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General Information

- ▶ Mississippi COVID-19 Hotline (7 days a week, 7 a.m.–7 p.m.): [877-978-6453](tel:877-978-6453)
- ▶ Homebound persons: For assistance with COVID-19 vaccination, send e-mail to COVIDHomebound@msdh.ms.gov
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COVID-19 in Mississippi

New Cases and Deaths as of July 6

NEW CASES

379

New COVID-19 positive test results reported to MSDH as of 3 p.m. yesterday.

TOTAL MISSISSIPPI CASES

323,214

▶ [Totals by county](#)

NEW DEATHS

11

New COVID-19 related deaths identified by MSDH as of 3 p.m. yesterday.

Two deaths occurred between July 2 and July 4 in the counties below:

▶ [County list](#)

Nine deaths occurred between May 19 and June 29, identified from death certificate reports.

▶ [County list](#)

TOTAL MISSISSIPPI DEATHS

7,436

▶ [Totals by county](#)

LTC OUTBREAKS

Current outbreaks in long-term care (LTC) facilities only. (See [LTC facility outbreak definition.](#))

▶ [LTC cases by county](#)

About our case counts: We currently update our case totals each weekday based on test results reported to MSDH from the previous day (or weekend). Multiple positive tests for the same individual are counted only once. County case numbers and deaths may change as investigation finds new or additional information.

COVID-19 Data Reports

- ▶ [Variants](#) PDF
Cases of COVID-19 variants, including variants of concern, by county, updated weekly
- ▶ [Vaccinations](#)
COVID-19 vaccinations administered in Mississippi, as reported to MSDH by vaccination providers
- ▶ [Deaths by cause](#)
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Total COVID-19 cases and deaths by county, race and ethnicity; updated weekdays
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Weekly COVID-19 summaries for each Mississippi county
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Counties ranked by weekly cases and incidence

Cumulative Cases and Deaths by County

Totals of all reported COVID-19 cases, including those in long-term care (LTC) facilities.

The numbers in this table are provisional. County case and deaths totals may change as investigation finds new or additional information.

County	Total Cases	Total Deaths	Total LTC Facility Cases	Total LTC Facility Deaths
Adams	3141	86	83	16
Alcorn	3353	74	130	20
Amite	1281	43	57	9
Total	323,214	7,436	10,532	1,988

County	Total Cases	Total Deaths	Total LTC Facility Cases	Total LTC Facility Deaths
Attala	2160	73	175	36
Benton	1027	25	46	10
Bolivar	4852	134	236	33
Calhoun	1750	32	36	6
Carroll	1226	30	51	10
Chickasaw	2125	59	60	15
Choctaw	799	18	2	0
Claiborne	1033	31	45	9
Clarke	1793	80	123	31
Clay	1893	54	38	5
Coahoma	3034	84	129	12
Copiah	3031	66	84	11
Covington	2702	83	139	39
De Soto	22454	274	113	24
Forrest	7931	156	244	53
Franklin	853	23	40	4
George	2541	51	59	8
Greene	1323	34	53	6
Grenada	2641	88	154	32
Hancock	3911	88	69	14
Harrison	18712	317	490	70
Hinds	21206	427	808	132
Holmes	1913	74	104	20
Humphreys	975	33	34	9
Issaquena	169	6	0	0
Itawamba	3056	80	135	24
Jackson	13883	251	241	35
Jasper	2229	48	43	2
Jefferson	665	28	41	7
Jefferson Davis	1094	34	9	1
Jones	8499	169	220	42
Kemper	970	29	44	9
Total	323,214	7,436	10,532	1,988

County	Total Cases	Total Deaths	Total LTC Facility Cases	Total LTC Facility Deaths
Lafayette	6343	124	187	55
Lamar	6427	88	53	12
Lauderdale	7279	243	443	101
Lawrence	1327	25	27	2
Leake	2736	74	92	16
Lee	10168	176	222	42
Leflore	3521	125	236	52
Lincoln	4034	113	197	40
Lowndes	6576	150	258	63
Madison	10369	227	391	70
Marion	2730	80	158	24
Marshall	4602	105	65	15
Monroe	4189	136	190	55
Montgomery	1295	44	54	9
Neshoba	4104	180	207	59
Newton	2504	64	87	15
Noxubee	1289	35	35	6
Oktibbeha	4687	98	222	36
Panola	4681	112	104	15
Pearl River	4673	148	194	39
Perry	1283	38	21	8
Pike	3398	111	134	36
Pontotoc	4309	73	86	13
Prentiss	2884	61	99	15
Quitman	830	19	0	0
Rankin	14166	284	406	61
Scott	3226	74	115	18
Sharkey	511	18	44	8
Simpson	3040	89	158	20
Smith	1678	34	68	8
Stone	1947	35	85	14
Sunflower	3401	93	123	20
Tallahatchie	1802	42	50	7
Total	323,214	7,436	10,532	1,988

County	Total Cases	Total Deaths	Total LTC Facility Cases	Total LTC Facility Deaths
Tate	3438	88	80	19
Tippah	2939	68	119	13
Tishomingo	2336	69	102	27
Tunica	1087	27	18	2
Union	4187	78	131	23
Walthall	1363	47	69	13
Warren	4478	121	169	37
Washington	5458	139	190	39
Wayne	2659	42	69	11
Webster	1155	32	61	12
Wilkinson	702	32	25	5
Winston	2317	82	130	39
Yalobusha	1682	40	82	22
Yazoo	3179	71	141	18
Total	323,214	7,436	10,532	1,988

Case Classifications

Mississippi investigates and reports both probable and confirmed cases and deaths according to the [CSTE case definition](#).

	Confirmed	Probable	Total
Cases	197,613	125,601	323,214
Deaths	5,123	2,313	7,436

Confirmed cases and deaths are generally determined by positive PCR tests, which detect the presence of ongoing coronavirus infection.

Probable cases are those who test positive by other testing methods such as antibody or antigen, and have recent symptoms consistent with COVID-19, indicating a recent infection.

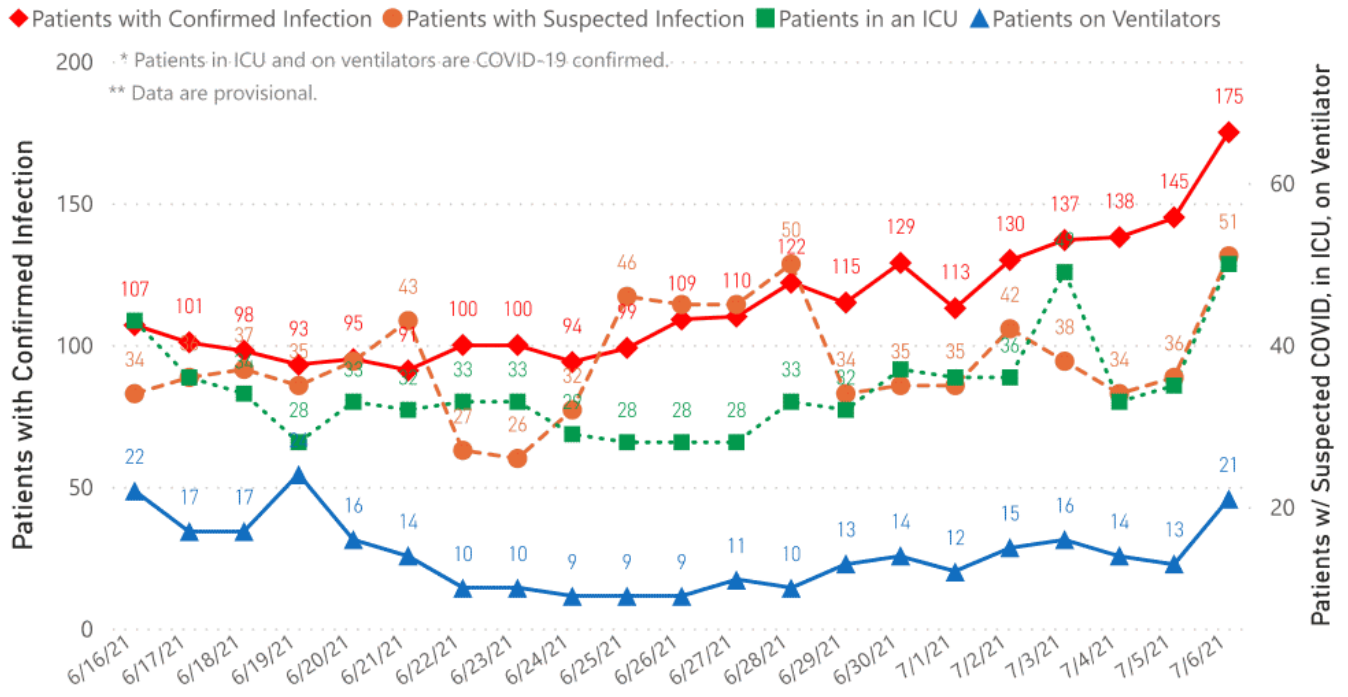
Probable deaths are those individuals with a designation of COVID-19 as a cause of death on the death certificate, but where no confirmatory testing was performed.

