## Weekly Covid-19 Data Digest



**January 6, 2023** 

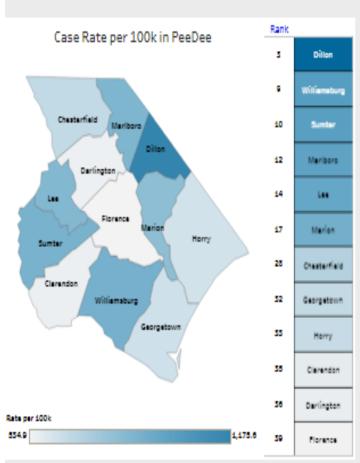
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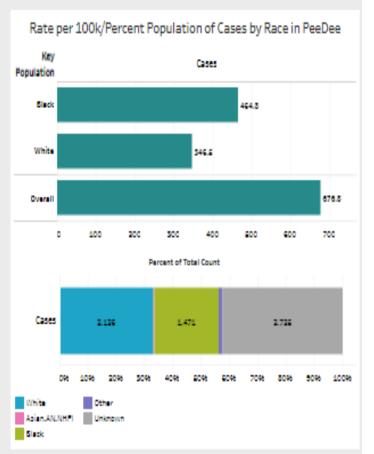
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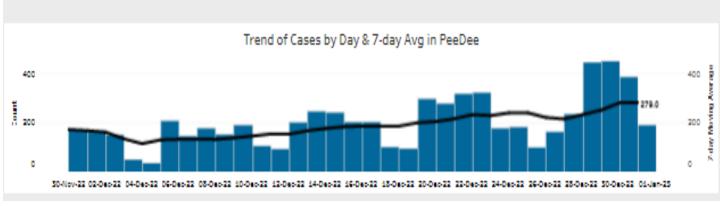
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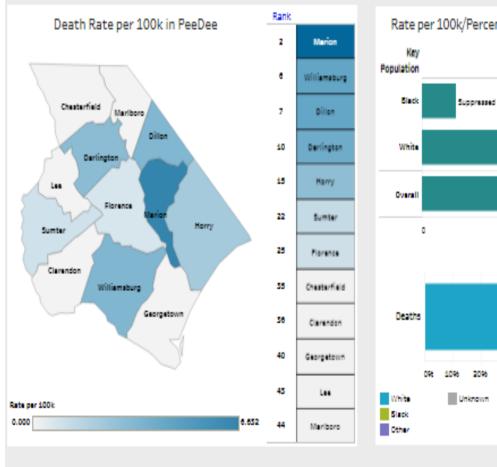


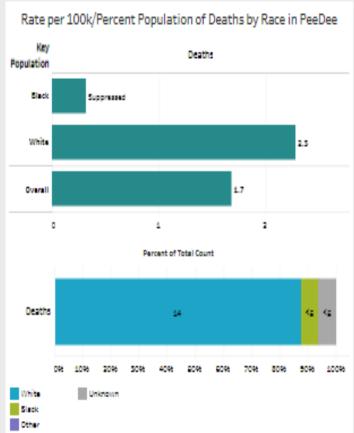


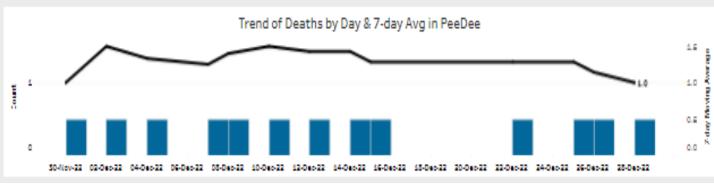


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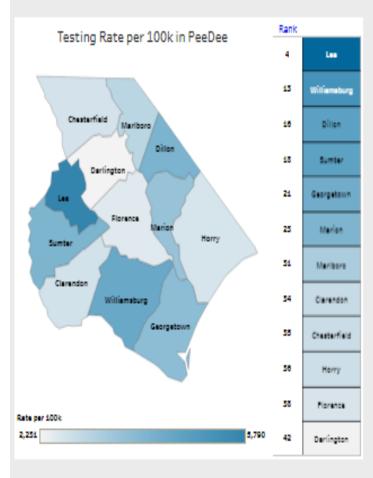


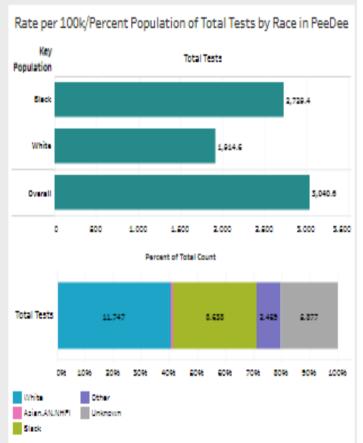


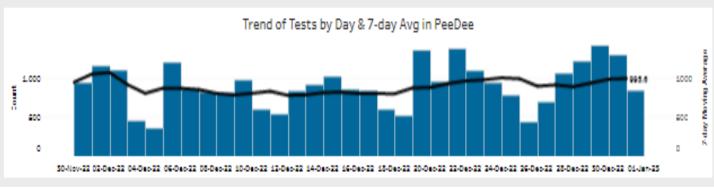


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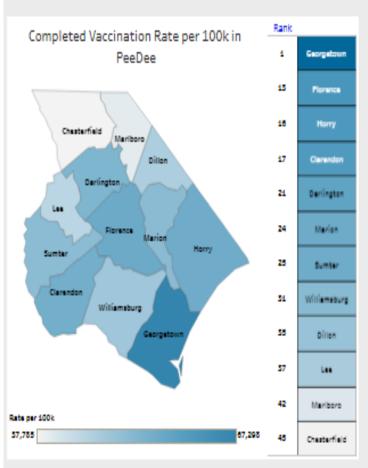




