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Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

Updated February 4, 2021

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Home isolation is mandatory if you have tested positive for COVID-19 by order of the State Health Officer. (If you are awaiting results of routine testing *not* related to exposure, you may return to work and follow the safety guidance of your employer.)

Quarantine is mandatory for household members of someone who has COVID-19. Home quarantine permits working under certain circumstances.

More about isolation and quarantine »

COVID-19 in Mississippi

New Cases and Deaths as of February 3

NEW CASES

1,210

New COVID-19 positive test results reported to MSDH as of 3 p.m. yesterday.

TOTAL MISSISSIPPI CASES

278,532

▹ Totals by county

NEW DEATHS

24

New COVID-19 related deaths reported to MSDH as of 3 p.m. yesterday.

Twenty-three deaths occurred between January 28 and February 3, 2021 in the counties below.

▸ County list

1 COVID-19 related death occurred on January 29, 2021, identified from death certificate reports.

▸ County list

TOTAL MISSISSIPPI DEATHS

6,182

▹ Totals by county

LTC OUTBREAKS

145

Current outbreaks in long-term care (LTC) facilities only. (See LTC facility outbreak definition.)

▹ Cases by county

About our case counts: We currently update our case totals each day based on test results from the previous day. Outside laboratories also report positive test results to us, which are included in our totals. Multiple positive tests for the same individual are counted only once. County case numbers and deaths may change as investigation finds new or additional information.

Statewide COVID-19 Data and Reports

- **K-12 School Reports**
  Weekly COVID-19 cases, outbreaks and exposure reported by Mississippi schools

- **Long-Term Care Facility and Residential Care Facility COVID-19 Reports**
  Data reported directly to MSDH by the facility; cases and deaths in these reports may not yet be included in our totals of lab-reported cases.

- **Ongoing Outbreaks in Nursing Homes**
  A wide variety of data from the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid (CMS)

- **Deaths from COVID-19 and Other Causes** PDF
  Provisional counts by week of deaths from COVID-19, pneumonia/influenza, and heart disease

- **Laboratory Testing**
  Number and type of COVID-19 tests performed

- **Mississippi COVID-19 Vaccination Report** PDF
  Vaccinations distributed and administered as reported to MSDH by vaccination providers

- **Statewide data charts**

County COVID-19 Data

Race and Ethnicity

- **Total COVID-19 cases and deaths by county, race and ethnicity** PDF
  Current and past data tables, updated daily

Data Snapshots for Individual Counties

- **Weekly COVID-19 snapshots for each Mississippi county**

High Cases and Incidence

- **Map of Mississippi counties by 7-day incidence**
- **Table of counties ranked by weekly cases and incidence**

Cumulative Cases and Deaths by County

Totals of all reported COVID-19 cases, including those in long-term care (LTC) facilities.

> **The numbers in this table are provisional.** County case numbers and deaths may change as investigation finds new or additional information. The data provided below is the most current available.

County	Total Cases	Total Deaths	Total LTC Facility Cases	Total LTC Facility Deaths
Adams	**2232**	72	72	15
Alcorn	**2839**	59	129	20
Amite	**1072**	30	54	7
Attala	**2022**	65	173	36
Total	**278,532**	**6,182**	**10,281**	**1,914**

County	Total Cases	Total Deaths	Total LTC Facility Cases	Total LTC Facility Deaths
Benton	**899**	24	45	10
Bolivar	**4385**	111	226	31
Calhoun	**1499**	23	29	4
Carroll	**1108**	22	48	9
Chickasaw	**1954**	49	57	15
Choctaw	**668**	14	1	0
Claiborne	**928**	27	45	9
Clarke	**1592**	65	123	30
Clay	**1735**	45	34	5
Coahoma	**2614**	58	129	11
Copiah	**2629**	52	80	11
Covington	**2339**	73	136	39
De Soto	**18569**	212	113	24
Forrest	**6582**	131	225	50
Franklin	**726**	19	39	4
George	**2171**	43	59	7
Greene	**1186**	31	52	6
Grenada	**2323**	74	155	32
Hancock	**3194**	70	68	14
Harrison	**15510**	236	481	65
Hinds	**17823**	359	804	127
Holmes	**1770**	69	103	20
Humphreys	**881**	25	34	8
Issaquena	**164**	6	0	0
Itawamba	**2799**	68	133	23
Jackson	**11636**	201	231	30
Jasper	**1960**	39	41	2
Jefferson	**592**	23	40	7
Jefferson Davis	**942**	31	8	1
Jones	**7371**	125	217	41
Kemper	**845**	21	45	9
Lafayette	**5499**	106	187	55
Lamar	**5361**	67	53	13
Total	**278,532**	**6,182**	**10,281**	**1,914**