Mississippi COVID-19 Data Charts and Maps

Hospitalizations and Bed Availability

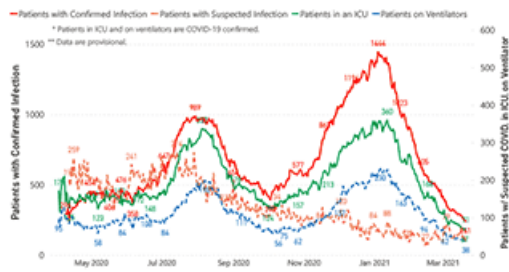
▶ [View interactive hospitalization charts](#)

COVID-19 Hospitalizations Reported by MS Hospitals, 6/16/21-7/6/21 **, **



Hospitalization Trend to Date

Updated weekly



Hospital Bed Availability

Updated weekdays (interactive)



Case and Incidence Maps

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Recent COVID-19 Activity

Updated weekly

The chart below shows counties according to COVID-19 incidence (cases by population) over the last two weeks. Also see [weekly county incidence tables](#)

Mississippi COVID-19 Two-Week Cases* Incidence Rate** over 6/8/21 - 6/21/21

Mississippi

Two-Week
New Cases*

1621

Total Cases* through
6/21/21

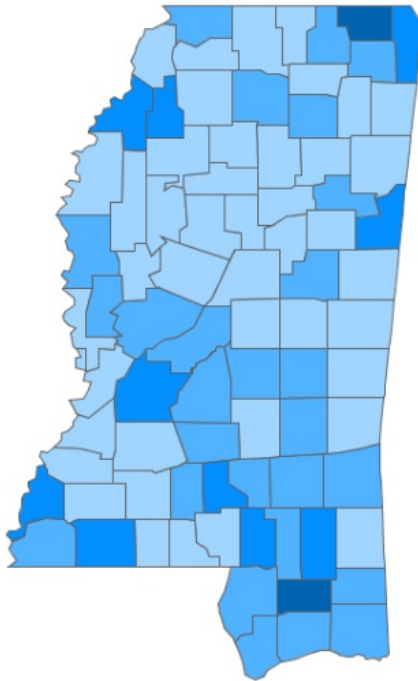
320,687

Two-Week Cases* Incidence
Rate Per 100,000

54.5

Percent Change

0.5%



● <40 ● 40 to 80 ● 80 to 120 ● 120 to 160

County	Two-Week New Cases	Two-Week Cases Rate Per 100,000	Cases to Date	Percent Change
STONE	24	130.9	1,895	1.0%
ALCORN	48	129.9	3,276	1.0%
QUITMAN	7	103.1	825	1.0%
HINDS	238	102.7	20,834	1.0%
COAHOMA	21	94.9	3,000	1.0%
PERRY	11	91.9	1,277	1.0%
LAMAR	58	91.6	6,380	1.0%
JEFFERSON DAVIS	10	89.9	1,085	1.0%

* Cases based on **Event Date**. Event date is date of onset, date of collection, or date of report to MSDH; updated as cases are investigated.

** Rate calculation is based on cumulative cases of past two weeks per 100,000 population.

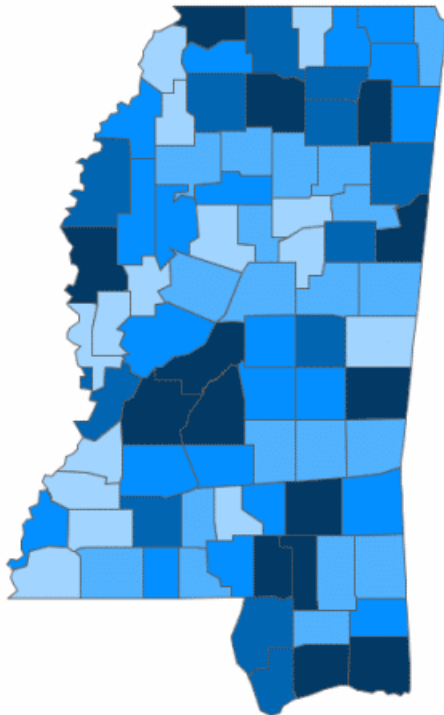
Cumulative COVID-19 Cases

Total cases and deaths by county since the start of the pandemic. Also see [weekly estimate of recoveries](#)

Mississippi COVID-19
Cases and Deaths by Race with Ethnicity
as of 3 pm CT, July 4, 2021

Mississippi

Total Cases
322,835



● 1 to 1250 ● 1251 to 2500 ● 2501 to 3750 ● 3751 to 5000 ● >5000

	American Indian or Alaska Native	Asian	Black	White	Other	Unknown
Non Hispanic	1,251	1,234	88,018	126,283	3,237	2,670
Hispanic	65	42	463	2,092	3,829	770
Unknown Ethnicity	1,020	351	17,925	27,611	7,515	38,459

Total Deaths
7,425

	American Indian or Alaska Native	Asian	Black	White	Other	Unknown
Non Hispanic	93	14	2,563	3,418	45	19
Hispanic	1	1	9	33	25	2
Unknown Ethnicity	25	7	368	570	69	163

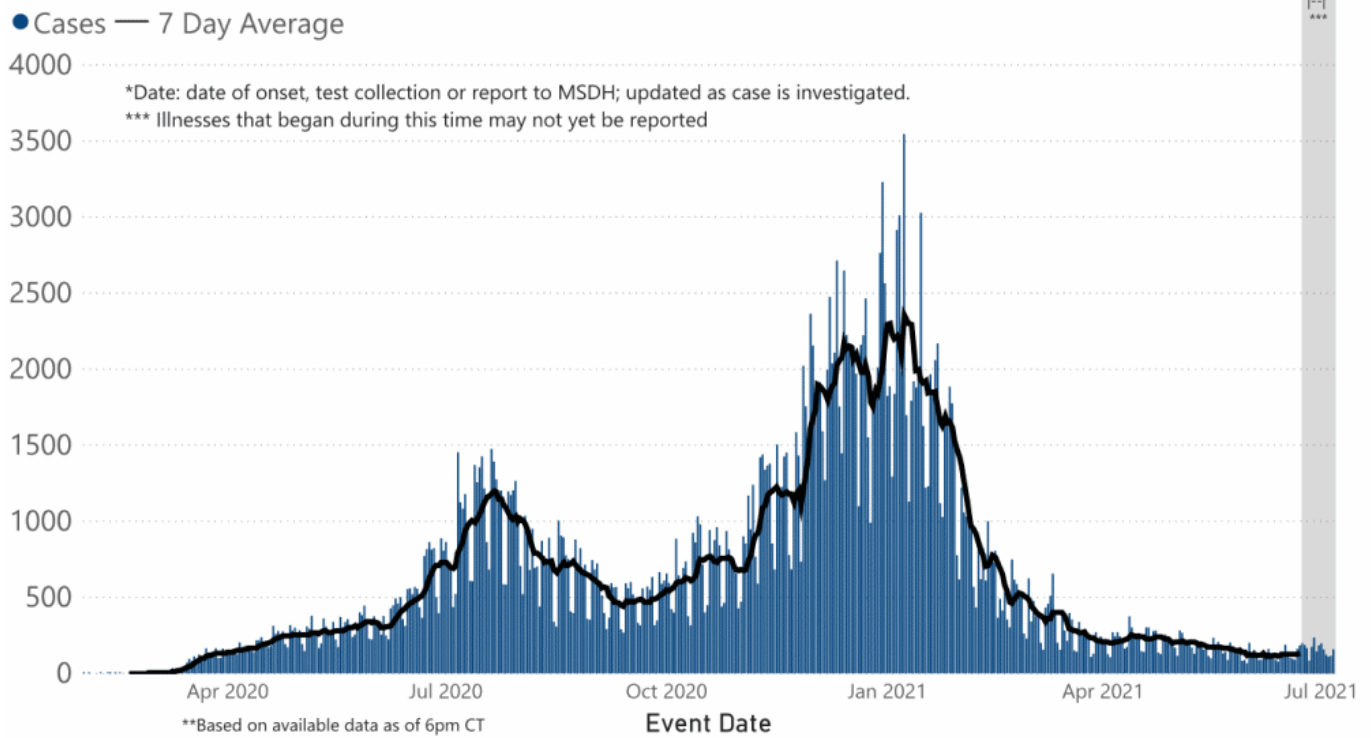
Daily Statewide Data Charts

Updated Tuesday-Friday. Our state case map and other data charts are also available in interactive form.