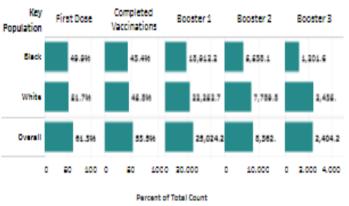


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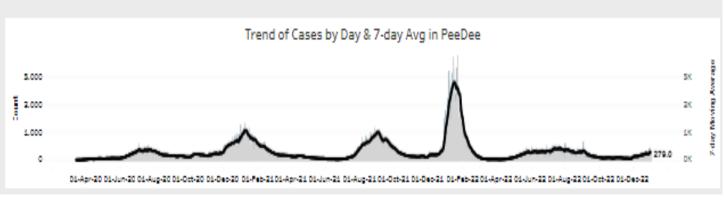
Percent Positivity	Total Tests	Cases	Deaths	Completed Vaccinations
12.8%	2,972,468	313,941	3,974	508,987



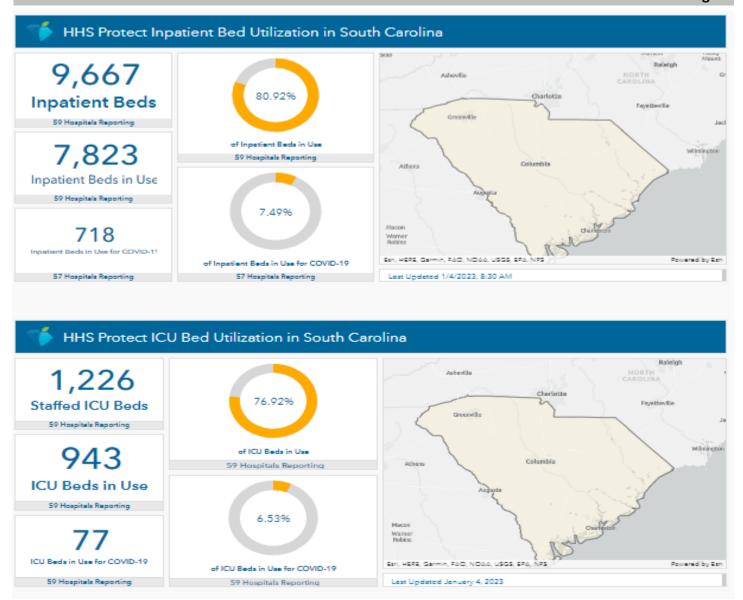
Rate per 100k/Percent Population of First Dose, Completed Vaccinations, Booster 1 and 2 more by Race in PeeDee



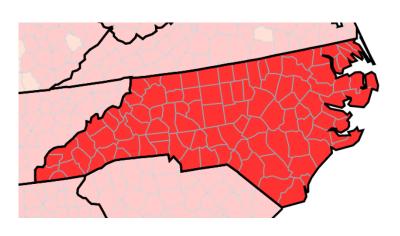


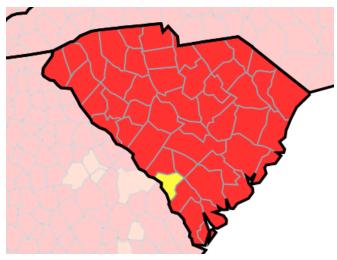


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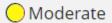
#### **CDC Transmission Rates**



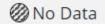














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#### **South Carolina**

#### State Synopsis

New COVID-19 Cases per 100,000 Nucleic Acid Amplification Test (NAAT) positivity rate New Confirmed COVID-19 Hospital Admissions per 100,000 New COVID-19 Deaths per 100,000

	Previous Week		
206	+7%		
24.8%	+3.4%		
16.7	+28%		
0.3	-35%		

Last Week

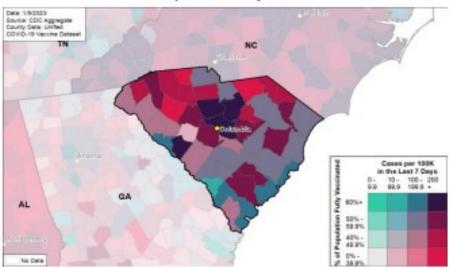
#### COVID-19 Vaccinations

Total with completed primary series	3,075,003 people	59.7% of total pop
<5 years with at least one dose	13,439 people	4.6% of <5 pop.
5+ years with completed primary series	3,067,042 people	63.2% of 5+ pop.
5+ years with an updated (bivalent) booster dose	516,565 people	10.6% of 5+ pop.
65+ years with an updated (bivalent) booster dose	288,213 people	30.8% of 65+ pop.

