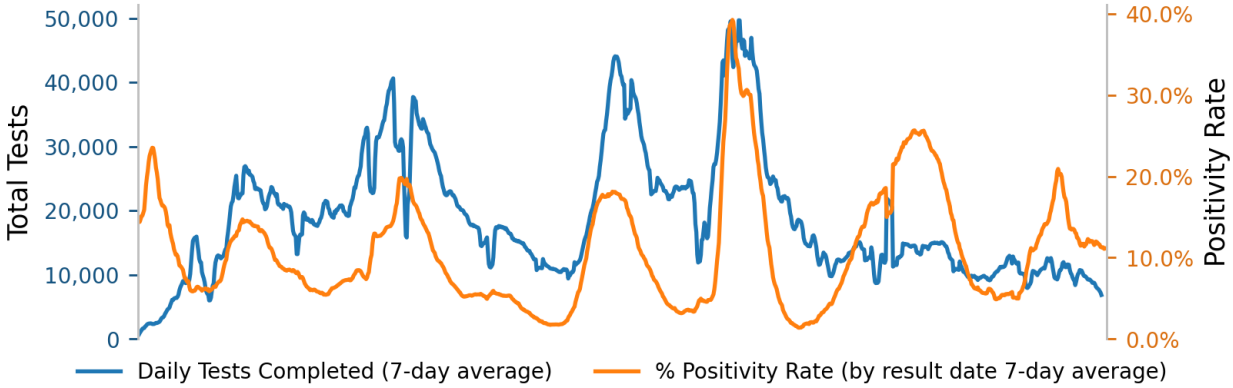
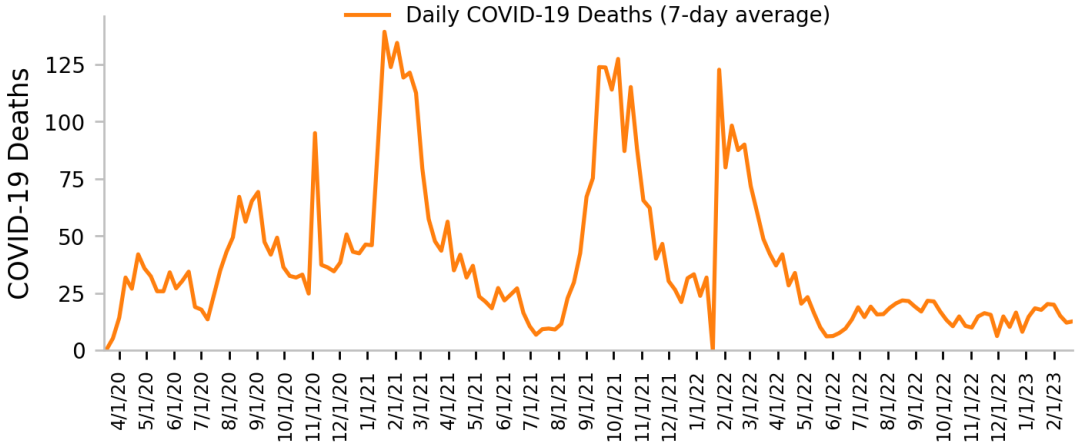


New Deaths



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As of November 17, 2022, daily cases and deaths have been removed from these plots in alignment with changes in data reporting by CDC.

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Testing: CELR (COVID-19 Electronic Lab Reporting) state health department-reported data. Test positivity through 2/20/2023. Test volume through 2/16/2023.

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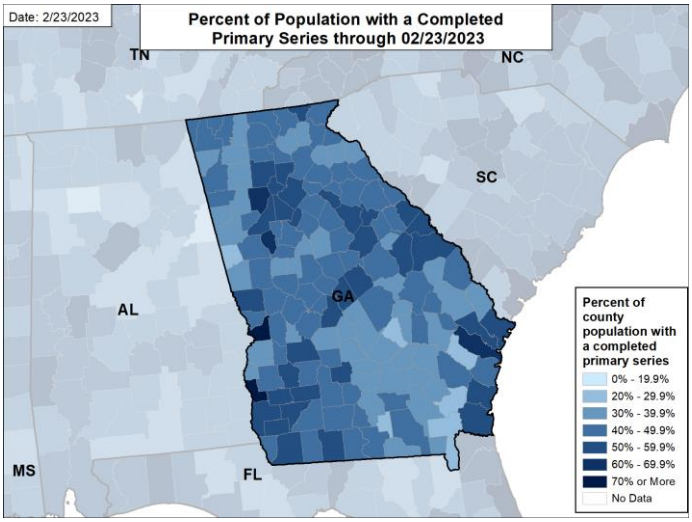
State Vaccination Summary

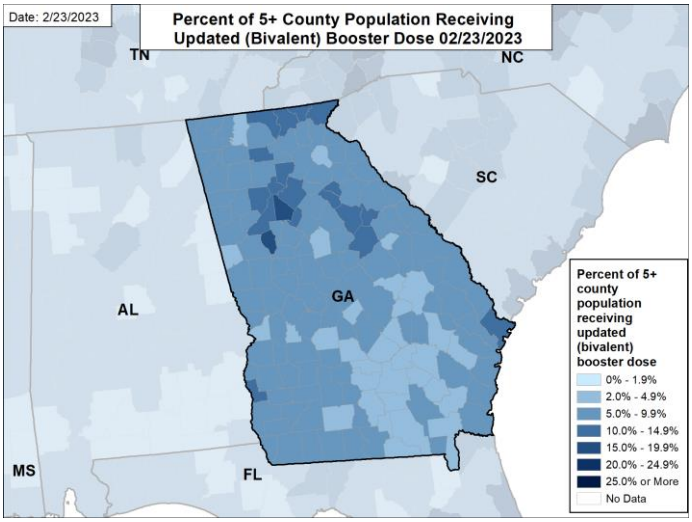
Doses Delivered	28,158,985 265,215 per 100k	**Doses Administered**	17,004,694 160,158 per 100k

Age Group	At Least One Dose	Completed Primary Series	Booster Dose†	Second Booster Dose‡	Updated (Bivalent) Booster Dose^
Total	7,264,746 (68.4%)	6,084,781 (57.3%)	2,682,843 (44.1%)	925,926 (34.5%)	1,056,002 (9.9%)
<5 years	32,859 (5.0%)	14,466 (2.2%)	N/A	N/A	N/A
5-11 years	247,637 (25.5%)	188,808 (19.4%)	35,012 (18.5%)	N/A	19,981 (2.1%)
12-17 years	489,489 (56.0%)	398,355 (45.5%)	97,082 (24.4%)	15,202 (15.7%)	33,265 (3.8%)
18+ years	6,490,764 (80.0%)	5,481,655 (67.6%)	2,549,802 (46.5%)	905,923 (35.5%)	1,001,954 (12.3%)
65+ years	1,491,623 (95.0%)	1,313,775 (86.6%)	887,437 (67.5%)	448,549 (50.5%)	448,612 (29.6%)

Percent of Population with a Completed Primary Series



Percent of 5+ Population with an Updated (Bivalent) Booster Dose^



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County reporting completeness for Georgia is 88.8%.

† Booster dose percentages are a proportion of the respective population that has completed a primary series.

‡ Second booster dose percentages are a proportion of the respective population that has one booster.

^ Updated (bivalent) booster dose percentages are a proportion of the respective total population.

Vaccinations: CDC COVID Data Tracker. Data last updated 04:00 EST on 02/22/2023. Persons with at least one dose include those who have received one dose of the Moderna, Pfizer-BioNTech, Novavax, or J&J/Janssen vaccine. Persons who have completed their primary series include those who have received both doses of the Moderna, Pfizer-BioNTech, or Novavax vaccine as well as those who have received one dose of the J&J/Janssen vaccine. Counts of first and second booster doses may include updated (bivalent) booster doses.