▶ [View interactive epidemiological and surveillance charts](#)

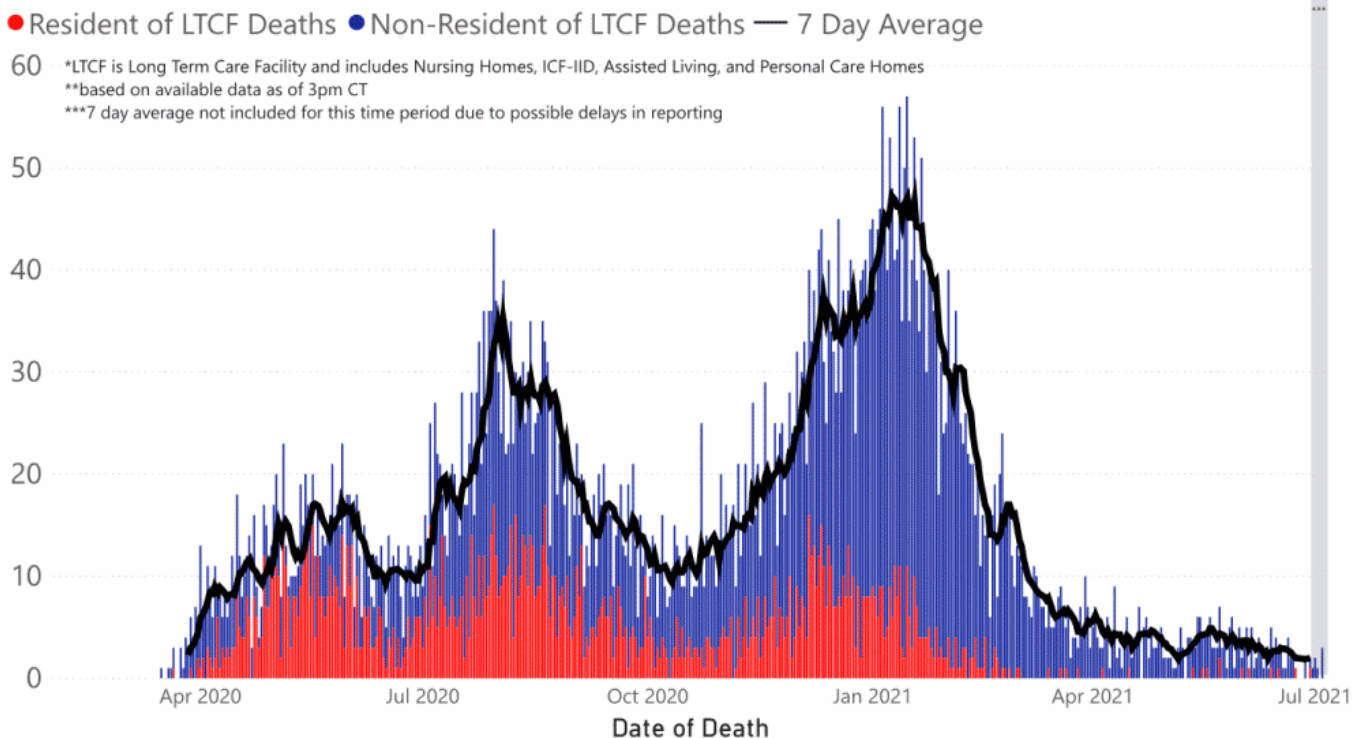
The charts below are based on available data at the time of publication. Charts do **not** include cases where insufficient details of the case are known.

COVID-19 Cases by Date* through July 6, 2021**, Mississippi



Note: Values up to two weeks in the past on the chart of Cases by Date above can change as we update it with new information from disease investigation.

COVID-19 LTCF* and Non-LTCF Deaths by Date of Death through July 6, 2021**, Mississippi



Weekly Statewide Data Charts

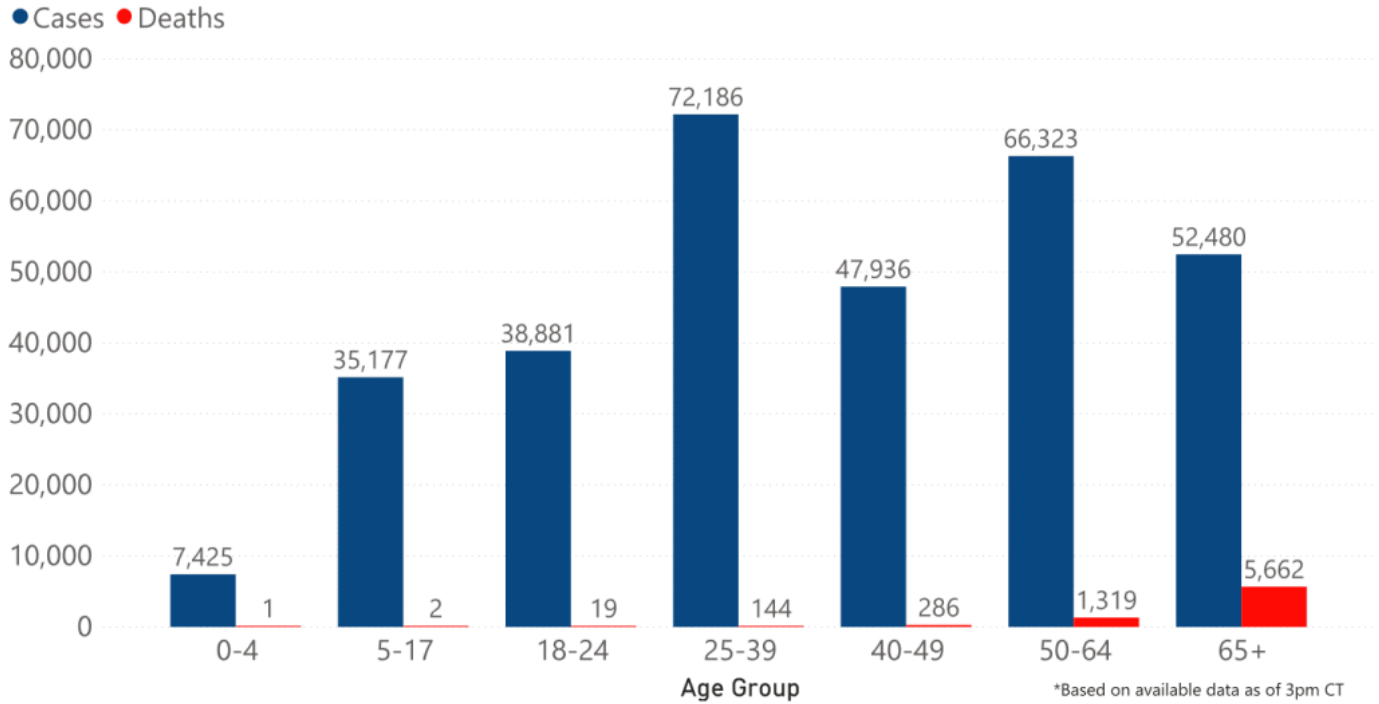
Includes:

- Cases, deaths and hospitalizations, analyzed by age, race/ethnicity, gender and other factors

