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[Map of COVID-19 Vaccination Locations](#)

### 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

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# COVID-19 Update

## February 18, 2021



### CONFIRMED CASES

	Total	Change from yesterday
CASES:	248,996	+141
ACTIVE CASES:	5,111	-643
RECOVERED:	239,586	+776
CONFIRMED DEATHS:	4,276	+8

### PROBABLE CASES

	Total	Change from yesterday
CASES:	65,449	+112
ACTIVE CASES:	2,212	-273
RECOVERED:	62,186	+383
PROBABLE DEATHS:	1,047	+2

	Total	Change from yesterday
<b>TOTAL CASES:</b>	<b>314,445</b>	<b>+253</b>
<b>TOTAL ACTIVE CASES:</b>	<b>7,323</b>	<b>-916</b>
<b>TOTAL DEATHS:</b>	<b>5,323</b>	<b>+10</b>

### TESTING

	Total	Results yesterday
PCR TESTS THIS MONTH:	131,996	2,155
ANTIGEN TESTS THIS MONTH:	55,517	820

\* 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:	625
-Change from yesterday:	+23
On ventilators:	107
-Change from yesterday:	-1
Ever hospitalized:	14,469
Ever on ventilator:	1,494

### TODAY'S NEW CASES

Counties with most new confirmed and probable cases added today.

- 1) Washington: 42
- 2) Benton: 37
- 3) Sebastian: 20
- 4) Pulaski: 16
- 5) Garland: 10
- 5) Independence: 10

Breakdown of new confirmed cases by type.

Correctional: 0  
Community: 141

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\*Last updated 2/18/21, 3:49pm

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

- **NEW:** [Guidelines Regarding Indoor Events with 100 or Fewer Attendees](#)
- **NEW:** [Proof of Negative COVID-19 Test Required for Passengers Arriving from the UK](#)
- **NEW:** [Antigen Test Clarification](#)
- **NEW:** [Vaccine | For Providers](#)
- **UPDATE:** [Directive for Community and School-Sponsored Team Sports](#)
- **UPDATE:** [Directive Regarding Large Outdoor Venues](#)
- **UPDATE:** [Directive Regarding Large Indoor Venues](#)
- **UPDATE:** [Directive Regarding Long-term Care Facilities Visitation, Screening, and Staffing](#)
- **ALERT:** [Vaccine plan in response to COVID-19 pandemic](#)
- **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](#)

- [Rules Suspended Due to COVID-19 Public Health Emergency Under EO20-06](#)
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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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