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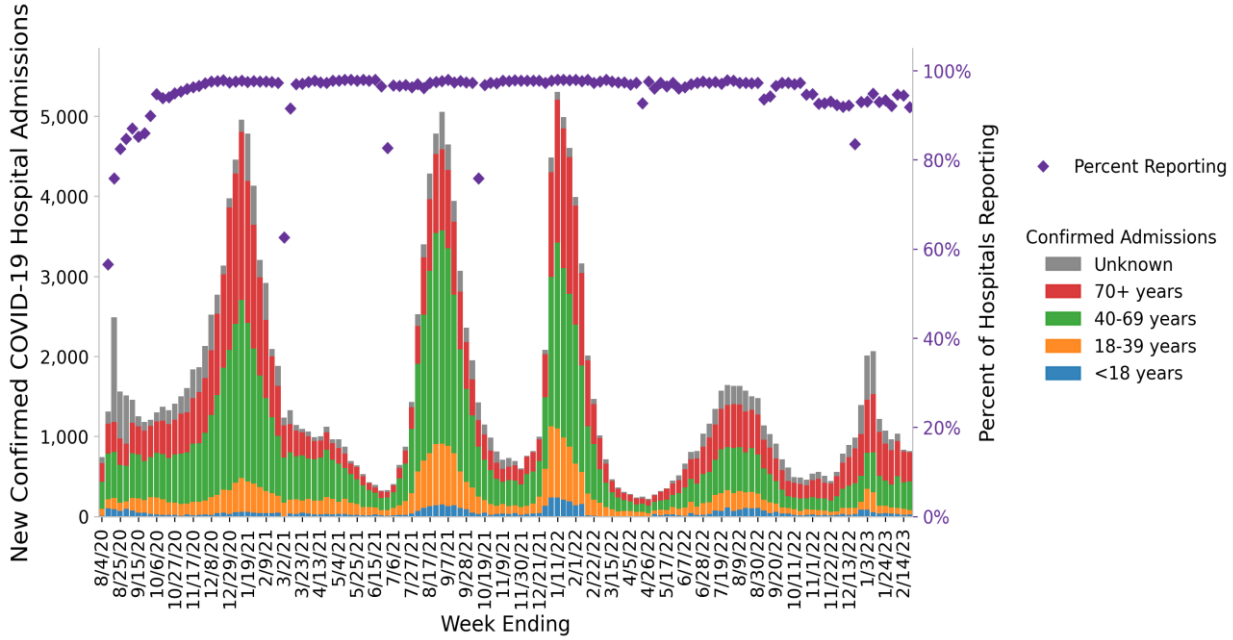
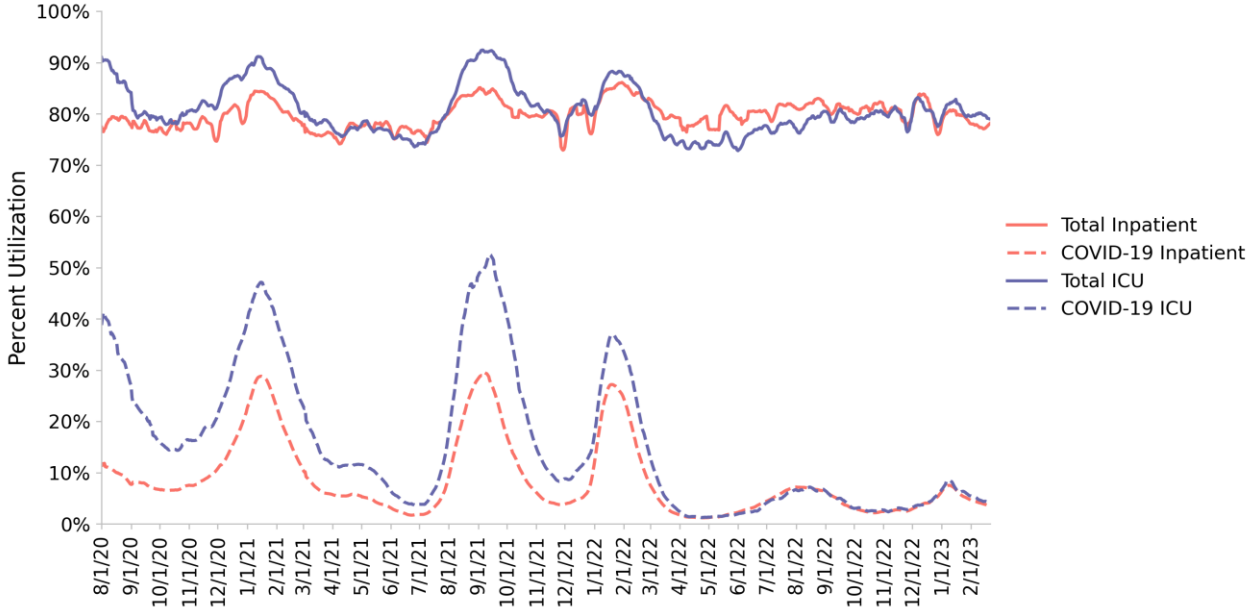
150 hospitals are expected to report in Georgia

Hospital Admissions



Hospital Utilization



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Hospitalizations: Unified Hospitals Dataset in HHS Protect. These data exclude psychiatric, rehabilitation, and religious non-medical hospitals. Hospitals explicitly identified by states/regions as those from which we should not expect reports were excluded from the percent reporting figure. Inpatient and ICU utilization is shown as a weekly rate; the weekly average of beds occupied is divided by the weekly average of total beds available. Data are through 2/21/2023.

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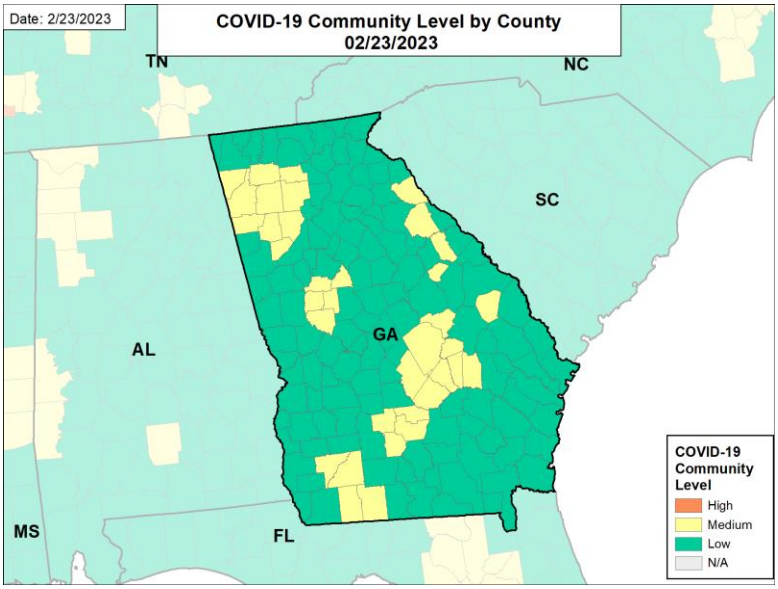
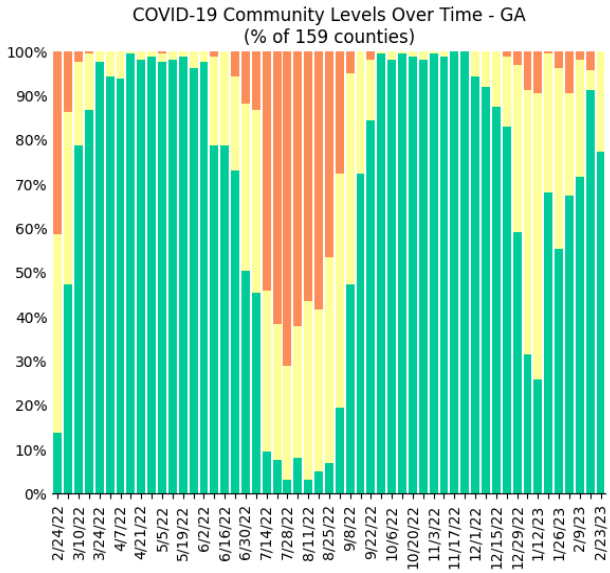
COVID-19 Community Level by county





Counties by COVID-19 Community Level

Category	Low	Medium	High
# of Counties (change)	123 (↓22)	36 (↑29)	0 (↓7)

Low Counties: Appling, Atkinson, Bacon, Baldwin, Banks, Barrow, Berrien, Bibb, Bleckley, Brantley, Brooks, Bryan, Bulloch, Burke, Calhoun, Camden, Candler, Carroll, Catoosa, Charlton, Chatham, Chattahoochee, Clarke, Clay, Clayton, Clinch, Coffee, Colquitt, Columbia, Cook, Coweta, Crawford, Crisp, Dade, Dawson, DeKalb, Decatur, Dooly, Dougherty, Early, Echols, Effingham, Emanuel, Evans, Fannin, Fayette, Forsyth, Franklin, Fulton, Gilmer, Glynn, Greene, Gwinnett, Habersham, Hall, Hancock, Haralson, Harris, Hart, Heard, Henry, Houston, Jackson, Jasper, Jeff Davis, Jefferson, Jones, Lanier, Lee, Liberty, Lincoln, Long, Lowndes, Lumpkin, Macon, Madison, Marion, McIntosh, Meriwether, Miller, Monroe, Morgan, Murray, Muscogee, Newton, Oconee, Oglethorpe, Peach, Pierce, Pulaski, Putnam, Quitman, Rabun, Randolph, Richmond, Rockdale, Schley, Screven, Seminole, Stephens, Stewart, Sumter, Talbot, Taliaferro, Tattnall, Taylor, Terrell, Towns, Troup, Twiggs, Union, Walker, Walton, Ware, Warren, Washington, Wayne, Webster, White, Whitfield, Wilcox, Wilkinson, Worth

Medium Counties: Baker, Bartow, Ben Hill, Butts, Chattooga, Cherokee, Cobb, Dodge, Douglas, Elbert, Floyd, Glascock, Gordon, Grady, Irwin, Jenkins, Johnson, Lamar, Laurens, McDuffie, Mitchell, Montgomery, Paulding, Pickens, Pike, Polk, Spalding, Telfair, Thomas, Tift, Toombs, Treutlen, Turner, Upson, Wheeler, Wilkes

DATA SOURCES

Maps and figures reflect 7-day average of data from 2/16-2/22 (cases), 2/15-2/21 (hospital data). Metro areas and counties are listed in alphabetical order.

Note: Most recent days may have incomplete reporting.

Cases: COVID-19 case metrics at the state and County level are generated using a dataset managed by the CDC which is compiled from state and local health departments; this dataset is updated weekly. Data are through 2/22/2023.

Admissions: Unified Hospitals Dataset in HHS Protect. Data are through 2/21/2023.

COVID-19 Community Levels: COVID-19 Community Level is determined by the higher of the new admissions and inpatient bed metrics, based on the current level of new cases per 100,000 population in the past 7 days. See CDC Community Levels. A county is N/A if hospital data is not available. County data is mapped from Health Service Areas, defined as a single county or cluster of counties that are generally self-contained with respect to hospital care. Previous week levels are computed based on current data.