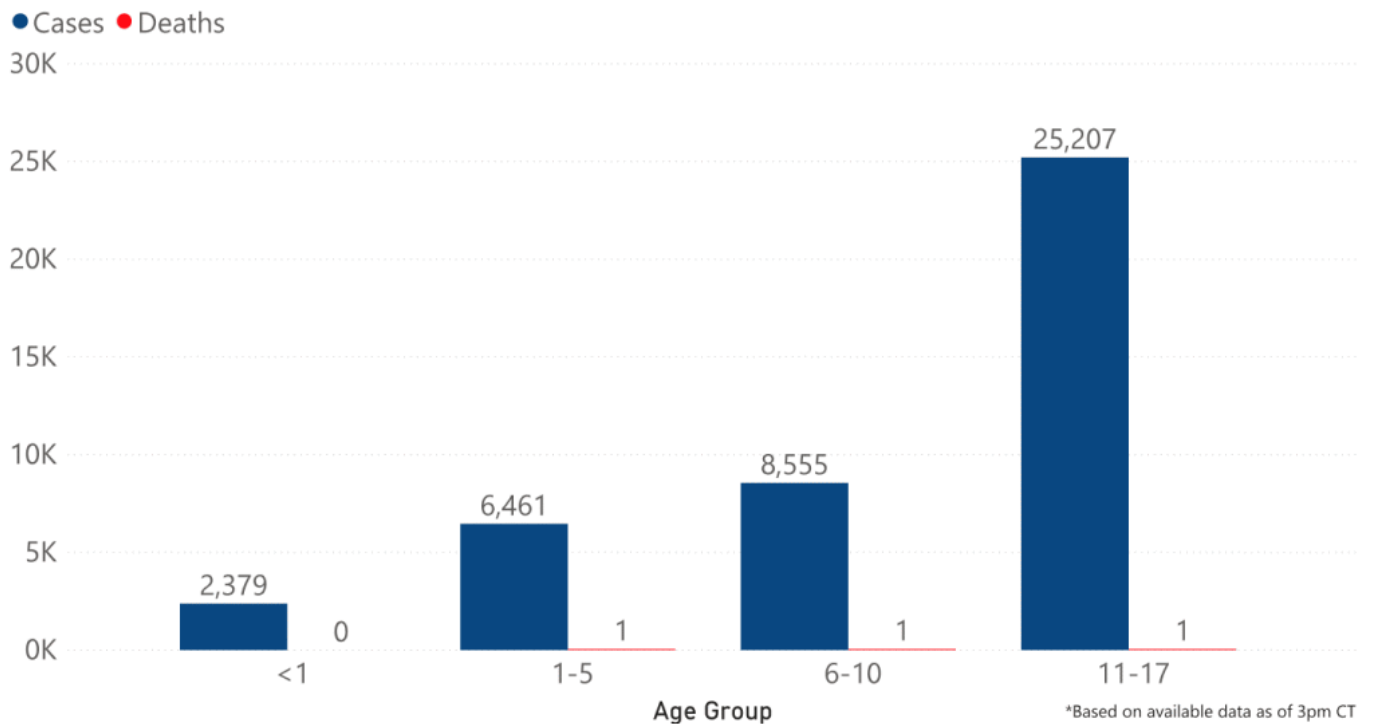
- MIS-C cases and deaths
- Counties with high COVID-19 cases and incidence
- Syndromic surveillance

▼ All weekly charts

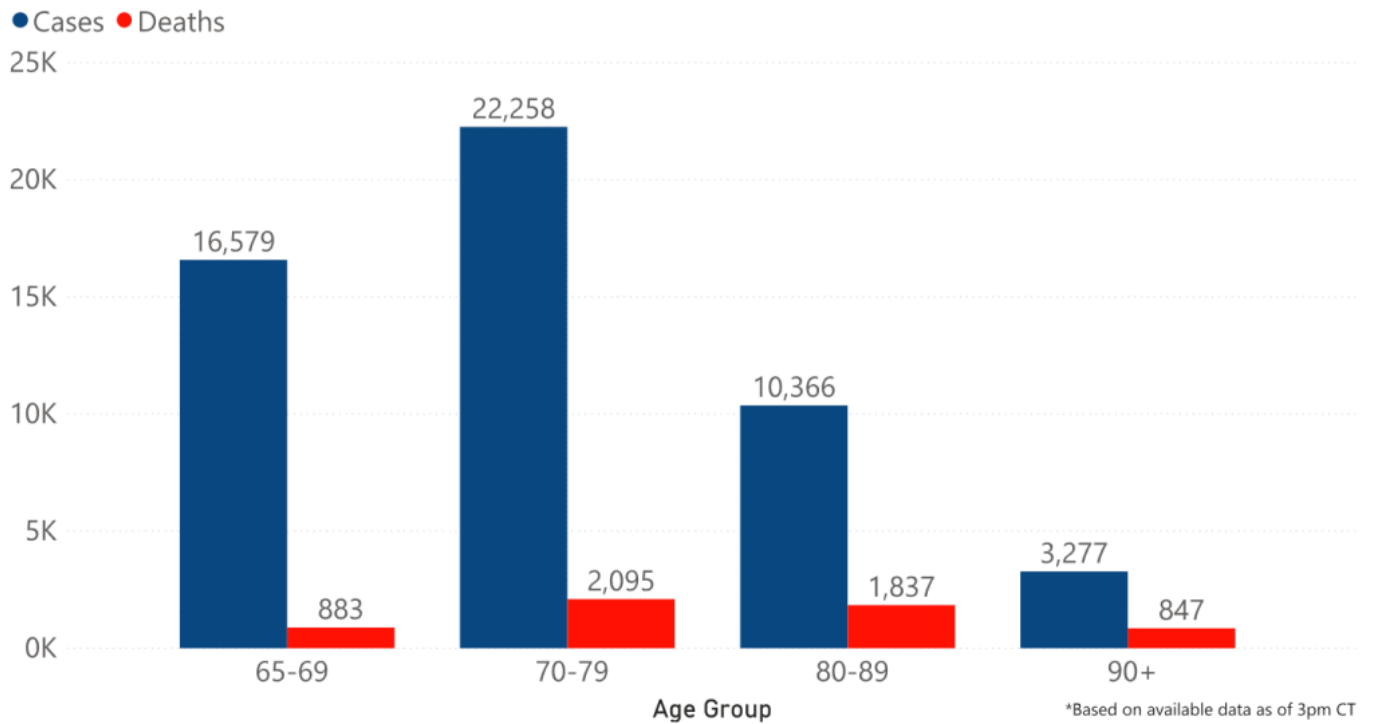
COVID-19 Cases and Deaths by Age Group through July 6, 2021*, Mississippi



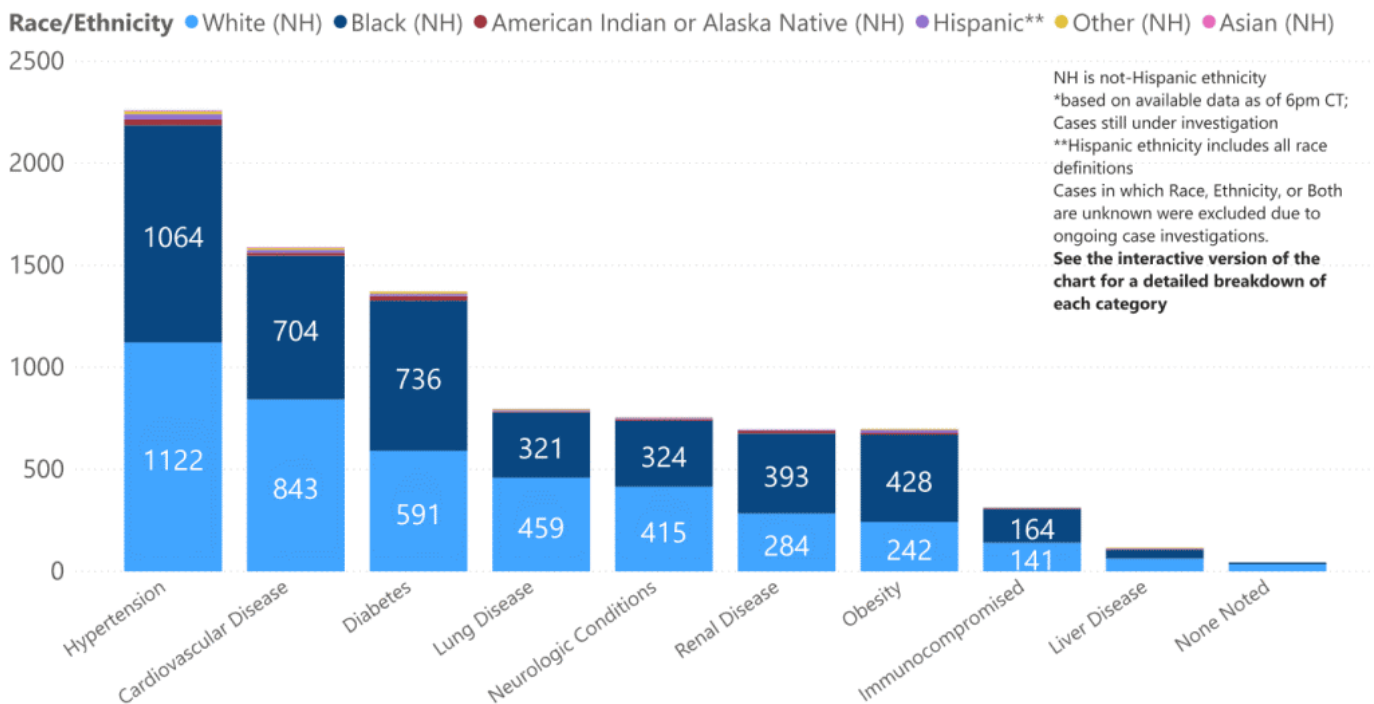
COVID-19 Pediatric Cases and Deaths by Age Group through July 6, 2021*, Mississippi



