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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

March 18, 2021



## CONFIRMED CASES

	Total	Change from yesterday
CASES:	257,799	+170
ACTIVE CASES:	1,874	-68
RECOVERED:	251,506	+230
CONFIRMED DEATHS:	4,404	+4

## PROBABLE CASES

	Total	Change from yesterday
CASES:	70,246	+94
ACTIVE CASES:	860	-6
RECOVERED:	68,265	+96
PROBABLE DEATHS:	1,111	+4

	Total	Change from yesterday
<b>TOTAL CASES:</b>	<b>328,045</b>	<b>+264</b>
<b>TOTAL ACTIVE CASES:</b>	<b>2,734</b>	<b>-74</b>
<b>TOTAL DEATHS:</b>	<b>5,515</b>	<b>+8</b>

## TESTING

	Total	Results yesterday
PCR TESTS THIS MONTH:	97,417	7,574
ANTIGEN TESTS THIS MONTH:	34,597	1,165

\* 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:	245
-Change from yesterday:	-15
On ventilators:	47
-Change from yesterday:	-7
Ever hospitalized:	15,166
Ever on ventilator:	1,563

## TODAY'S NEW CASES

Counties with most new confirmed and probable cases added today.

- 1) Washington: 32
- 2) Benton: 31
- 3) Pulaski: 27
- 4) Polk: 22
- 5) Faulkner: 12

Breakdown of new confirmed cases by type.

Correctional: 9  
Community: 161

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\*Last updated 3/18/21, 5:17pm

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

- **NEW:** Vaccine call-line: 1-800-985-6030
- **NEW:** [CDC Guidance for When You Are Fully Vaccinated](#) | [Graphic](#)
- **NEW:** [Proof of Negative COVID-19 Test Required for Passengers Arriving in the United States](#)
- **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](#)
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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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