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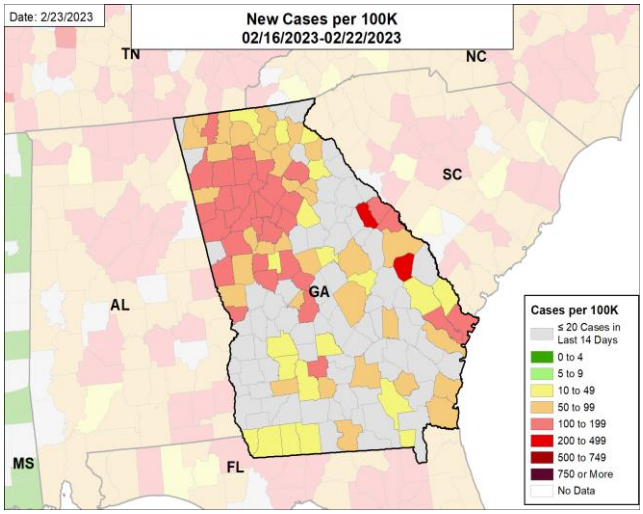
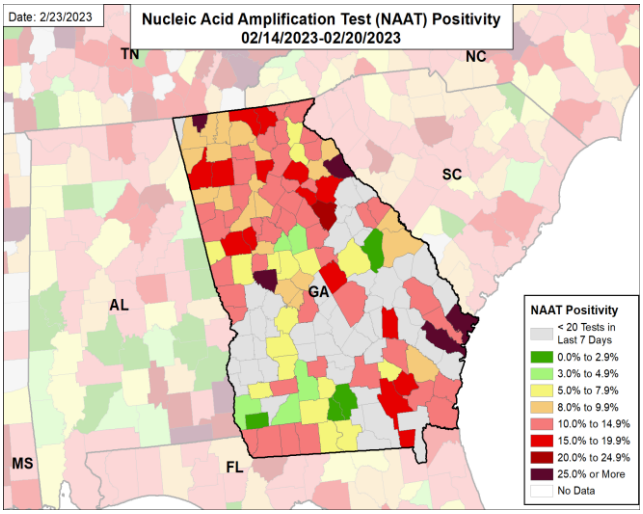
Case Rates, NAAT Positivity, Hospital Admissions, and Death Rates

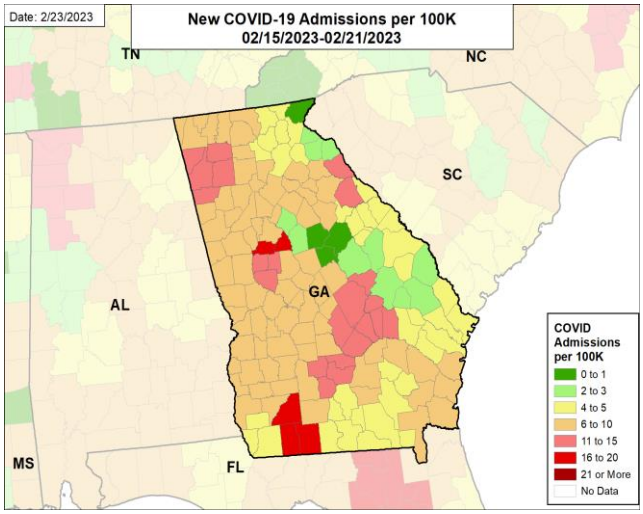
New Cases per 100,000



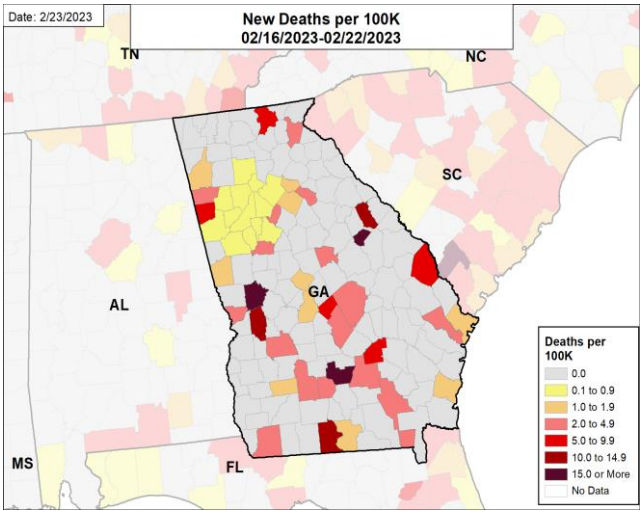
Nucleic Acid Amplification Test (NAAT) Positivity



Confirmed new COVID-19 Admissions per 100,000



New Deaths per 100,000



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Hospitalizations: Unified Hospitals Dataset in HHS Protect. Totals include only confirmed COVID-19 admissions. County data is mapped from Health Service Areas, defined as a single county or cluster of counties that are generally self contained with respect to hospital care. Hospitals are assigned to an HSA based on county of location. In some cases, reports are aggregates of multiple facilities that cross HSA boundaries; in these cases, values are assigned based on the county for the aggregate. Data are through 2/21/2023.

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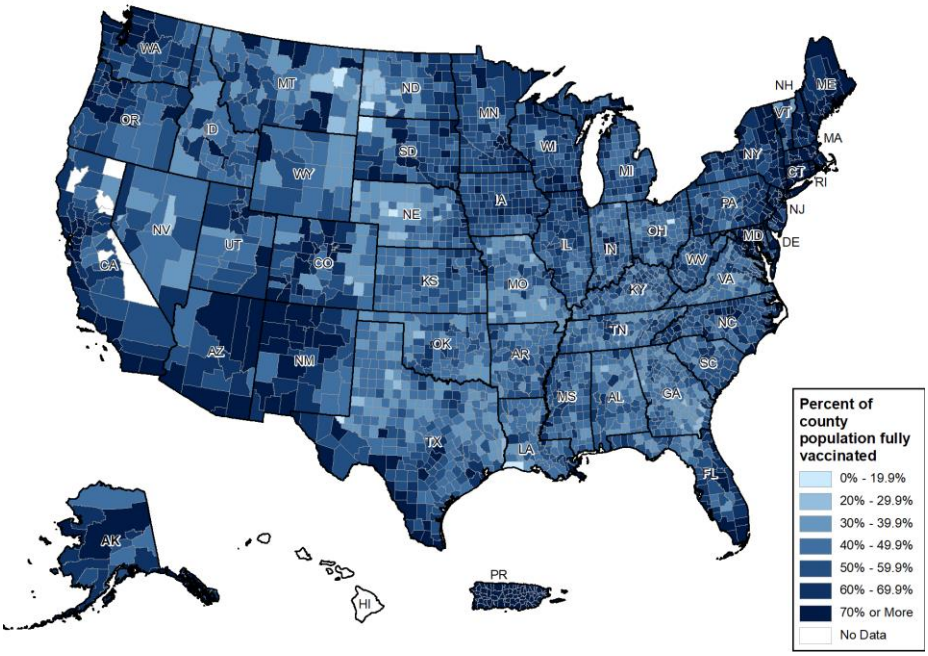
National Picture: Vaccinations

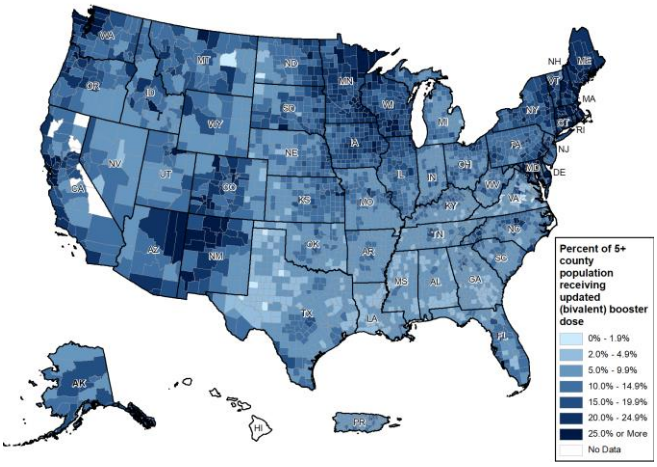
Percent of Population with a Completed Primary Series



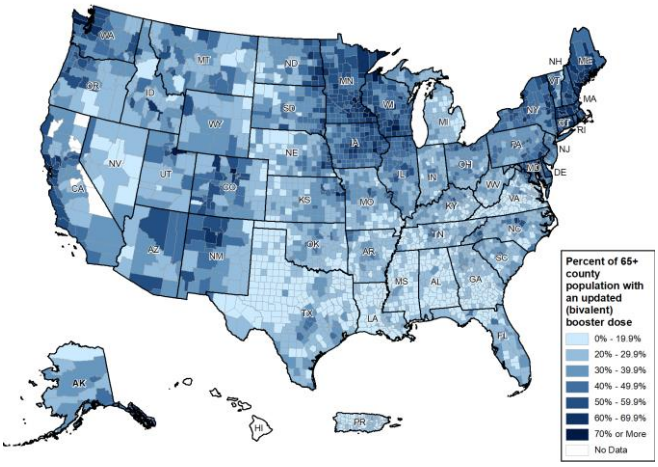
National Ranking of Population with a Completed Primary Series

National Rank	State	National Rank	State
1	DC	27	NE
2	RI	28	SD
3	VT	29	AZ
4	MA	30	KS
5	PR	31	AK
6	ME	32	IA
7	CT	33	NV
8	HI	34	TX
9	NY	35	MI
10	MD	36	OK
11	NJ	37	OH
12	VA	38	SC
13	WA	39	WV
14	NM	40	KY
15	CA	41	MT
16	CO	42	MO
17	PA	43	ND
18	DE	44	IN
19	OR	45	GA
20	MN	46	AR
21	NH	47	ID
22	IL	48	TN
23	FL	49	LA
24	WI	50	MS
25	NC	51	AL
26	UT	52	WY