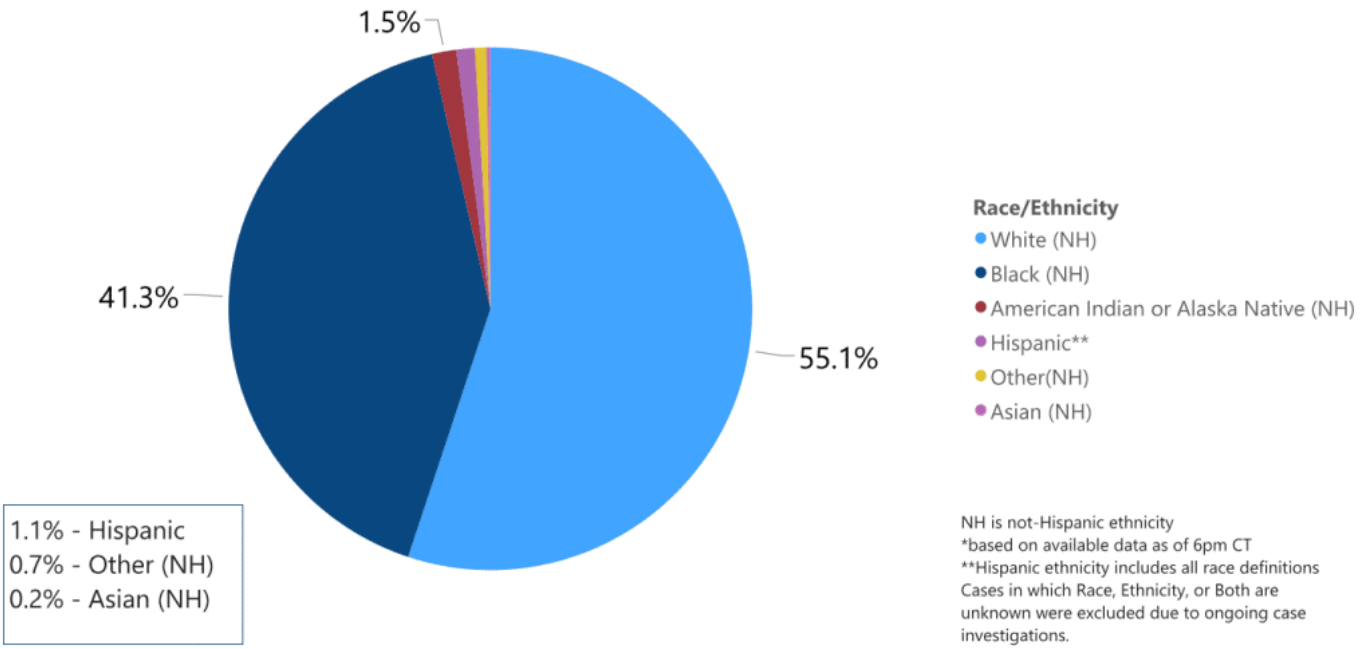
COVID-19 Geriatric Cases and Deaths by Age Group through July 6, 2021*, Mississippi



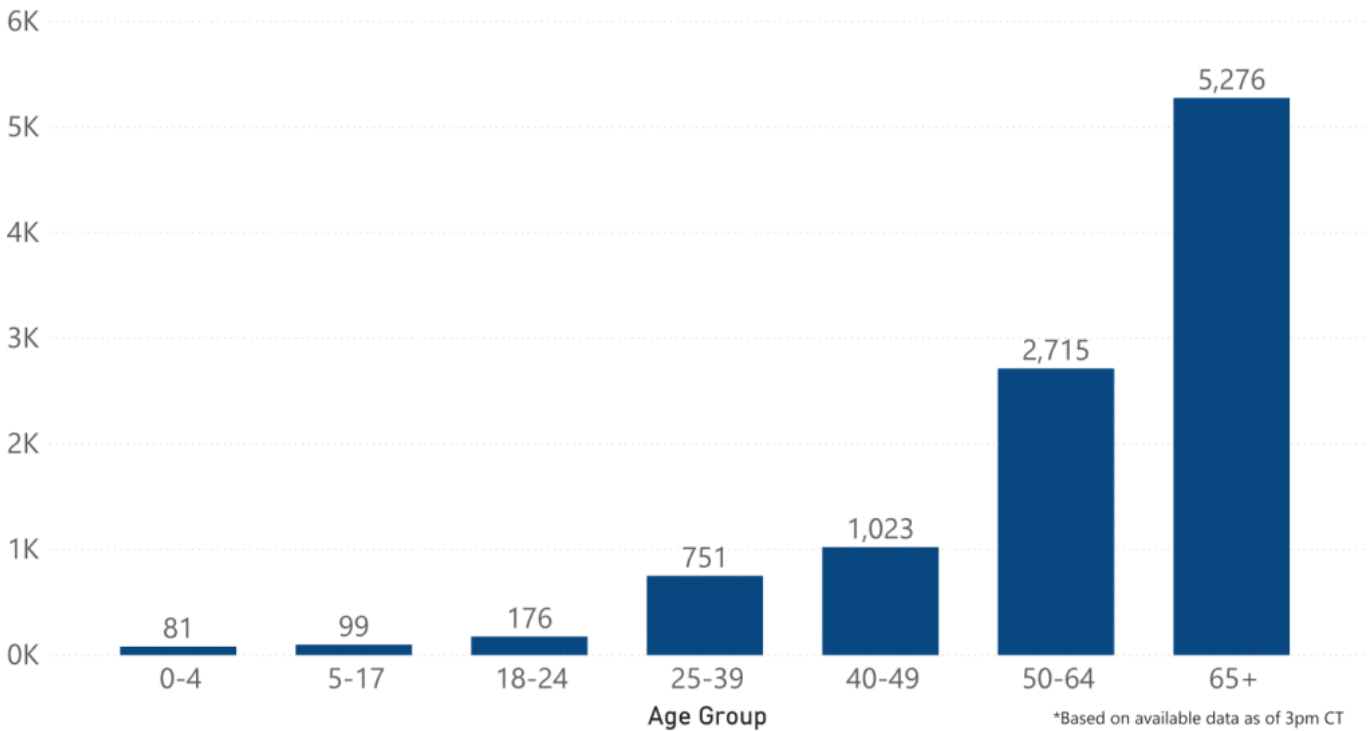
COVID-19 Underlying Conditions in Deaths by Race/Ethnicity through July 6, 2021*, Mississippi