#### SARS-CoV-2 Variants of Concern

In the 4 weeks ending 12/10/2022, the following proportions of variants of concern were identified in South Carolina: Omicron: BA.4.6, 4.8%; BA.5, 23.9%; BA.5.2.6, 2.3%; BA.2.75, 1.7%; BF.7, 11.4%; BF.11, 2.6%; BQ.1, 20.4%; BQ.1.1, 26.8%; BN.1, 3.3%; XBB, 1.0%; XBB.1.5, 1.3%

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



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 date 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://www.cdc.gov/dcz/ContactUz/Form.



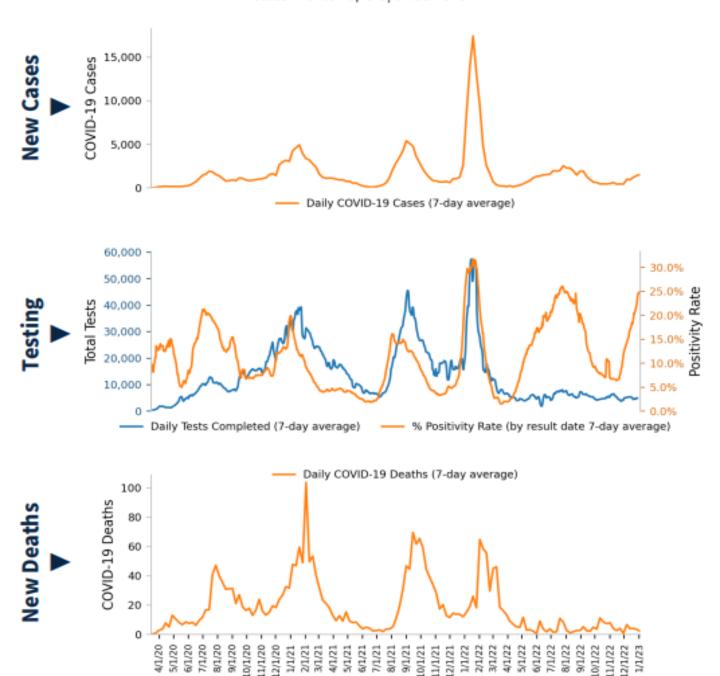
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	State	State, % change from previous week	FEMA/HHS Region	United States
New COVID-19 Cases	10,590	+7%	125,827	470,699
(rate per 100,000)	(206)		(188)	(142)
Nucleic Acid Amplification Test (NAAT) Positivity Rate	24.8%	+3.4%*	20.2%	16.0%
Total NAAT Volume †	34,233	+9%	358,578	1,900,560
(tests per 100,000)	(665)		(536)	(572)
New COVID-19 Deaths	15	-35%	400	2,731
(rate per 100,000)	(0.3)		(0.6)	(0.8)
Confirmed new COVID-19 Hospital	858	+28%	9,919	45,316
Admissions (rate per 100,000)	(16.7)		(14.8)	(13.6)
COVID-19 Inpatient Occupancy	7%	+2%*	5%	6%
Hospitals With Supply	5	-17%	29	228
Shortages (%)	(7%)		(3%)	(4%)
<5 years first dose	260	+519.0%	1,260	16,439
(% of population)	(0.09%)		(0.03%)	(0.08%)
<5 years with a completed primary series (% of population)	95 (0.03%)	N/A	772 (0.02%)	8,445 (0.04%)
5+ years first dose	2,693	+182.9%	26,634	165,426
(% of population)	(0.06%)		(0.04%)	(0.05%)
5+ years with a completed primary series (% of population)	2,080 (0.04%)	+151.2%	19,308 (0.03%)	105,075 (0.03%)
5+ years first booster dose	4,009	+309.9%	24,975	198,940
5+ years updated (bivalent)	19,908	+336.1%	109,883	1,083,487
booster dose (% of population)	(0.41%)		(0.17%)	(0.35%)
12+ years second booster dose	8,832	+370.5%	43,953	497,239
65+ years updated (bivalent)	8,422	+295.8%	40,706	328,836
booster dose (% of population)	(0.90%)		(0.34%)	(0.60%)

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#### DATA SOURCES

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 1/2/2023. Test volume through 12/29/2022. METHODS: Details available on last two pages of report.

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#### State Vaccination Summary