Percent of 5+ Population with an Updated (Bivalent) Booster



Percent of 65+ Population with an Updated (Bivalent) Booster



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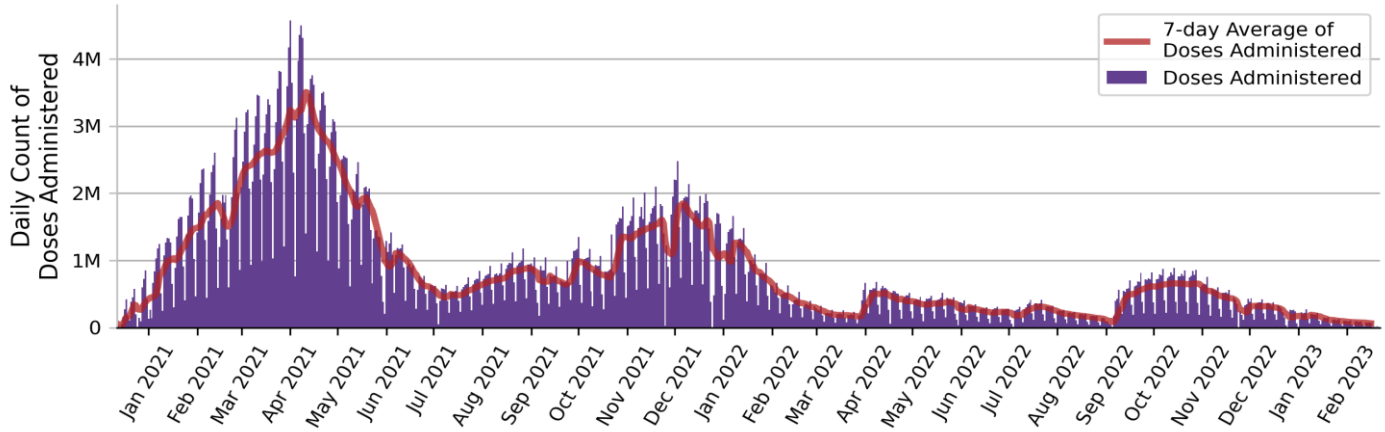
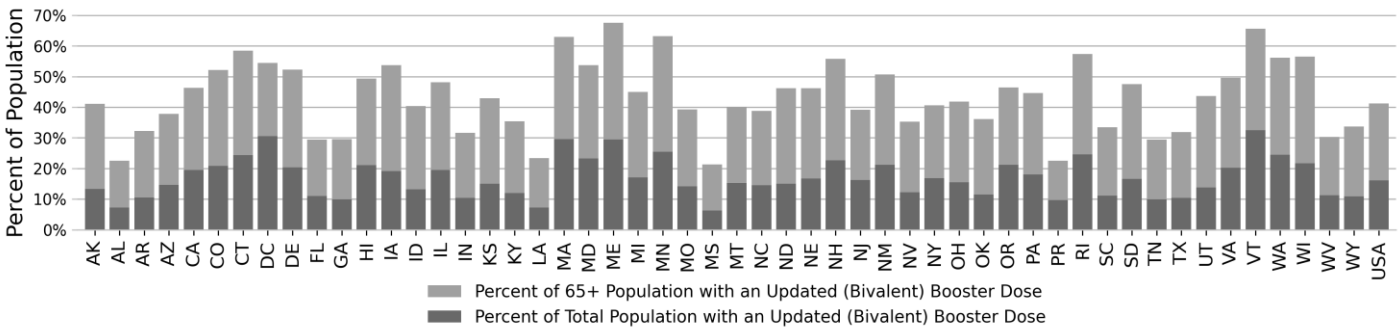
National Picture: Vaccinations

National COVID-19 Vaccine Summary as of 02/22

	Doses Delivered	963,131,415 290,092 per 100k	Doses Administered	671,582,379 202,278 per 100k	
Age Group	**At Least One Dose**	**Completed Primary Series**	**Booster Dose†**	**2nd Booster Dose‡**	**Updated (Bivalent) Booster Dose^**
Total	269,459,752 (81.2%)	229,996,296 (69.3%)	117,441,743 (51.1%)	47,594,195 (40.5%)	53,350,658 (16.1%)
<5 years	1,854,816 (9.4%)	972,570 (4.9%)	N/A	N/A	N/A
5-11 years	11,428,435 (39.8%)	9,390,543 (32.7%)	2,205,783 (23.5%)	N/A	1,206,383 (4.2%)
12-17 years	18,210,261 (72.0%)	15,594,658 (61.6%)	5,141,289 (33.0%)	1,064,278 (20.7%)	1,812,020 (7.2%)
18+ years	237,770,058 (92.1%)	203,933,482 (79.0%)	110,030,012 (54.0%)	46,133,277 (41.9%)	50,271,843 (19.5%)
65+ years	58,758,208 (95.0%)	51,646,729 (94.3%)	37,997,916 (73.6%)	22,675,898 (59.7%)	22,606,262 (41.3%)

Daily National Count of Vaccine Doses Administered by Date of Administration





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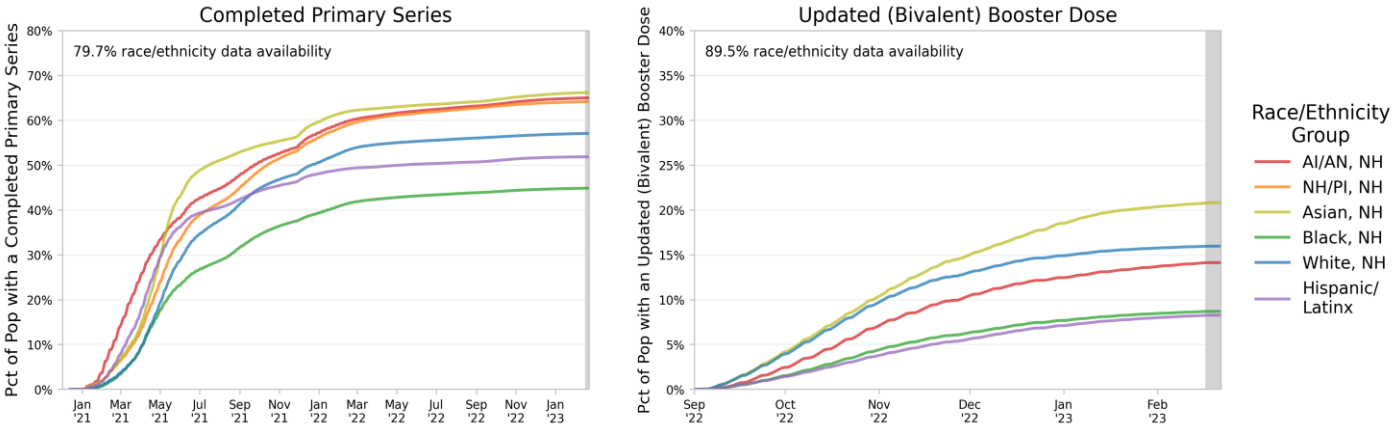
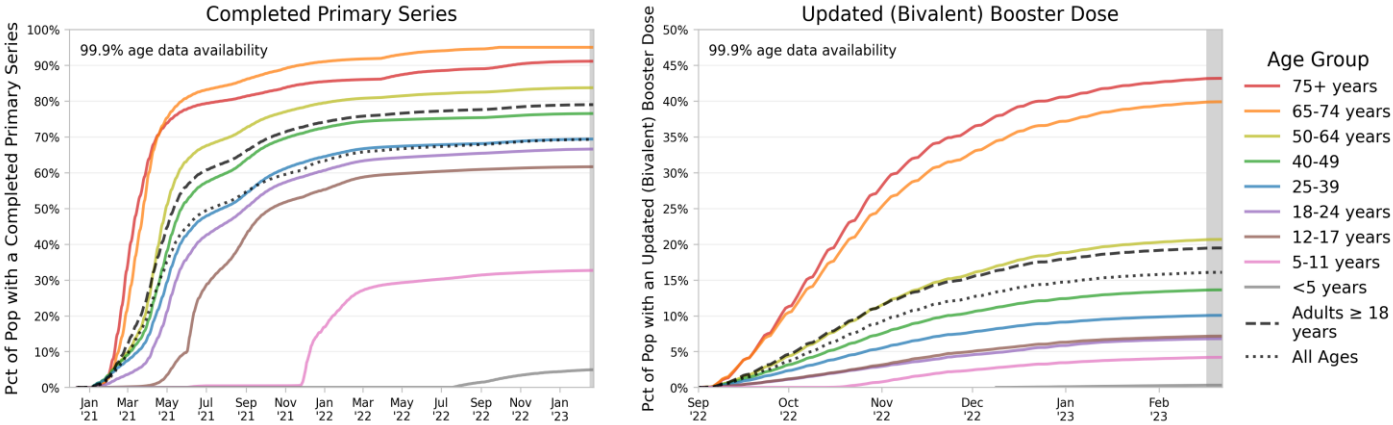
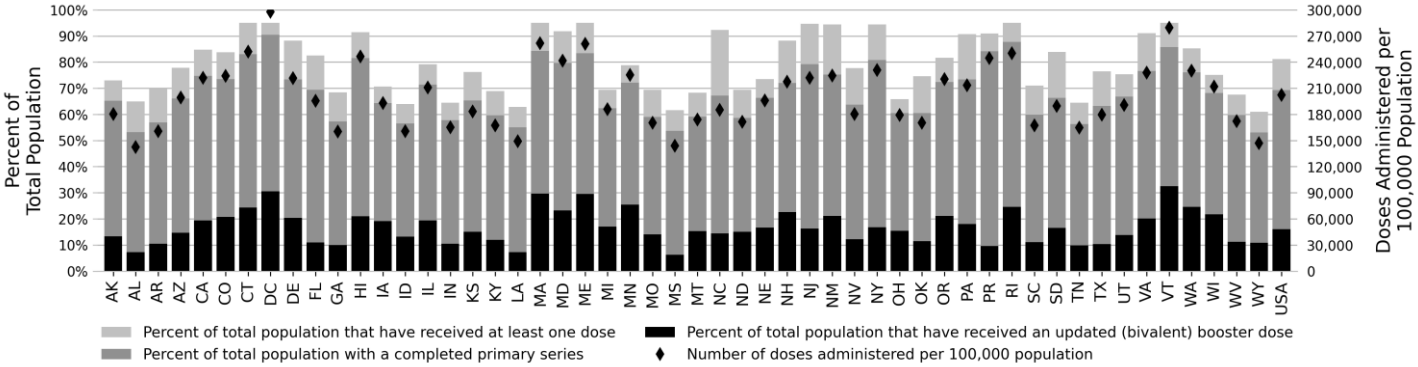
National Picture: Vaccinations

