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To protect yourself and others, the ADH recommends:

- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds. Use hand sanitizer when soap and water are not available.
- Practice physical distancing. Avoid close contact with others, especially those who are sick, by keeping at least 6 feet between you and others.
- If you think you have been exposed to COVID-19 or develop a fever, cough, or shortness of breath, seek testing. <u>Testing is available</u> in many locations, including ADH Local Health Units.
- Wear a face covering when you are exposed to non-household members and physical distancing cannot be assured. Click here to read the requirements.

Alerts/Updates

COVID-19 Update

November 21, 2020



CONFIRMED CASES			PROBABLE CASES		
	Total	Change from yesterday		Total	Change from yesterday
CASES:	127,216	+1,433	CASES:	16,605	+472
ACTIVE CASES:	13,534	+270	ACTIVE CASES:	4,211	+115
RECOVERED:	111,525	+1,146	RECOVERED:	12,197	+357
CONFIRMED DEATHS:	2,141	+16	PROBABLE DEATHS:	196	0
			Total	Change from yesterday	

TOTAL CASES: 143,821 +1,905
TOTAL ACTIVE CASES: 17,745 +385
TOTAL DEATHS: 2,337 +16

TESTING

PCR TESTS THIS MONTH: 220,907 12,477

ANTIGEN TESTS THIS MONTH: 37,866 2,491

All data are provisional and subject to change. PCR testing data reflects result date. Probable cases and deaths may
decrease if they are reclassified. The net change is shown.

HOSPITAL DATA Most recent statewide data available.				
Hospitalized:	925			
-Change from yesterday:	-10			
On ventilators:	154			
-Change from yesterday:	+2			
Ever hospitalized:	8,415			
Ever on ventilator:	934			

TODAY'S NEW CASES

Counties with most new confirmed and probable cases added today.

1) Pulaski: 158
 2) Washington: 147
 3) Benton: 116
 4) Sebastian: 90
 5) Saline: 83

Breakdown of new confirmed cases by type.

Correctional: 24 Community: 1,409

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*Last updated 11/21/20, 5:00pm

*COVID-19 county data

- NEW: Guidelines for Evaluating and Availability of Essential Healthcare Workers to Return to Work
- NEW: Holiday Guidance for Residents of Long-term Care Facilities and Families
- NEW: Directive on Alcoholic Beverage Control on-premise permitted locations
- NEW: CDC guidance shows cloth masks protect wearer as well as people around them
- NEW: Holiday Guidance During the COVID-19 Pandemic | Spanish
- NEW: CDC COVID-19 Vaccination Program Provider Agreement
- NEW: Strategies for Preventing the Spread of COVID-19 during Winter
- NEW: Physician and Provider Guidance for SARS-CoV-2 Relapse vs Re-infection
- NEW: COVID-19 Vaccination Plan Interim Draft
- UPDATE: Guidance on Places of Worship | Spanish
- UPDATE: Directive on Resuming Bar or Club Operations Phase II
- ALERT: COVID-19 Guidance for Schools | Resource Call Center 1-833-353-6050
- Click <u>here</u> for more information in our interactive COVID-19 dashboard.

Quick Links & Resources



• Click here for the Governor's Weekly COVID-19 Press Briefings

- Click <u>here</u> for Health Guidances
- Educational Institutions Reports
- Contact Tracing
- COVID-19 Positive Test Support Groups
- State of Arkansas COVID-19 website
- Masks are Required Signage | Spanish
- Rules Suspended Due to COVID-19 Public Health Emergency Under EO20-06
- ADH news releases
- COVID-19 Media Library



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For additional assistance or questions, call the ADH COVID-19 Call Center at 1-800-803-7847, or email <u>ADH.CoronaVirus@arkansas.gov</u>. For immediate quarantine and isolation sheltering needs for homeless or displaced individuals, please call 501-661-2136.

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COVID-19 Contact Tracing

COVID-19 County Data

COVID-19 Directives, Orders, & Health Guidances

COVID-19 Guidance About Hydroxychloroquine and Chloroquine

COVID-19 Guidance for Behavioral and Mental Health -

COVID-19 Guidance for Dentists

COVID-19 Guidance for Employers

COVID-19 Guidance for EMS

COVID-19 Guidance for Getting Tested

COVID-19 Guidance for Healthcare Providers

COVID-19 Guidance for High Risk Individuals

COVID-19 Guidance for Homeless Shelters and Services

COVID-19 Guidance for Orthotists, Prosthetists, and Pedorthists

COVID-19 Guidance for Pharmacies

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