13,556,565 Doses Delivered 263,300 per 100k

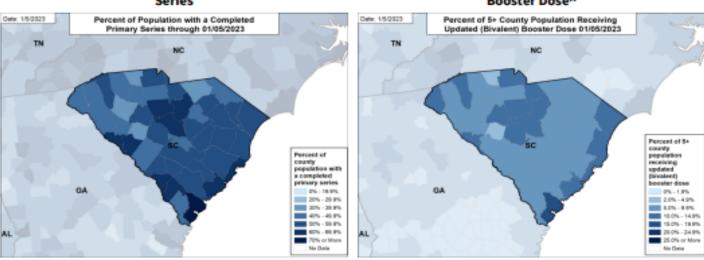
Doses Administered

8,546,321 165,989 per 100k

Age Group	At Least One Dose	Completed Primary Series	Booster Dose†	Second Booster Dose‡	Updated (Bivalent) Booster Dose^
Total	3,644,921	3,075,003	1,368,980	481,041	516,565
	(70.8%)	(59.7%)	(44.5%)	(35.1%)	(10.0%)
<5 years	13,439 (4.6%)	5,521 (1.9%)	N/A	N/A	N/A
5-11 years	112,052 (25.7%)	89,221 (20.5%)	13,787 (15.5%)	N/A	5,877 (1.3%)
12-17 years	212,312	179,025	41,377	5,453	11,065
	(55.5%)	(46.8%)	(23.1%)	(13.2%)	(2.9%)
18+ years	3,303,205	2,798,796	1,313,673	474,297	499,623
	(81.8%)	(69.3%)	(46.9%)	(36.1%)	(12.4%)
65+ years	991,425	857,432	588,447	293,379	288,213
	(95.0%)	(91.5%)	(68.6%)	(49.9%)	(30.8%)

#### Percent of Population with a Completed Primary Series

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



County reporting completeness for South Carolina is 93.0%.

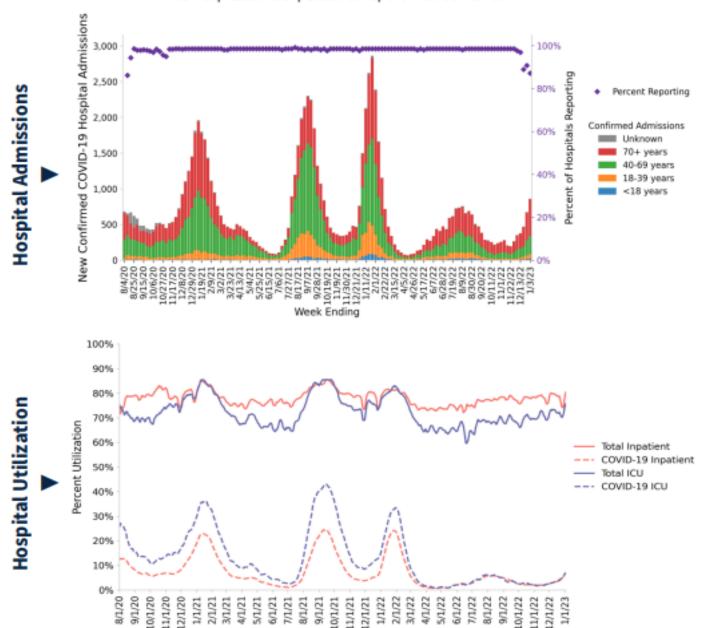
- † Booster dose percentages are a proportion of the respective population that has completed a primary series. ‡ Second booster dose percentages are a proportion of the respective population that has one booster. ^ Updated (bivalent) booster dose percentages are a proportion of the respective total population.

🔔 Data last updated 04:00 EST on 01/04/2023. 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.

METHODS: Details available on last two pages of report.

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68 hospitals are expected to report in South Carolina



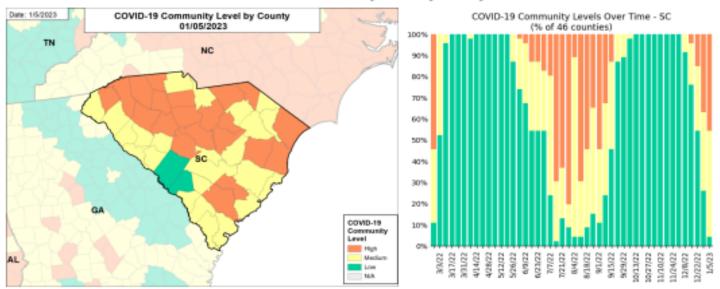
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Hospitalizations: Unified Hospitals Dataset in HHS Protect. These data exclude psychiatric, rehabilitation, and religious non-medical hospitals. Hospitals explicitly identified by states/regions as those from which we should not expect reports were 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 1/3/2023.



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#### COVID-19 Community Level by county



Counties by COVID-19 Community Level							
Category Low Medium High							
# of Counties (change) 2 (+10) 23 (+6) 21 (+4)							

Low Counties: Aiken, Barnwell

Medium Counties: Abbeville, Allendale, Anderson, Bamberg, Beaufort, Berkeley, Calhoun, Charleston, Clarendon, Darlington, Dillon, Edgefield, Florence, Greenwood, Hampton, Jasper, Lancaster, Marion, McCormick, Oconee, Orangeburg, Saluda, York

High Counties: Cherokee, Chester, Chesterfield, Colleton, Dorchester, Fairfield, Georgetown, Greenville, Horry, Kershaw, Laurens, Lee, Lexington, Marlboro, Newberry, Pickens, Richland, Spartanburg, Sumter, Union, Williamsburg

#### DATA SOURCES

Maps and figures reflect 7-day average of data from 12/29-1/4 (cases), 12/28-1/3 (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 1/4/2023.

Admissions: Unified Hospitals Dataset in HHS Protect. Data are through 1/3/2023.