National Summary of Vaccinations by Race/Ethnicity



National Summary of Vaccinations by Age





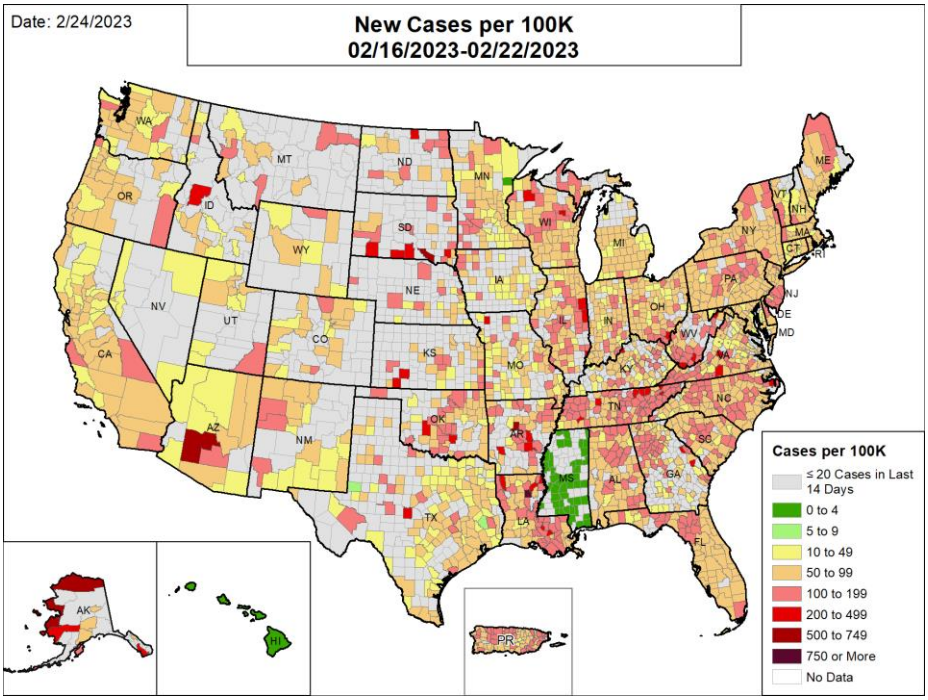
DATA SOURCES

Vaccinations: CDC COVID Data Tracker. Data includes the Moderna, Pfizer BioNTech, J&J/Janssen, and Novavax COVID-19 vaccines. Data last updated 04:00 EST on 02/22/2023. Persons who have completed their primary series include those who have received both doses of the Moderna, Pfizer-BioNTech, or Novavax vaccine as well as those who have received one dose of the J&J/Janssen vaccine. Counts of first and second booster doses may include updated (bivalent) booster doses. Race/Ethnicity data were available for 79.7% with a completed primary series and 89.5% with an updated (bivalent) booster dose. Age data were available for 100.0% with a completed primary series and 100.0% with an updated (bivalent) booster dose. Texas does not report demographic-specific dose number information to CDC, so data for Texas are not represented in demographic trends figures. "NH" stands for Non-Hispanic/Latinx, "AI/AN" stands for American Indian or Alaska Native, and "NH/PI" stands for Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander.

METHODS: Details available on last two pages of report.

National Picture: Cases

New Cases per 100,000

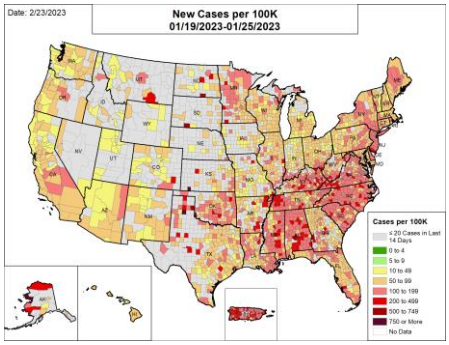


National Ranking of New Cases per 100,000

National Rank	State	National Rank	State
1	HI	27	KY
2	AZ	28	VT
3	NV	29	MA
4	DC	30	MT
5	CT	31	RI
6	UT	32	OH
7	ID	33	WI
8	IA	34	PA
9	GA	35	SC
10	WY	36	OK
11	TX	37	FL
12	NM	38	MS
13	WA	39	NY
14	CO	40	IL
15	MD	41	NC
16	MN	42	NJ
17	OR	43	DE
18	CA	44	AL
19	IN	45	WV
20	MI	46	PR
21	NH	47	ND
22	MO	48	AR
23	KS	49	AK
24	VA	50	TN
25	NE	51	SD
26	ME	52	LA

New Cases per 100,000 in the Week:

One Month Before



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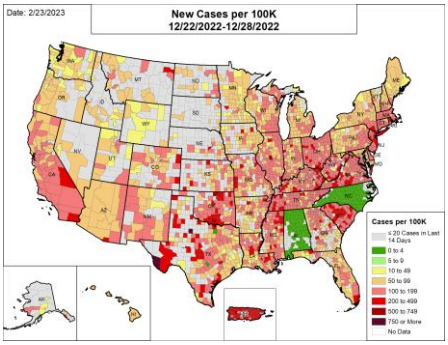

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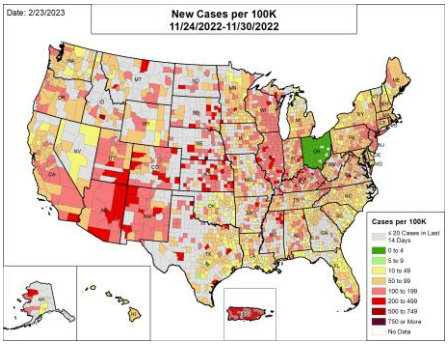

DATA SOURCES

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Cases: COVID-19 case metrics at the county level are generated using a dataset managed by the CDC which is compiled from state and local health departments; this dataset is updated weekly. State values are aggregated from counties. The week one month before is from 1/19 to 1/25; the week two months before is from 12/22 to 12/28; the week three months before is from 11/24 to 11/30. Due to reporting issues, Arizona cases in the last week are an overestimate. Hawaii did not report new cases or deaths in the last week. Mississippi did not report county cases or deaths in the last week. Missouri county cases in the last week may be an underestimate.

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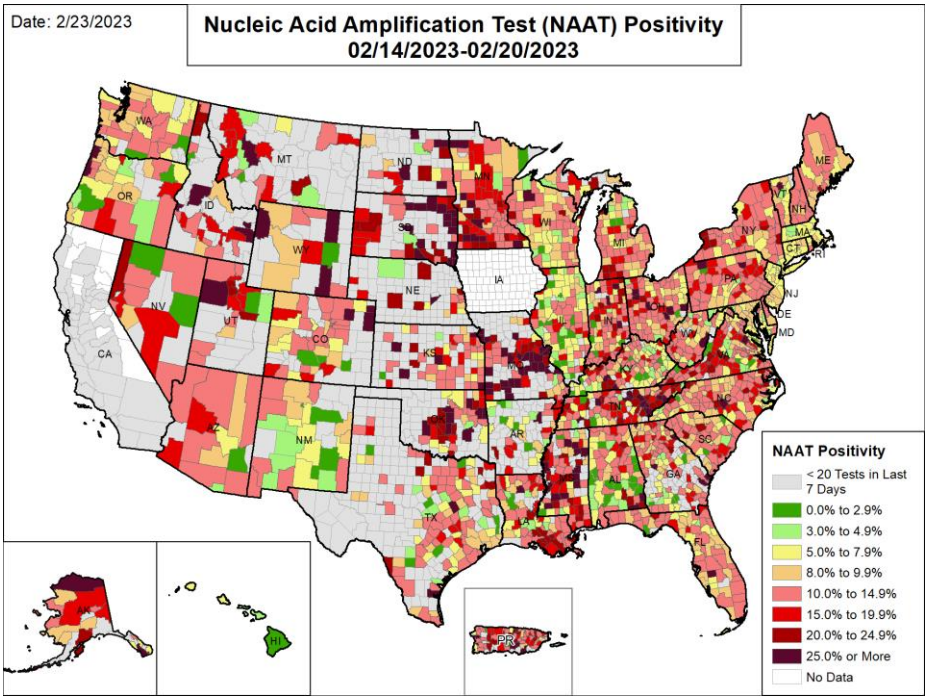
National Picture: NAAT Positivity