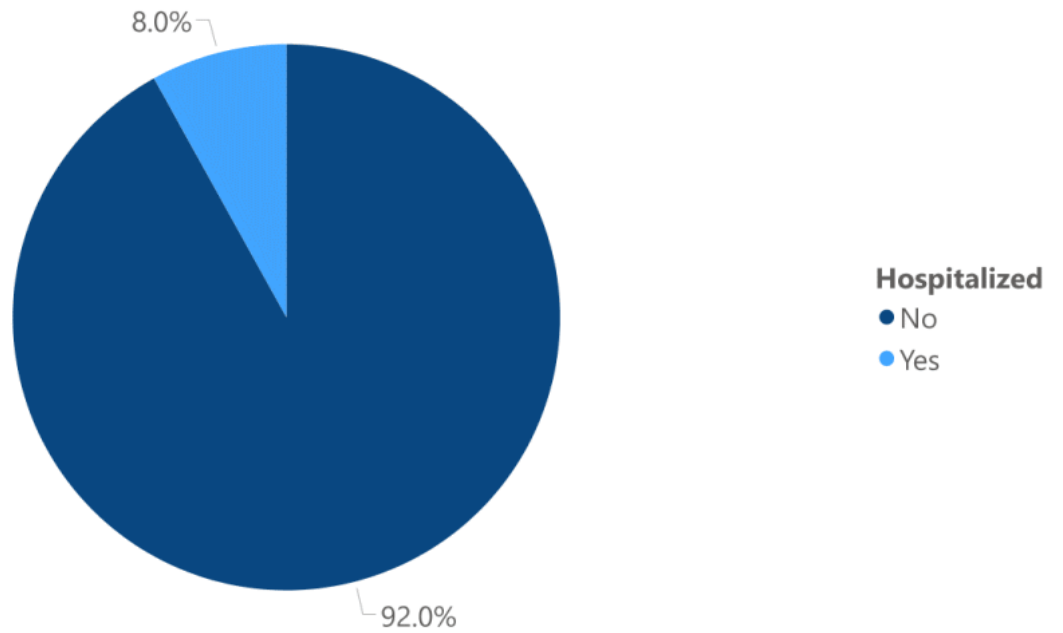
COVID-19 Deaths by Race/Ethnicity through July 6, 2021*, Mississippi



COVID-19 Hospitalized Cases by Age through July 6, 2021*, Mississippi



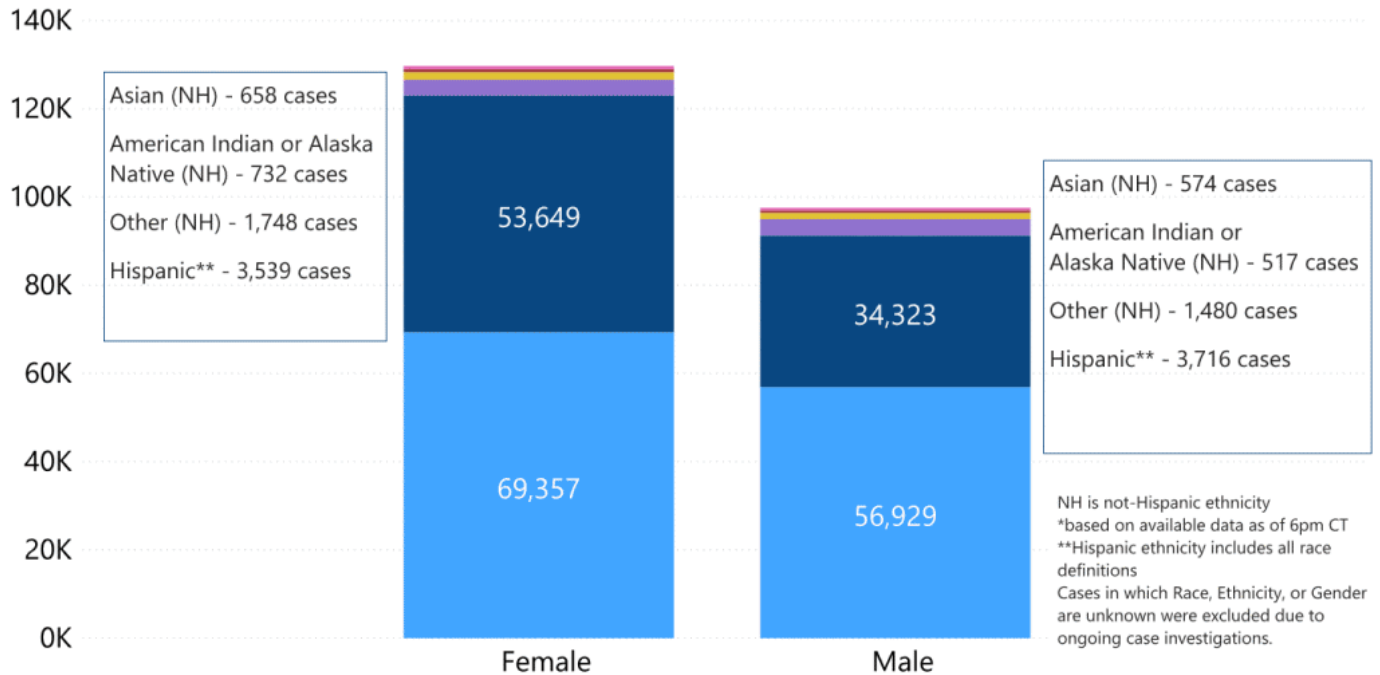
COVID-19 Cumulative Hospitalizations-Invstigated Cases July 6, 2021 *



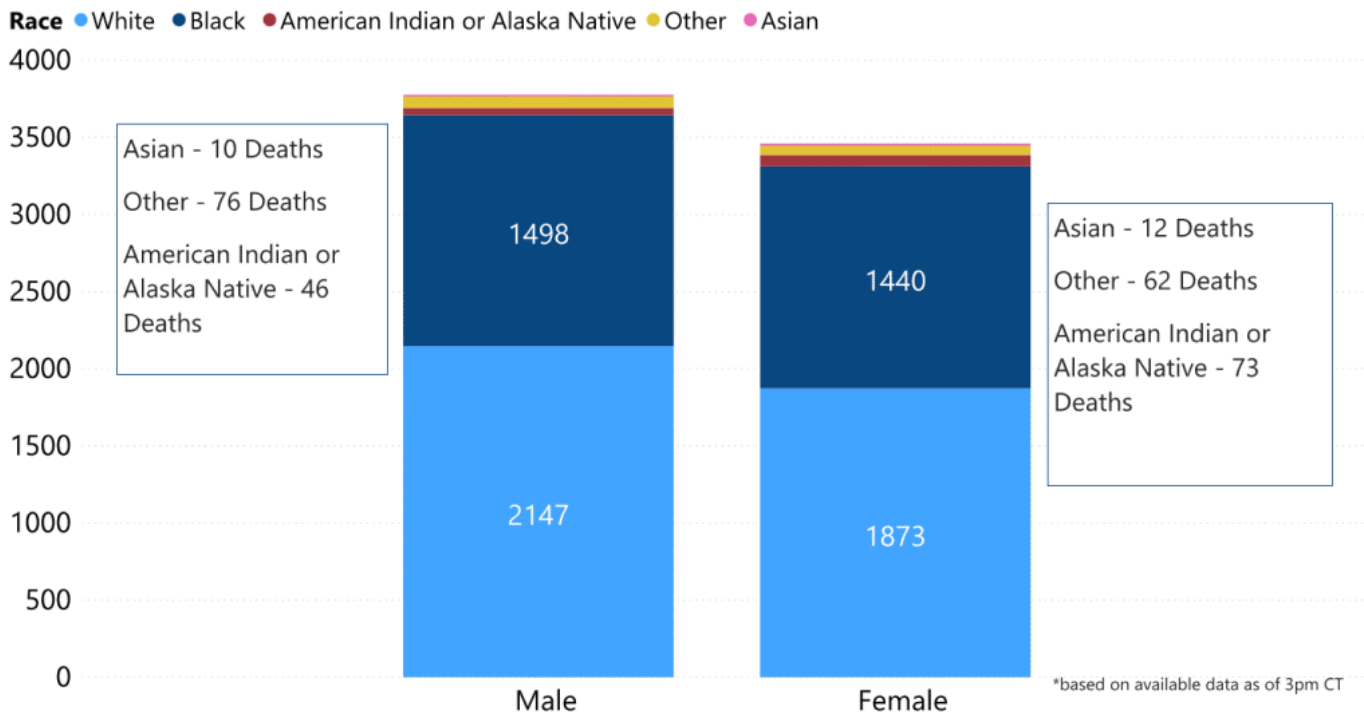
* Cases in which hospitalization is unknown were excluded due to ongoing case investigations; based on available data as of 3pm CT