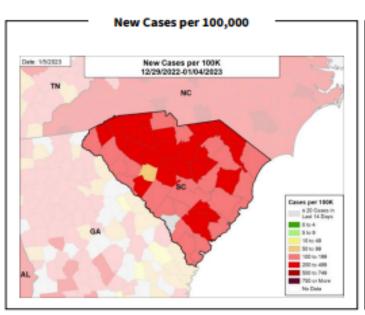
COVID-19 Community Levels: COVID-19 Community Level is determined by the higher of the new admissions and inpatient bed metrics, based on the current level of new cases per 100,000 population in the past 7 days. See <a href="CDC Community Levels">CDC Community Levels</a>. A county is N/A if hospital 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.

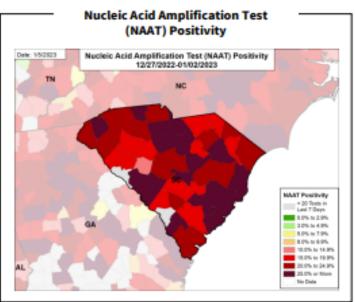
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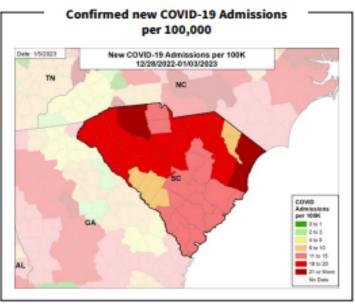
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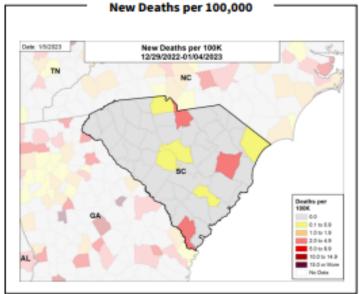
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#### Case Rates, NAAT Positivity, Hospital Admissions, and Death Rates









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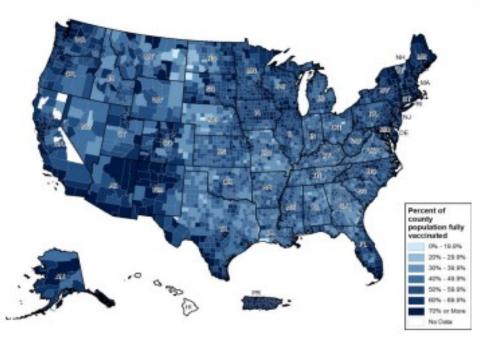
Hospitalizations: Unified Hospitals Dataset in HHS Protect. Totals include only confirmed COVID-19 admissions. County data is mapped from defined as a single county or cluster of counties that are generally self contained with respect to hospital care. Hospitals are assigned to an HSA based on county 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 1/3/2023. METHODS: Details available on last two pages of report.



#### **National Picture: Vaccinations**

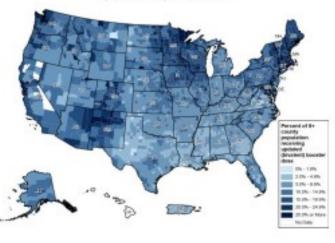
Percent of Population with a Completed Primary Series

National Ranking of Population with a Completed Primary Series

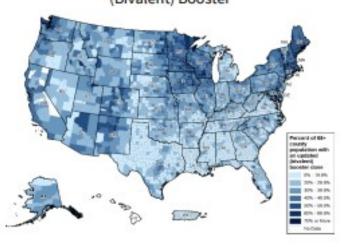


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	RI	27	NE
2	PR	28	SD
3	DC	29	AZ
4	VT	30	KS
	MA	31	AK
6	ME	32	IA
	CT	33	NV.
8	HI	34	TX
9	NY	35	MI
10	MD	36	OH
11	NJ	37	OK.
12	VA	38	SC
13	WA	39	WV
14	NM	40	KY
15	CA	41	MT
16	CO	42	MO
17	DE	43	ND
18	PA	44	IN
19	OR	45	GA
20	MN	46	AR
21	NH	47	ID
22	IL.	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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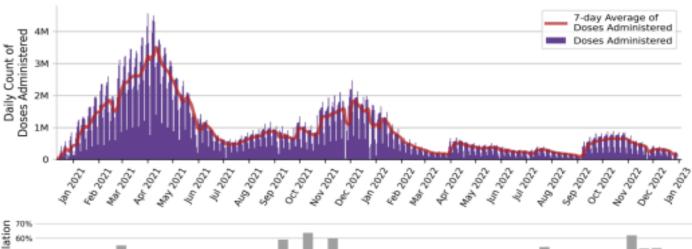
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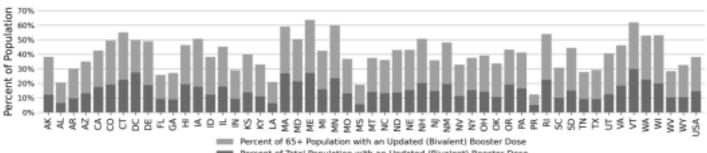
#### **National Picture: Vaccinations**