Nucleic Acid Amplification Test (NAAT) Positivity



National Ranking of NAAT Positivity

National Rank	State	National Rank	State
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2	IL	28	GA
3	CT	29	SC
4	MA	30	OH
5	NJ	31	PA
6	DC	32	MI
7	NM	33	AZ
8	NY	34	NE
9	RI	35	IN
10	MD	36	KS
11	OR	37	MN
12	AR	38	NV
13	AL	39	PR
14	WA	40	AK
15	VT	41	WY
16	WI	42	TN
17	LA	43	ND
18	FL	44	ID
19	DE	45	MT
20	ME	46	MS
21	KY	47	OK
22	NH	48	UT
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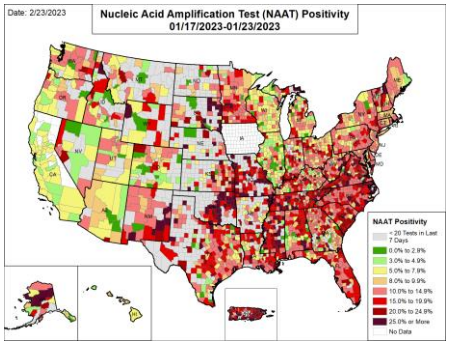
24	NC	50	SD
25	TX	--	CA
26	WV	--	IA

Nucleic Acid Amplification Test (NAAT) Positivity in the Week:

One Month Before



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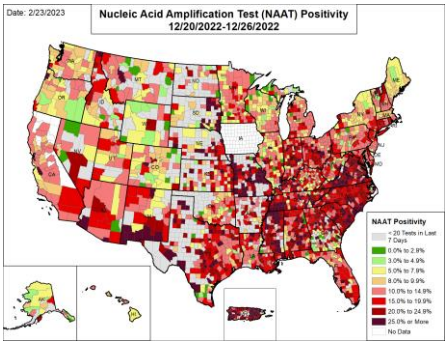

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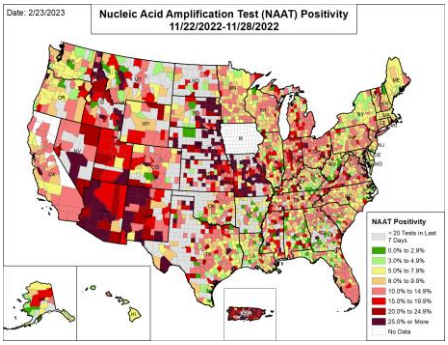

DATA SOURCES

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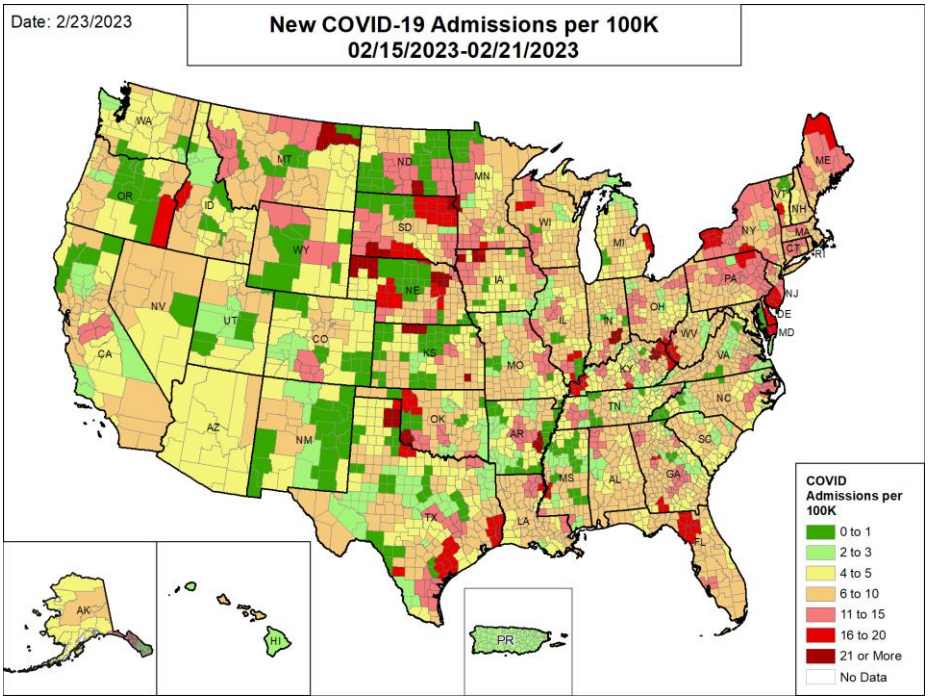
Testing: CELR (COVID-19 Electronic Lab Reporting) state health department-reported data. The term Nucleic Acid Amplification Test (NAAT) includes RT-PCR and other testing methods. Data are through 2/20/2023. The week one month before is from 1/17 to 1/23; the week two months before is from 12/20 to 12/26; the week three months before is from 11/22 to 11/28. As of February 17, 2022, Iowa is no longer reporting negative test results; therefore, test volume and test positivity from this date forward is no longer presented. Due to reporting delays, California, Hawaii, and Texas's test positivity (and test volume) may be incomplete for the last week.

METHODS: Details available on last two pages of report.

National Picture: Hospital Admissions

Confirmed New COVID-19 Admissions per 100,000



National Ranking of Confirmed Admissions Per 100,000

National Rank	State	National Rank	State
1	PR	27	VT
2	NM	28	TX
3	UT	29	IN
4	WA	30	MO
5	NV	31	KY
6	SC	32	GA
7	CO	33	IL
8	AZ	34	FL
9	MS	35	OK
10	VA	36	WI
11	WY	37	ND
12	AR	38	NE
13	AK	39	LA
14	NC	40	OH
15	AL	41	HI
16	TN	42	WV
17	OR	43	NY
18	RI	44	MA
19	MN	45	MT
20	MD	46	PA
21	KS	47	ME
22	NH	48	DC
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Confirmed New COVID-19 Admissions per 100,000 in the Week:

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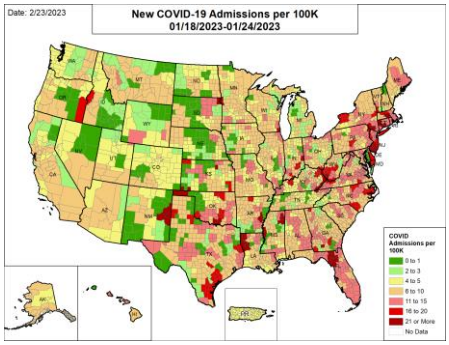

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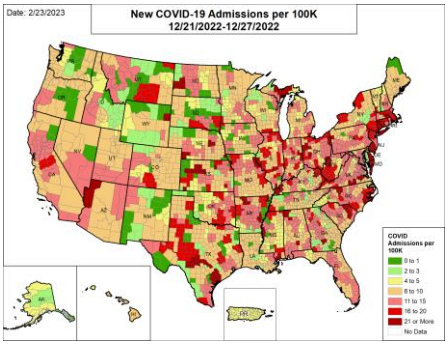

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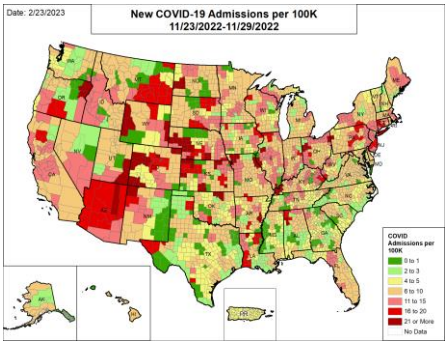


DATA SOURCES

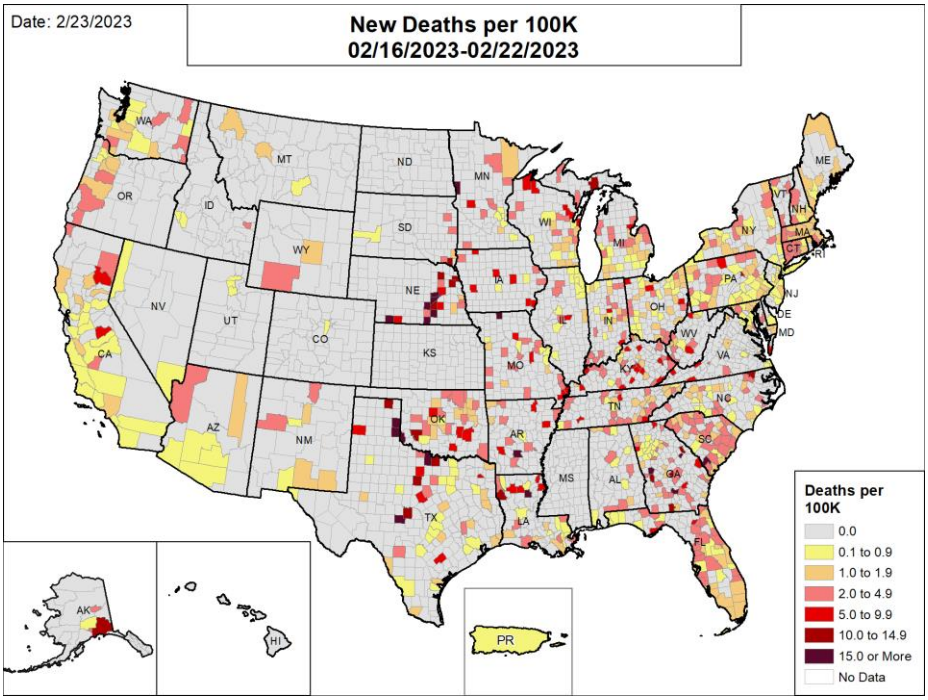
Note: Some dates may have incomplete data due to delays in reporting. Data may be backfilled over time, resulting in week-to-week changes.

Admissions: Unified Hospitals Dataset in HHS Protect through 2/21/2023. Totals include only confirmed COVID-19 admissions. The week one month before is from 1/18 to 1/24; the week two months before is from 12/21 to 12/27; the week three months before is from 11/23 to 11/29. County data is mapped from Health Service Areas, defined as a single county or cluster of counties that are generally self contained with respect to hospital care. Hospitals are assigned to an HSA based on county of location. In some cases, reports are aggregates of multiple facilities that cross HSA boundaries; in these cases, values are assigned based on the county for the aggregate.

