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### To protect yourself and others, the ADH recommends:

- Get the COVID-19 vaccine when it is available to you. [Click here for more information about vaccination.](#)
- 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. [Testing is available 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

January 5, 2021



## CONFIRMED CASES

	Total	Change from yesterday
CASES:	195,930	+2,275
ACTIVE CASES:	16,883	+424
RECOVERED:	175,818	+1,823
CONFIRMED DEATHS:	3,205	+27

## PROBABLE CASES

	Total	Change from yesterday
CASES:	42,958	+1,832
ACTIVE CASES:	7,525	+927
RECOVERED:	34,799	+896
PROBABLE DEATHS:	631	+9

	Total	Change from yesterday
<b>TOTAL CASES:</b>	<b>238,888</b>	<b>+4,107</b>
<b>TOTAL ACTIVE CASES:</b>	<b>24,408</b>	<b>+1,351</b>
<b>TOTAL DEATHS:</b>	<b>3,836</b>	<b>+36</b>

## TESTING

	Total	Results yesterday
PCR TESTS THIS MONTH:	33,334	5,224
ANTIGEN TESTS THIS MONTH:	7,451	3,552

- 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:	1,323
-Change from yesterday:	+27
On ventilators:	224
-Change from yesterday:	+12
Ever hospitalized:	11,743
Ever on ventilator:	1,256

## TODAY'S NEW CASES

Counties with most new confirmed and probable cases added today.

- 1) Pulaski: 418
- 2) Washington: 399
- 3) Benton: 389
- 4) Sebastian: 265
- 5) Garland: 232

Breakdown of new confirmed cases by type.

Correctional: 14  
Community: 2,261

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\*Last updated 1/5/21, 2:41pm

[\\*COVID-19 county data](#)

- NEW:** [Proof of Negative COVID-19 Test Required for Passengers Arriving from the UK](#)
- NEW:** [Antigen Test Clarification](#)
- NEW:** [Vaccine | For Providers](#)
- UPDATE:** [Directive on Alcoholic Beverage Control on-premise permitted locations](#)
- UPDATE:** [Directive Regarding Long-term Care Facilities Visitation, Screening, and Staffing](#)
- UPDATE:** [Directive Regarding Indoor Venues](#)
- UPDATE:** [Guidance for self-home quarantine](#)
- UPDATE:** [Guidance on Places of Worship | Spanish](#)
- ALERT:** [COVID-19 Guidance for Schools](#) | Resource Call Center 1-833-353-6050
- Click [here](#) for more information in our interactive COVID-19 dashboard.

## Quick Links & Resources



- Click [here](#) for the Governor's Weekly COVID-19 Press Briefings
- Click [here](#) for Health Guidances
- Click [here](#) for the CDC Travel Planner to see restrictions in place in other locations
- [Educational Institutions Reports](#)
- [Contact Tracing](#)

- [COVID-19 Positive Test Support Groups](#)
- [State of Arkansas COVID-19 website](#)
- [Masks are Required Signage | Spanish](#)
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# ADH COVID-19 Status Updates

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For additional assistance or questions, call the ADH COVID-19 Call Center at 1-800-803-7847, or email [ADH.CoronaVirus@arkansas.gov](mailto:ADH.CoronaVirus@arkansas.gov).  
For immediate quarantine and isolation sheltering needs for homeless or displaced individuals, please call 501-661-2136.

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- [COVID-19 Guidance About Hydroxychloroquine and Chloroquine](#)

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- [COVID-19 Guidance for Behavioral and Mental Health ▾](#)

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- [COVID-19 Guidance for Dentists](#)

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- [COVID-19 Guidance for Getting Tested](#)

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- [COVID-19 Guidance for Homeless Shelters and Services](#)

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- [COVID-19 Guidance for Orthotists, Prosthetists, and Pedorthists](#)

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- [COVID-19 Guidance for Pharmacies](#)

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- [COVID-19 Guidance for Places of Worship](#)

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- [COVID-19 Guidance for Self Home Isolation](#)

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