National COVID-19 Vaccine Summary as of 01/04

	Doses Delivered	942,343,115 283,831 per 100k	Doses Administe	rod	65,076,272 319 per 100k
Age Group	At Least One Dose	Completed Primary Series	Booster Dose†	2nd Booster Dose‡	Updated (Bivalent) Booster Dose^
Total	268,546,218	229,254,623	116,264,682	45,247,132	48,229,842
	(80.9%)	(69.1%)	(50.7%)	(38.9%)	(14.5%)
<5 years	1,726,051 (8.7%)	850,187 (4.3%)	N/A	N/A	N/A
5-11 years	11,345,632 (39.5%)	9,313,750 (32.4%)	2,058,028 (22.1%)	N/A	978,033 (3.4%)
12-17 years	18,152,367	15,550,237	5,033,120	954,621	1,578,073
	(71.7%)	(61.5%)	(32.4%)	(19.0%)	(6.2%)
18+ years	237,131,660	203,431,286	109,164,883	43,958,358	45,673,736
	(91.8%)	(78.8%)	(53.7%)	(40.3%)	(17.7%)
65+ years	58,664,118	51,545,280	37,764,201	21,963,219	20,891,398
	(95.0%)	(94.1%)	(73.3%)	(58.2%)	(38.1%)

#### Daily National Count of Vaccine Doses Administered by Date of Administration

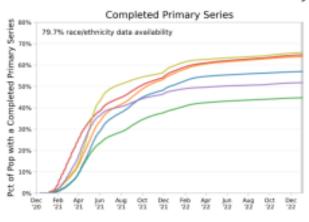


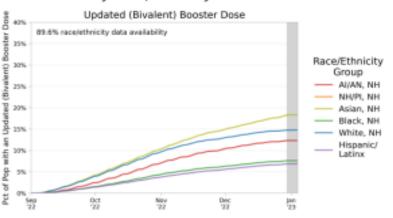


#### Percent of Total Population with an Updated (Bivalent) Booster Dose

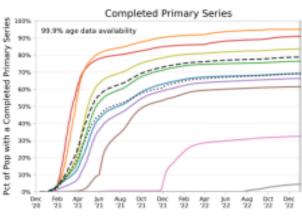
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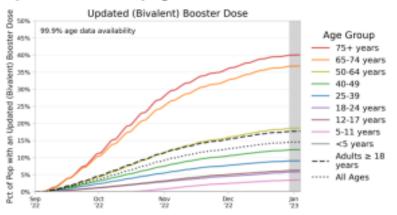
#### National Summary of Vaccinations by Race/Ethnicity

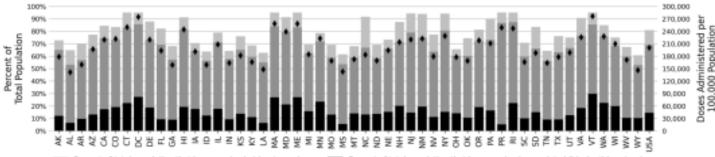




#### National Summary of Vaccinations by Age







- Percent of total population that have received at least one dose
  Percent of total population with a completed primary series
- Percent of total population that have received an updated (bivalent) booster dose
   Number of doses administered per 100,000 population

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Vaccinations: GDC COVID Data Tracker. Data includes the Moderna, Pfizer BioNTech, J&J/Janssen, and Novavax COVID-19 vaccines. Data last updated 04:00 EST on 01/04/2023. 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. Rece/Ethnicity data were available for 79.7% with a completed primary series and 89.6% 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, "Al/AN" stands for American Indian or Alaska Native, and "NH/PI" stands for Native Hawaiian or Pacific Islander.



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#### **National Picture: Cases**

#### New Cases per 100,000

## Date: 1/5/2023 New Cases per 100K 12/29/2022-01/04/2023 Cases per 100K ### 20 Cases in Last ## Days ### 0 to 4 ### 0 to

#### National Ranking of New Cases per 100,000

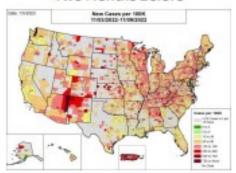
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2	AK	28	MO
3	WY	29	PA
4	SD	30	DE
5	ID	31	GA
6	OR	32	NH
7	VT	33	MD
8	ND	34	TX
9	IA.	35	AR
10	CO	36	IL.
11	WA	37	CA
12	UT	38	VA
13	NE	39	OK
14	DC	40	LA
15	ME	41	CT
16	MN	42	TN
17	MT	43	MA
18	NM	44	WV
19	AZ	45	MS
20	HI	46	RI
21	KS	47	SC
22	MI	48	NY
23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

#### New Cases per 100,000 in the Week:

#### One Month Before



#### Two Months Before



#### Three Months Before



#### **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 12/1 to 12/7; the week two months before is from 11/3 to 11/9; the week three months before is from 10/6 to 10/12. Due to a reporting cadence issue, Alabama's cases in the last week at the county level include two weeks of data and are therefore overestimates. Due to technical issues, Colorado did not update cases in the last week at the county level. Due to a technical issue, Nevada's cases in the last week are reported as zero. Due to a reporting cadence issue, North Carolina's cases in the last week include two weeks of data and are therefore overestimates.

METHODS: Details available on last two pages of report.