METHODS: Details available on last two pages of report.

National Picture: Deaths

New Deaths per 100,000



National Ranking of New Deaths per 100,000

National Rank	State	National Rank	State
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2	CO	28	AR
3	DE	29	IN
4	UT	30	WA
5	DC	31	MD
6	KS	32	RI
7	ID	33	MO
8	NV	34	SD
9	MT	35	VT
10	WY	36	MS
11	IL	37	GA
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20	IA	46	KY
21	CA	47	FL
22	PR	48	MA
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New Deaths per 100,000 in the Week:

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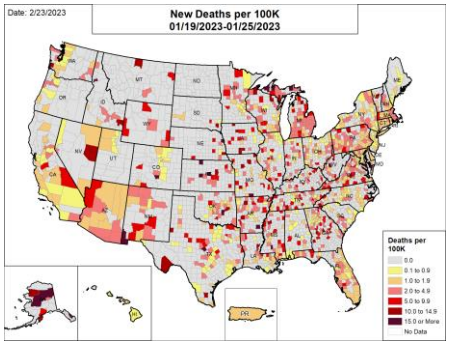

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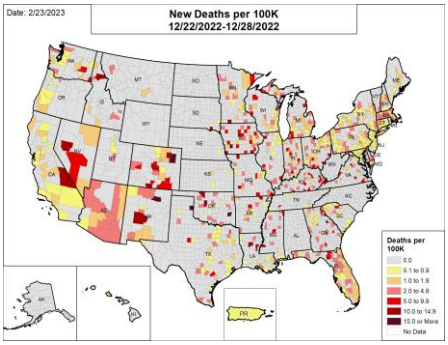

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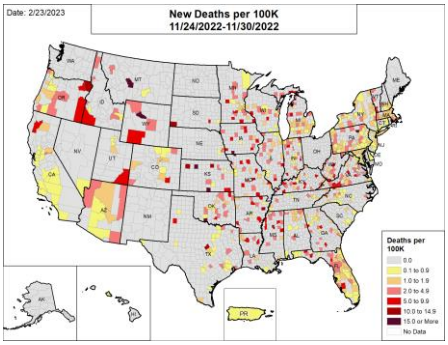

DATA SOURCES

Note: Some dates may have incomplete data due to delays in reporting. Data may be backfilled over time, resulting in week-to-week changes. Some states report deaths by date of death, periodically backfilling from their data by date of report. This can result in under-estimates or fluctuations in the number of deaths reported in the last week.

Deaths: COVID-19 case metrics at the county level are generated using a dataset managed by the CDC which is compiled from state and local health departments; this dataset is updated weekly. State values are aggregated from counties. As of 3/2/2021, Ohio changed their method of reporting COVID-19 deaths and will report deaths on the day of death, not the day of report, which could result in a fluctuation in the number of deaths from recent weeks due to delayed reporting. As of 4/7/2022, North Dakota is no longer reporting county-level deaths; therefore, county-level death counts from this date forward are no longer available. Puerto Rico is shown at the territory level as deaths are not reported at the municipio level. The week one month before is from 1/19 to 1/25; the week two months before is from 12/22 to 12/28; the week three months before is from 11/24 to 11/30. Hawaii did not report new cases or deaths in the last week. Kansas did not report county deaths in the last week. Mississippi did not report county cases or deaths in the last week.

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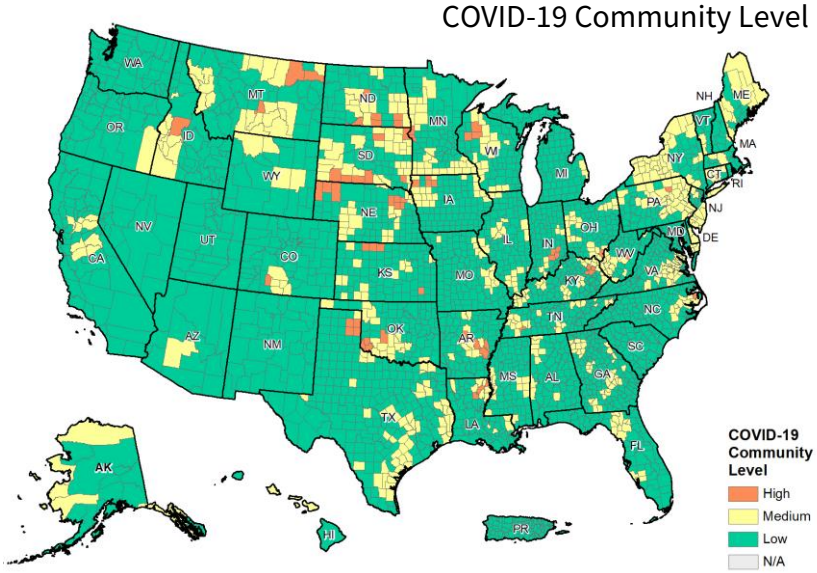
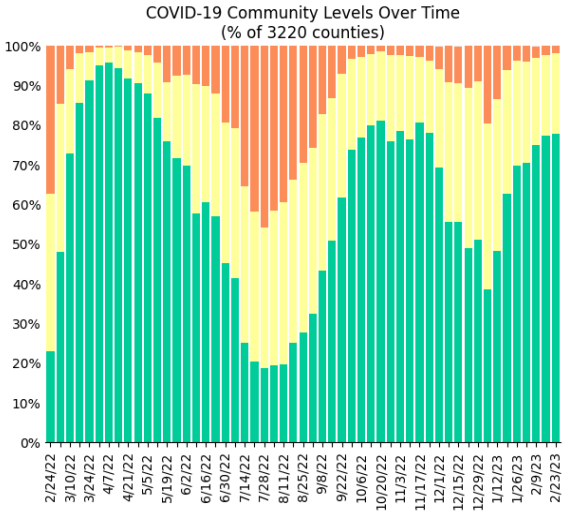
National Picture: COVID-19 Community Level

COVID-19 Community Level by County





Counties by COVID-19 Community Level Component Metrics

<200 Cases per 100K			
Admissions per 100K	**<10.0**	**10.0 to 19.9**	**20.0+**
# of counties (change)	2,501 (↑10)	600 (↑30)	42 (↓5)
% of counties (change)	77.7% (↑0.3%)	18.6% (↑0.9%)	1.3% (↓0.2%)
COVID Inpatient Occupancy	**<10.0%**	**10.0% to 14.9%**	**15.0%+**
# of counties (change)	3,131 (↑33)	12 (↑2)	0 (0)
% of counties (change)	97.2% (↑1.0%)	0.4% (↑0.1%)	0.0% (0.0%)

200+ Cases per 100K		
Admissions per 100K	**<10.0**	**10.0+**
# of counties (change)	53 (↓24)	24 (↓11)
% of counties (change)	1.6% (↓0.7%)	0.7% (↓0.3%)
COVID Inpatient Occupancy	**<10.0%**	**10.0%+**
# of counties (change)	75 (↓37)	2 (↑2)
% of counties (change)	2.3% (↓1.1%)	0.1% (↑0.1%)

Counties by COVID-19 Community Level

Category	Low	Medium	High
# of Counties (Change)	2,498 (↑10)	655 (↑5)	67 (↓15)
% of Counties (Change)	77.6% (↑0.3%)	20.3% (↑0.2%)	2.1% (↓0.5%)

DATA SOURCES
Maps and figures reflect 7-day average of data from 2/16-2/22 (cases), 2/15-2/21 (hospital data).
Note: Most recent days may have incomplete reporting.
Cases: COVID-19 case metrics at the county level are generated using a dataset managed by the CDC which is compiled from state and local health departments; this dataset is updated weekly. Data are through 2/22/2023. Due to reporting issues, Arizona cases in the last week are an overestimate. Hawaii did not report new cases in the last week. Mississippi did not report county cases in the last week. Missouri county cases in the last week may be an underestimate.
Admissions: Unified Hospitals Dataset in HHS Protect. Data are through 2/21/2023.
County Percentages: Based on a denominator of 3,220 county/county-equivalents, including states, the District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico municipios.
COVID-19 Community Levels: COVID-19 Community Level is determined by the higher of the new admissions and inpatient bed metrics, based on the current level of new cases per 100,000 population in the past 7 days. See CDC Community Levels. A county is N/A if hospital data is not available. County data is mapped from Health Service Areas, defined as a single county or cluster of counties that are generally self-contained with respect to hospital care. Previous week levels are computed based on current data.
METHODS: Details available on last two pages of report.