COVID-19 Cases by Race/Ethnicity and Gender through July 6, 2021*, Mississippi

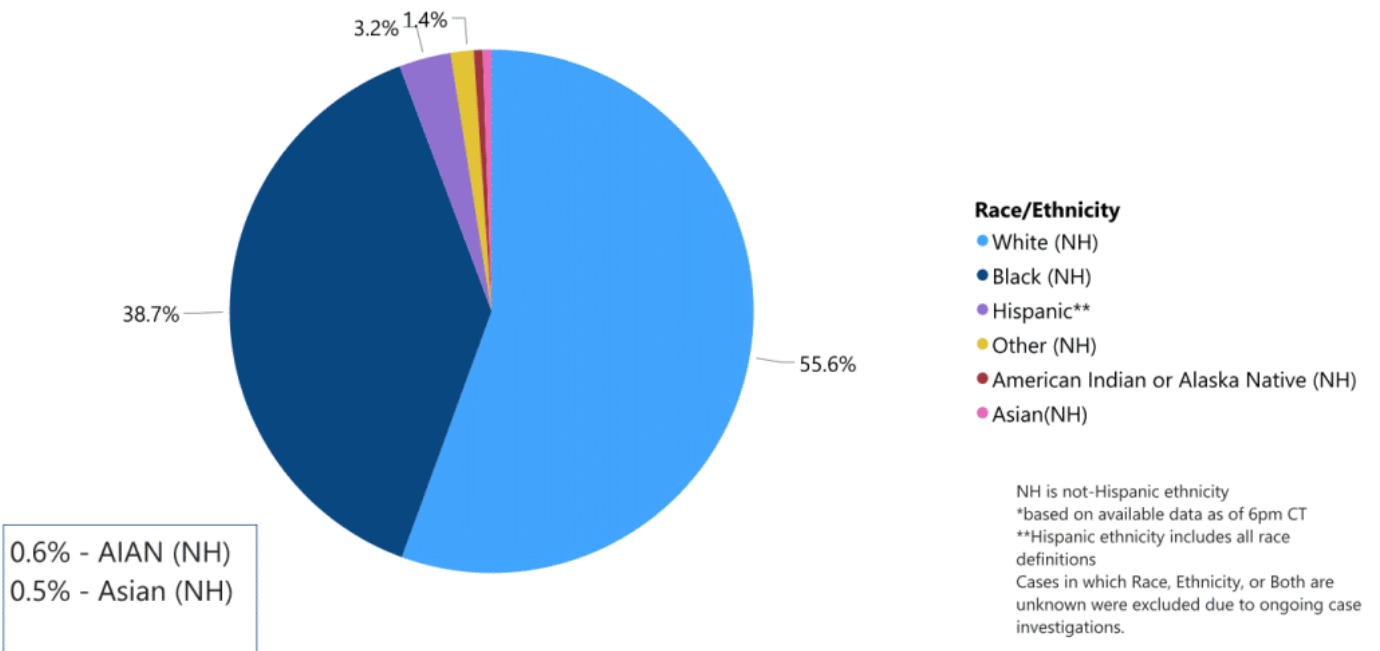
Race/Ethnicity ● White (NH) ● Black (NH) ● Hispanic** ● Other (NH) ● American Indian or Alaska Native (NH) ● Asian (NH)



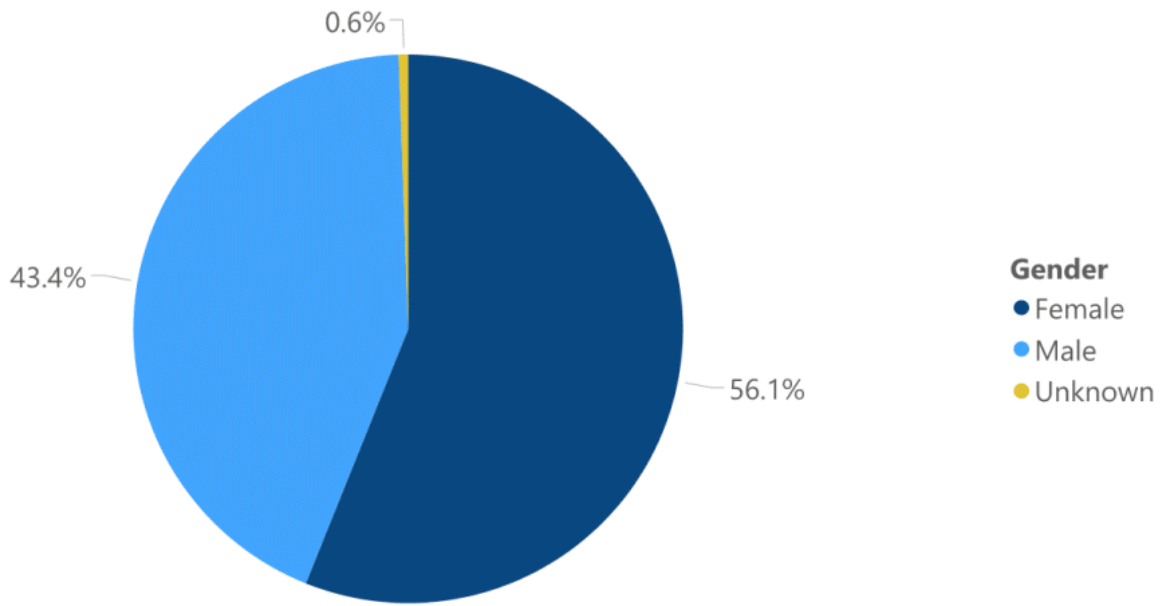
COVID-19 Deaths by Race and Gender through July 6, 2021*, Mississippi



COVID-19 Cases by Race/Ethnicity through July 6, 2021*, Mississippi



COVID-19 Cases by Gender through July 6, 2021*, Mississippi

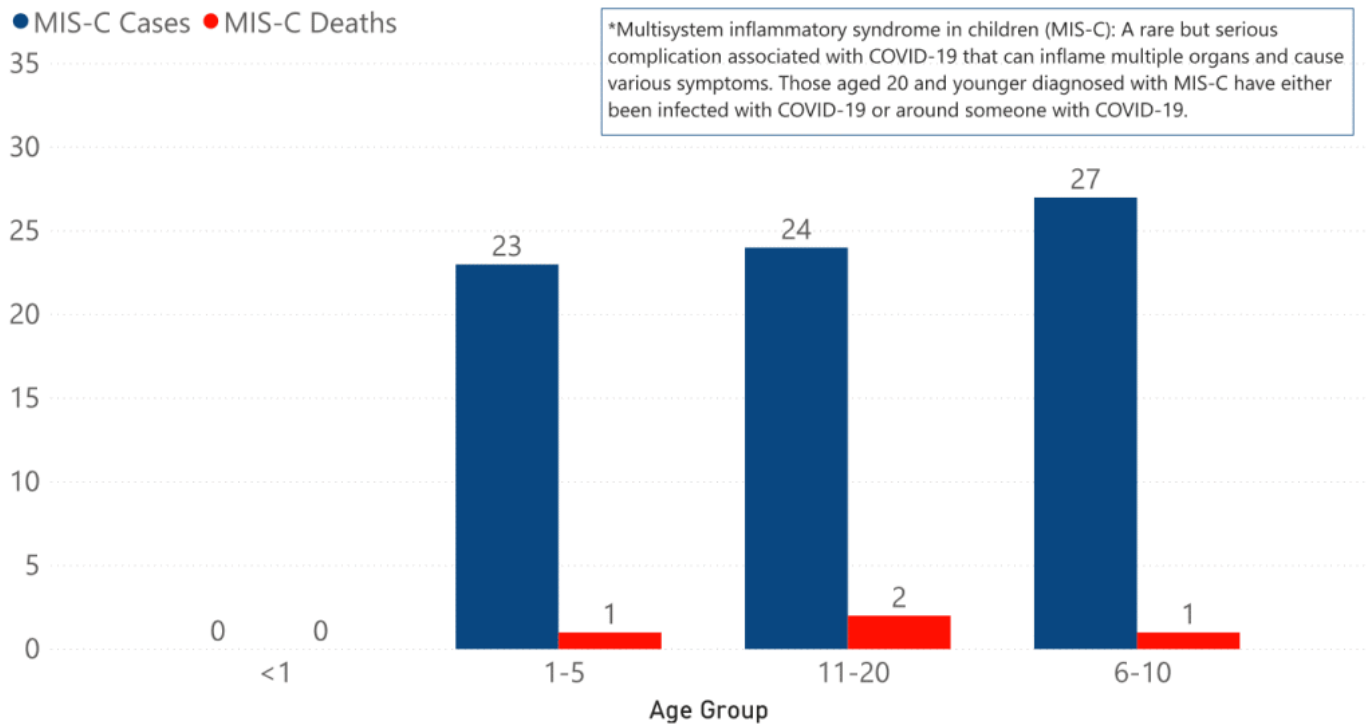


*Based on available data as of 3pm CT

Weekly Pediatric MIS-C Cases and Deaths

Multisystem inflammatory syndrome in children (MIS-C) is a rare but serious condition associated with COVID-19 that causes inflammation in many body parts, including the heart and other vital organs.