#### **National Picture: NAAT Positivity**

#### Nucleic Acid Amplification Test (NAAT) Positivity

# Date: 1/5/2023 Nucleic Acid Amplification Test (NAAT) Positivity 12/27/2022-01/02/2023 NAAT Positivity - 20 Tests in Last T Days - 20 Tests in Last T Days - 10.0% to 2.0% - 3.0% to 4.0% - 10.0% to 1.0% -

#### National Ranking of NAAT Positivity

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

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

#### One Month Before



#### Two Months Before



#### Three Months Before



#### **DATA SOURCES**

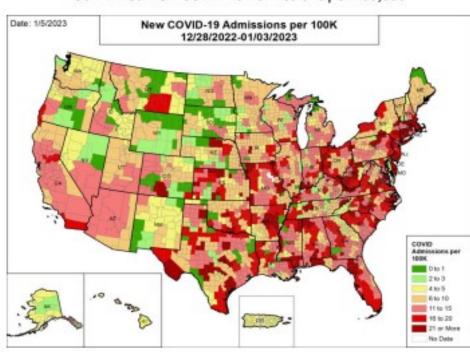
Note: Some dates may have incomplete data due to delays in reporting. Data may be backfilled over time, resulting in week-to-week changes.

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 1/2/2023. The week one month before is from 11/29 to 12/5; the week two months before is from 11/1 to 11/7; the week three months before is from 10/4 to 10/10. As of February 17, 2022, lowa 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's test positivity (and test volume) may be incomplete for the last week.



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

#### Confirmed New COVID-19 Admissions per 100,000 in the Week:

#### One Month Before



#### Two Months Before



#### Three Months Before



#### **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 1/3/2023. Totals include only confirmed COVID-19 admissions. The week one month before is from 11/30 to 12/6; the week two months before is from 11/2 to 11/8; the week three months before is from 10/5 to 10/11. 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

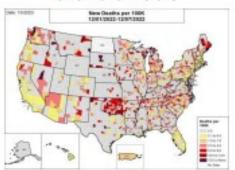
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#### National Ranking of New Deaths per 100,000

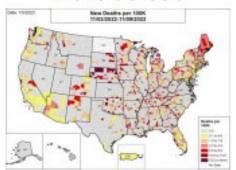
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21	TN	47	OR		
22	OK	48	NY		
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24	ND	50	NM		
25	SD	51	NE		
26	NC	52	MA		

#### New Deaths per 100,000 in the Week:

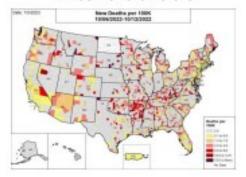
#### One Month Before



#### Two Months Before



#### Three Months Before



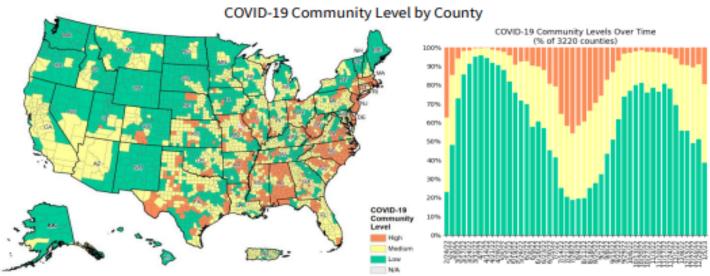
#### DATA SOURCES

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, Chio changed their method of reporting COVID-39 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 exent weeks due to delayed reporting. As of 4/1/2022, 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 12/1 to 12/1; the week two months before is from 11/3 to 11/9; the week three months before is from 10/6 to 10/12. Due to a reporting cadence issue, Alabama's deaths in the last week at the county level include two weeks of data and are therefore overestimates. Due to be choical issues, Colorado did not update deaths in the last week at the county level. Due to the removal of probable deaths at the county level on their COVID-19 Dashboard, Indiana is reporting no new deaths and are therefore overestimates.

COVID-19

#### **National Picture: COVID-19 Community Level**



Counties by	COVID-19 Community L	evel Component Metri	cs		
	<200 Cases per 10	00K			
Admissions per 100K	<10.0	10.0 to 19.9	20.0+		
# of counties (change)	# of counties (change) 1,254 (+398)		261 (+127)		
% of counties (change)	% of counties (change) 38.9% (+12.4%)		8.1% (+3.9%)		
COVID Inpatient Occupancy <10.0%		10.0% to 14.9%	15.0%+		
# of counties (change)	# of counties (change) 2,599 (+269)		7 (+3)		
% of counties (change)	80.7% (48.4%)	2.0% (+0.7%)	0.2% (+0.1%)		
	200+ Cases per 10	OOK			
Admissions per 100K		<10.0	10.0+		
# of counties (change)		185 (+27)	363 (+215)		
% of counties (change)		5.7% (+0.8%)	11.3% (+6.7%)		
COVID Inpatient Occupancy		<10.0%	10.0%+		
# of counties (change)		530 (+231)	18 (+11)		
% of counties (change)		16.5% (+7.2%)	0.6% (+0.3%)		

Count	ies by	COVIE	)-19 (	Communi	ty	Level
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Category	Low	Medium	High
# of Counties (Change)	1,238 (+400)	1,351 (+58)	628 (+342)
% of Counties (Change)	38.4% (+12.4%)	42.0% (+1.8%)	19.5% (+10.6%)

#### DATA SOURCES

Maps and figures reflect 7-day average of data from 12/29-1/4 (cases), 12/28-1/3 (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 1/4/2023. Due to a reporting cadence issue, Alabama's cases in the last week at the county level include two weeks of data and are therefore overestimates. Due to technical issues, Colorado did not update cases in the last week at the county level. Due to a technical issue, Nevada's cases in the last week are reported as zero. Due to a reporting cadence issue, North Carolina's cases in the last week include two weeks of data and are therefore overestimates.

