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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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