MIS-C* Cases and Deaths by Age Group through July 6, 2021, Mississippi



Weekly High Case and High Incidence Counties

Tracking counties with recent high numbers of COVID-19 cases, adjusted for population, provides insight on where local outbreaks are most serious, and where protective measures should be increased. For more accurate reporting, these weekly charts include sample collection dates only up to seven days in the past to allow for case investigation and delays in lab test reports.

Cases counts in these charts is based on the date of illness onset. If the date of illness is not known, the date the test sample was taken, or the date of test result reporting is used instead. Counts are adjusted as cases are investigated.

Counties are ranked by two-week case counts, and by two-week incidence (cases proportional to population). A separate table ranking all counties is also available. **All tables updated weekly.**

► [Full tables of counties ranked by weekly incidence and cases](#) PDF

County	Cases (June 16 - 29)	Cases per 100,000 (June 16 - 29)	Cases to Date (through June 29)	Cases per 100,000 Total	Percent Change
STONE	34	185.4	1923	10487.6	2%
HINDS	348	150.1	21061	9084.3	2%
ALCORN	55	148.8	3311	8960.0	2%
SIMPSON	36	135.0	3020	11328.7	1%
COAHOMA	27	122.0	3013	13618.7	1%
SMITH	19	119.4	1660	10429.8	1%
PONTOTOC	36	111.9	4293	13343.1	1%
PRENTISS	28	111.4	2866	11406.5	1%
RANKIN	168	108.2	14071	9062.2	1%
ADAMS	31	101.0	3129	10194.5	1%
AMITE	12	97.6	1275	10368.4	1%
COVINGTON	18	96.6	2690	14434.4	1%

*based on available data as of 3pm CT
 Cases based on test date. Cases without test date excluded due to ongoing investigations.
 Table will be updated weekly. A one week lag is used for reporting.

COVID-19 High Case MS Counties Over 2 Week Period (June 16 - 29, 2021*)

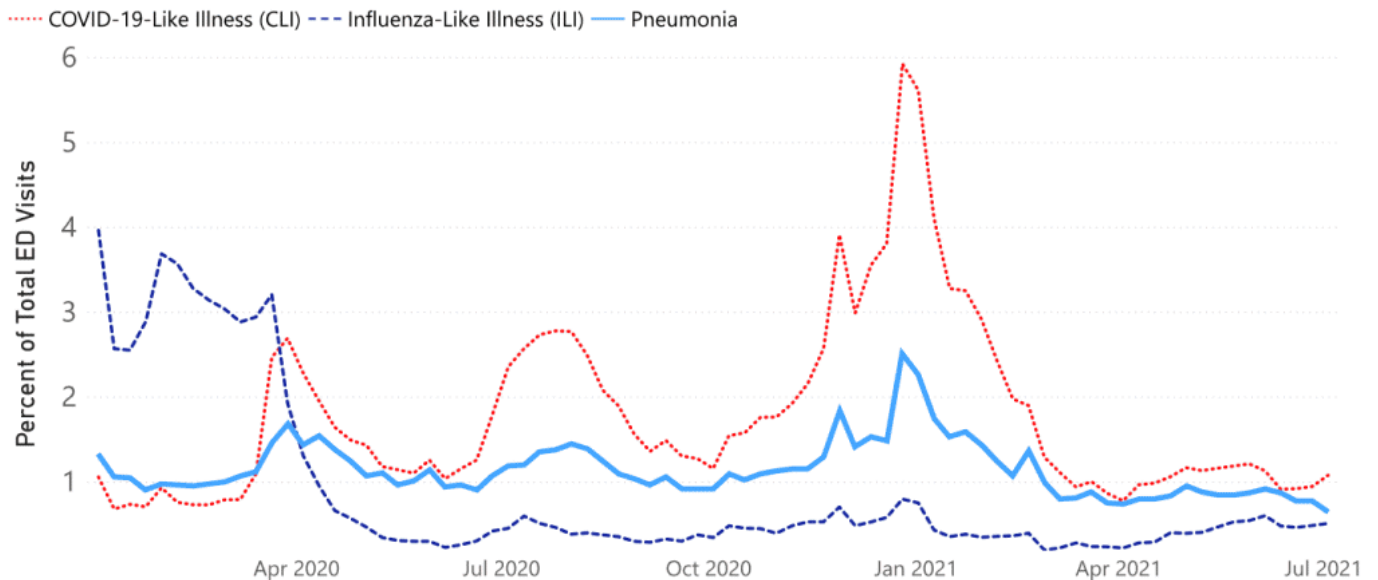
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HARRISON	185	88.9	18621	8949.0	1%
RANKIN	168	108.2	14071	9062.2	1%
DESOTO	123	66.5	22417	12120.9	1%
JACKSON	102	71.0	13849	9643.0	1%
MADISON	78	73.4	10332	9722.2	1%
LEE	60	70.2	10118	11842.8	1%
FORREST	59	78.8	7893	10538.5	1%
ALCORN	55	148.8	3311	8960.0	2%
LAMAR	47	74.2	6405	10111.6	1%
PEARL RIVER	47	84.6	4655	8382.1	1%
LOWNDES	43	73.4	6560	11195.5	1%

*based on available data as of 3pm CT
 Cases based on test date. Cases without test date excluded due to ongoing investigations.
 Table will be updated weekly. A one week lag is used for reporting.

Syndromic Surveillance

Emergency department visits by those with symptoms characteristic of COVID-19, influenza and pneumonia, updated weekly.

Percentage of Emergency Department and Clinic visits for CLI, ILI, and Pneumonia Cases Weekly Statewide Summary, January 4, 2020 - July 3, 2021



*The graph represents syndromic surveillance data from emergency department visits, reported electronically by hospitals throughout the state, that are consistent with COVID-19-Like Illness (CLI), Influenza-Like Illness (ILI), and Pneumonia. Based on available data as of 6pm CT. Graph will be updated weekly.

Estimated Recoveries

Presumed COVID-19 cases recovered, estimated weekly (does not include cases still under investigation).

COVID-19 Presumed Recovered Cases through July 6, 2021, Mississippi

312,956
Presumed Recovered*

*Reflects Provisional Estimates. Presumed Recovered if:

- 1) It has been 14 days or more since the case tested positive, if they were not hospitalized
- 2) It has been 21 days or more since the case tested positive, if they were hospitalized or hospitalization was unknown.

All deaths excluded. Presumed recovered counts will be updated weekly.

U.S. and World Cases

- ▶ [COVID-19 cases in the United States \(CDC\)](#)
- ▶ [U.S. COVID-19 Tracker \(CDC\)](#)
- ▶ [COVID-19 Global Case Map \(Johns Hopkins University\)](#)

COVID-19 Testing

Statewide Combined Testing as of July 4

COVID-19 testing providers around the state include commercial laboratories, hospital labs and the MSDH Public Health Laboratory results from all these sources are combined in the table below. (Updated weekly)

PCR testing detects current, active COVID-19 infection in an individual.

Antibody (serology) testing identifies individuals with past COVID-19 infection based on antibodies they develop one to three weeks after infection.

Antigen testing is another way to identify current COVID-19 infection.

PCR tests	1,870,825
Serology (antibody) tests	98,204
Antigen tests	942,409
Total tests	2,911,438

Prevention and Guidance for Individuals and the Community

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