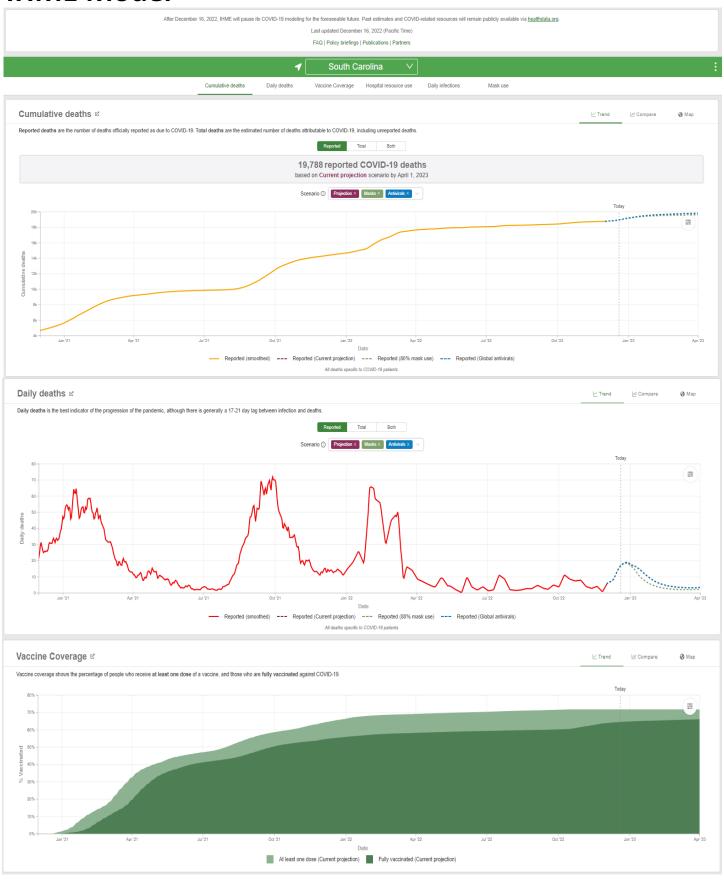
Admissions: Unified Hospitals Dataset in HHS Protect. Data are through 1/3/2023.

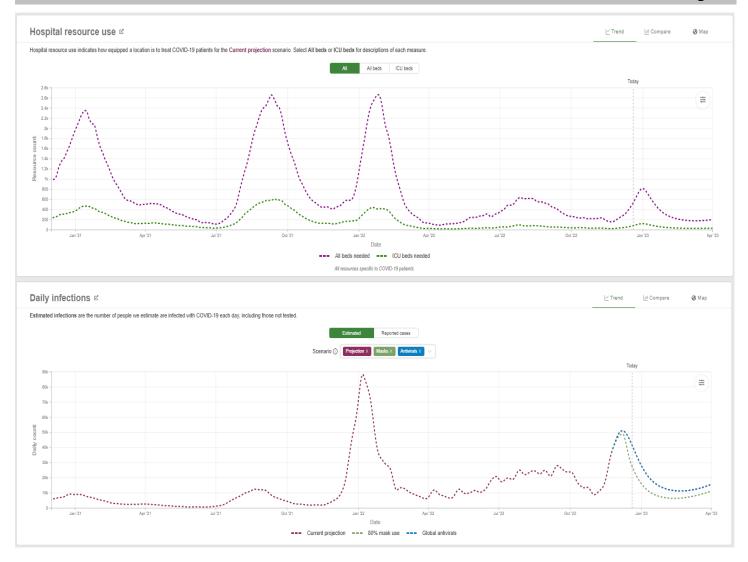
County Percentages: Based on a denominator of 3,220 county/county-equivalents, including states, the District of Columbia, and Puerto Rico municipios.

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 <u>CDC Community Levels</u>. 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.

#### **IHME Model**





#### Resources

CDC: https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-nCoV/index.html

DHEC: https://www.dhec.sc.gov/infectious-diseases/viruses/coronavirus-disease-2019-covid-19

Covid19-Projections Model: https://covid19-projections.com/

Covid Act Now: <a href="https://www.covidactnow.org/?s=962191">https://www.covidactnow.org/?s=962191</a>

Harvard Global Health Institute: <a href="https://globalhealth.harvard.edu/key-metrics-for-covid-suppression-researchers-and-public-">https://globalhealth.harvard.edu/key-metrics-for-covid-suppression-researchers-and-public-</a>

health-experts-unite-to-bring-clarity-to-key-metrics-guiding-coronavirus-response/

IHME Model: <a href="https://covid19.healthdata.org/united-states-of-america?view=total-deaths&tab=trend">https://covid19.healthdata.org/united-states-of-america?view=total-deaths&tab=trend</a>

EPIFORECASTS: https://epiforecasts.io/covid/posts/national/united-states/