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- **Some dates may have incomplete data due to delays and/or differences in state reporting. Data may be backfilled over time, resulting in week-to-week changes between reports. It is critical that states provide as up-to-date data as possible. Figures and values may also differ from state reports due to differing methodologies. For more information, see CDC COVID Data Tracker.**
- All population values are vintage 2019 US Census data.
- Values presented as rates or percentages are rounded to the number of decimal places shown. Low rates may round to zero (0, 0.0, 0%, 0.0%) even when actual values are greater than zero.
- **Cases and Deaths:** COVID-19 case and death metrics at the county level are generated using a dataset managed by the CDC which is compiled from state and local health departments; this dataset is updated weekly. State values are aggregated from counties. Cases and deaths are generally shown by date of report. Some states periodically adjust their past data with CDC to show it by case date and death date, as determined by the state. Between adjustments, new cases and deaths continue to be shown by date of report. This can potentially lead to over-estimates of the week-on-week increases in cases or deaths. As of October 25, 2021, CDC no longer spreads aggregate COVID-19 case and death counts evenly over non-reporting days (i.e., smoothing), to avoid under-reporting of weekend averages. As of October 20, 2022, CDC transitioned the reporting cadence of COVID-19 aggregate case and death data for jurisdictions and counties from a daily cadence to a weekly cadence. As a result of this reporting change, all charts, graphs, and tables that source data from COVID-19 aggregate case and death data will be updated once a week. For additional guidance, please consult the FAQs addressing this reporting cadence change on the CDC website.
    - As of 3/2/2021, Ohio changed their method of reporting COVID-19 deaths and will report deaths on the day of death, not the day of report, which could result in a fluctuation in the number of deaths from recent weeks due to delayed reporting.
    - As of 4/7/2022, North Dakota is no longer reporting county-level deaths; therefore, county-level death counts from this date forward are no longer available.
    - Puerto Rico deaths are shown at the territory level as these are not reported at the municipio level.
    - Due to reporting issues, Arizona cases in the last week are an overestimate.
    - Hawaii did not report new cases or deaths in the last week.
    - Kansas did not report county deaths in the last week.
    - Mississippi did not report county cases or deaths in the last week.
    - Missouri county cases in the last week may be an underestimate.
    - Historical reports of cases and deaths — for which backfill dates are not available — that exceed 1% of the total new cases or deaths reported in the US that day have been excluded from state daily and weekly trends. However, these are still present in county-level data. Historical reports in the last two weeks (2/9/23 – 2/22/23) are:
        - Arizona cases: 24,976 on 2/22
        - Georgia cases: 6,800 on 2/22
        - Virginia deaths: 62 on 2/14
- **Testing:** The data presented represent viral COVID-19 laboratory diagnostic and screening test results — not individual people — and exclude antibody and antigen tests, unless stated otherwise. The term Nucleic Acid Amplification Test (NAAT) includes RT-PCR and other testing methods, which were always included in the testing data. CELR (COVID-19 Electronic Lab Reporting) state health department-reported data are used to describe county-level viral COVID-19 NAAT result totals when information is available on patients' county of residence or healthcare providers' practice location. Because the data are deidentified, total NAATs are the number of tests performed, not the number of individuals tested. NAAT positivity rate is the number of positive tests divided by the number of tests performed and resulted. For test positivity, last week data are from 2/14 to 2/20; previous week data are from 2/7 to 2/13; the week one month before data are from 1/17 to 1/23. For number of tests, last week data are from 2/10 to 2/16; previous week data are from 2/3 to 2/9. HHS Protect data are recent as of 10:05 EST on 02/23/2023. Testing data are inclusive of everything received and processed by the CELR system as of 19:00 EST on 02/22/2023.
    - As of February 17, 2022, Iowa is no longer reporting negative test results; therefore, test volume and test positivity from this date forward is no longer presented.
    - Due to reporting delays, California, Hawaii, and Texas's test positivity (and test volume) may be incomplete for the last week.
- **Hospitalizations:** Unified Hospitals Dataset in HHS Protect. These data exclude psychiatric, rehabilitation, and religious non-medical hospitals. In addition, hospitals explicitly identified by states/regions as those from which we should not expect reports were excluded from the percent reporting figure. The data presented represents raw data provided; we are working diligently with state liaisons to improve reporting consistency. Inpatient and ICU utilization is shown as a weekly rate; the weekly average of beds occupied is divided by the weekly average of total beds available. Data are recent as of 10:28 EST on 02/23/2023.
- **Shortages:** Unified Hospitals Dataset in HHS Protect. These data exclude psychiatric, rehabilitation, and religious non-medical hospitals. Low supply is defined as a hospital reporting they are not able to maintain a 3-day supply of N95s, face masks, gloves, gowns, or eye protection. Data are recent as of 10:34 EST on 02/23/2023.
- **COVID-19 Community Levels**
    - **High:** Those counties that during the last week reported 200 or more cases per 100,000 population with either a percentage of staffed inpatient beds occupied by COVID-19 patients (7-day average) at or above 10.0% or 10.0 or more admissions per 100,000 population (7-day total); or fewer than 200 cases per 100,000 population with either a percentage of staffed inpatient beds occupied by COVID-19 patients (7-day average) at or above 15.0% or 20.0 or more admissions per 100,000 population (7-day total).
    - **Medium:** Those counties that during the last week reported 200 or more cases per 100,000 population with a percentage of staffed inpatient beds occupied by COVID-19 patients (7-day average) below 10.0% and fewer than 10.0 admissions per 100,000 population (7-day total); or fewer than 200 cases per 100,000 population with a percentage of staffed inpatient beds occupied by COVID-19 patients (7-day average) between 10.0% and 14.9% and between 10.0 and 19.9 admissions per 100,000 population (7-day total).
    - **Low:** Those counties that during the last week reported fewer than 200 cases per 100,000 population with a percentage of staffed inpatient beds occupied by COVID-19 patients (7-day average) below 10.0% and fewer than 10.0 admissions per 100,000 population.
    - **N/A:** A county is N/A if hospital data is not available.
    - If the indicators suggest different levels, the higher level is selected. Previous week levels are computed based on current data. See CDC Community Levels.
- **Vaccinations:** CDC COVID Data Tracker. Data includes the Moderna, Pfizer BioNTech, J&J/Janssen, and Novavax COVID-19 vaccines. Data last updated 04:00 EST on 02/22/2023. Persons who have completed their primary series include those who have received both doses of the Moderna, Pfizer-BioNTech, or Novavax vaccine as well as those who have received one dose of the J&J/Janssen vaccine. Counts of first and second booster doses may include updated (bivalent) booster doses. COVID-19 vaccines and updated (bivalent) booster doses are available in the U.S. for persons 6 months of age and older. Population denominators reflect the subset of the population of the corresponding age range when specified (e.g., 12+, 12-17, 18+, or 65+), otherwise the total population is used. The count of people who received a booster dose includes anyone who has completed their primary series and has received another dose of COVID-19 vaccine since August 13, 2021. This includes people who received booster doses, including the updated (bivalent) booster dose, and people who received additional doses. CDC has capped the percent of population vaccination coverage metrics at 95.0%. These metrics could be greater than 95.0% for multiple reasons, including census denominator data not including all individuals that currently reside in the county (e.g., part time residents) or potential data reporting errors. The following states have ≤80% completeness reporting vaccinations by county, which may result in underestimates of vaccination data for counties: VA (78%), GU (76%), VT (73%), and HI (0%).
- **Variants:** Data from CDC COVID Data Tracker. Variant proportions are based on representative CDC sequence data (NS3 + CDC-funded contract sequencing) collected over a 4-week period ending January 28, 2023. For Omicron sequence surveillance at the state level, BA.2 includes all BA.2 sublineages except BA.2.12.1, and BA.4 and BA.5 each include all of their respective sublineages; and all other BA sublineages are aggregated with B.1.1.529. Proportions are calculated using empirical (unweighted) data, which are subject to change over time and will be updated as more data become available. Proportions of variants do not represent the total number that may be circulating in the United States and may not match cases reported by states, territories, tribes, and local officials. For states and jurisdictions not listed, CDC has insufficient genomic surveillance data for the specified time period. Data pulled 11:04 EST on 02/23/2023.

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Color threshold values are rounded before color classification

Metric	Dark Green	Light Green	Yellow	Orange	Light Red	Red	Dark Red	Darkest Red
New cases per 100,000 population per week	≤ 4	5 – 9	10 – 49	50 – 99	100 – 199	200 – 499	500 – 749	≥ 750
Percent change in new cases per 100,000 population	≤ -26%	-25% – -11%	-10% – 0%	1% – 10%	11% – 99%	100% – 999%	≥ 1000%	
Diagnostic test result positivity rate	≤ 2.9%	3.0% – 4.9%	5.0% – 7.9%	8.0% – 9.9%	10.0% – 14.9%	15.0% – 19.9%	20.0% – 24.9%	≥ 25.0%
Change in test positivity	≤ -2.1%	-2.0% – -0.6%	-0.5% – 0.0%	0.1% – 0.5%	0.6% – 2.0%		≥ 2.1%	
Total diagnostic tests resulted per 100,000 population per week	≥ 5000	3000 – 4999	2000 – 2999	1000 – 1999	500 – 999		≤ 499	
Percent change in tests per 100,000 population	≥ 26%	11% – 25%	1% – 10%	-10% – 0%	-25% – -11%		≤ -26%	
COVID-19 deaths per 100,000 population per week	0.0		0.1 – 0.9	1.0 – 1.9	2.0 – 4.9	5.0 – 9.9	10.0 – 14.9	≥ 15.0
Percent change in deaths per 100,000 population	≤ -26%	-25% – -11%	-10% – 0%	1% – 10%	11% – 25%		≥ 26%	
Confirmed new COVID-19 hospital admissions per 100,000 population per week	≤ 1.9	2.0 – 4.9	5.0 – 9.9	10.0 – 19.9	20.0 – 29.9		≥ 30.0	
Change in new COVID-19 hospital admissions per 100,000 population per week	≤ -26%	-25% – -11%	-10% – 0%	1% – 10%	11% – 25%		≥ 26%	
Percent of staffed inpatient beds occupied by COVID-19 per week	≤ 3%	4% – 7%	8% – 12%	13% – 15%	16% – 20%		≥ 21%	
Change in percent of staffed inpatient beds occupied by COVID-19	≤ -2%	-1%	0%	1%	2%		≥ 3%	
Percent of hospitals with supply shortages	≤ 9%		10% – 19%	20% – 29%	30% – 39%		≥ 40%	
Change in percent of hospitals with supply shortages	≤ -10%	-9% – -5%	-4% – 0%	1% – 4%	5% – 9%		≥ 10%	
Percent of Population Fully Vaccinated (State Level)	≤ 49.9%		50.0% – 59.9%	60.0% – 69.9%		70.0% – 79.9%		≥ 80.0%