County	Total Cases	Total Deaths	Total LTC Facility Cases	Total LTC Facility Deaths
Lauderdale	**6468**	212	439	96
Lawrence	**1137**	18	27	2
Leake	**2455**	68	88	14
Lee	**9346**	151	217	41
Leflore	**3224**	114	236	52
Lincoln	**3251**	95	173	37
Lowndes	**5779**	130	256	62
Madison	**9042**	183	360	69
Marion	**2394**	76	158	24
Marshall	**3760**	83	64	15
Monroe	**3857**	118	189	55
Montgomery	**1157**	36	54	9
Neshoba	**3596**	162	201	58
Newton	**2098**	49	87	15
Noxubee	**1182**	27	35	6
Oktibbeha	**4244**	88	216	36
Panola	**4068**	88	102	13
Pearl River	**3791**	116	186	33
Perry	**1094**	32	21	7
Pike	**2856**	89	125	34
Pontotoc	**3949**	63	80	8
Prentiss	**2614**	56	99	15
Quitman	**745**	11	0	0
Rankin	**11890**	242	390	61
Scott	**2786**	58	114	11
Sharkey	**481**	17	43	8
Simpson	**2532**	76	158	20
Smith	**1422**	27	62	8
Stone	**1622**	28	84	14
Sunflower	**3041**	81	117	19
Tallahatchie	**1642**	37	50	7
Tate	**2886**	67	80	19
Tippah	**2633**	55	119	9
Total	**278,532**	**6,182**	**10,281**	**1,914**

County	Total Cases	Total Deaths	Total LTC Facility Cases	Total LTC Facility Deaths
Tishomingo	**2040**	63	102	27
Tunica	**934**	22	18	2
Union	**3751**	68	132	22
Walthall	**1194**	38	68	13
Warren	**3940**	110	170	38
Washington	**5048**	125	189	39
Wayne	**2332**	40	69	11
Webster	**1026**	24	58	11
Wilkinson	**608**	25	25	5
Winston	**2147**	74	130	39
Yalobusha	**1337**	36	82	22
Yazoo	**2714**	59	139	18
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Case Classifications

Mississippi investigates and reports both probable and confirmed cases and deaths according to the CSTE case definition.

	Confirmed	Probable	Total
Cases	175,202	103,330	**278,532**
Deaths	4,441	1,741	**6,182**

Confirmed cases and deaths are generally determined by positive PCR tests, which detect the presence of ongoing coronavirus infection.

Probable cases are those who test positive by other testing methods such as antibody or antigen, and have recent symptoms consistent with COVID-19, indicating a recent infection.

Probable deaths are those individuals with a designation of COVID-19 as a cause of death on the death certificate, but where no confirmatory testing was performed.
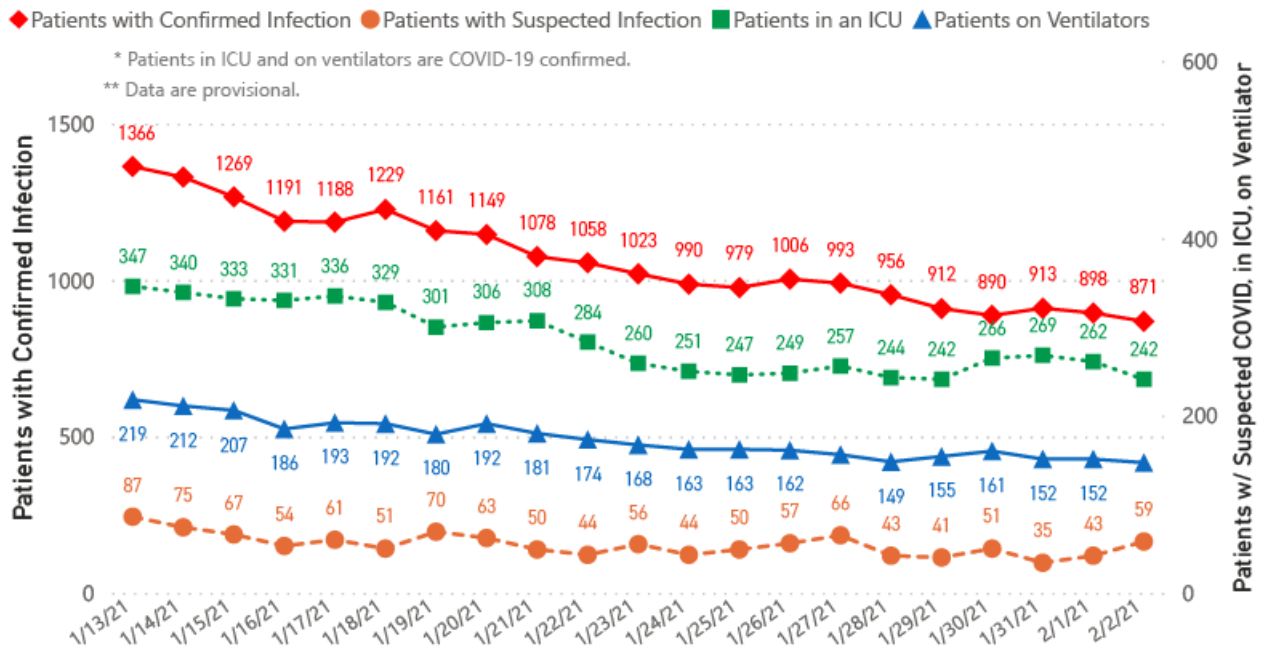
Mississippi COVID-19 Data Charts and Maps

All data reports below are updated as they become available.

Hospitalizations and Bed Availability
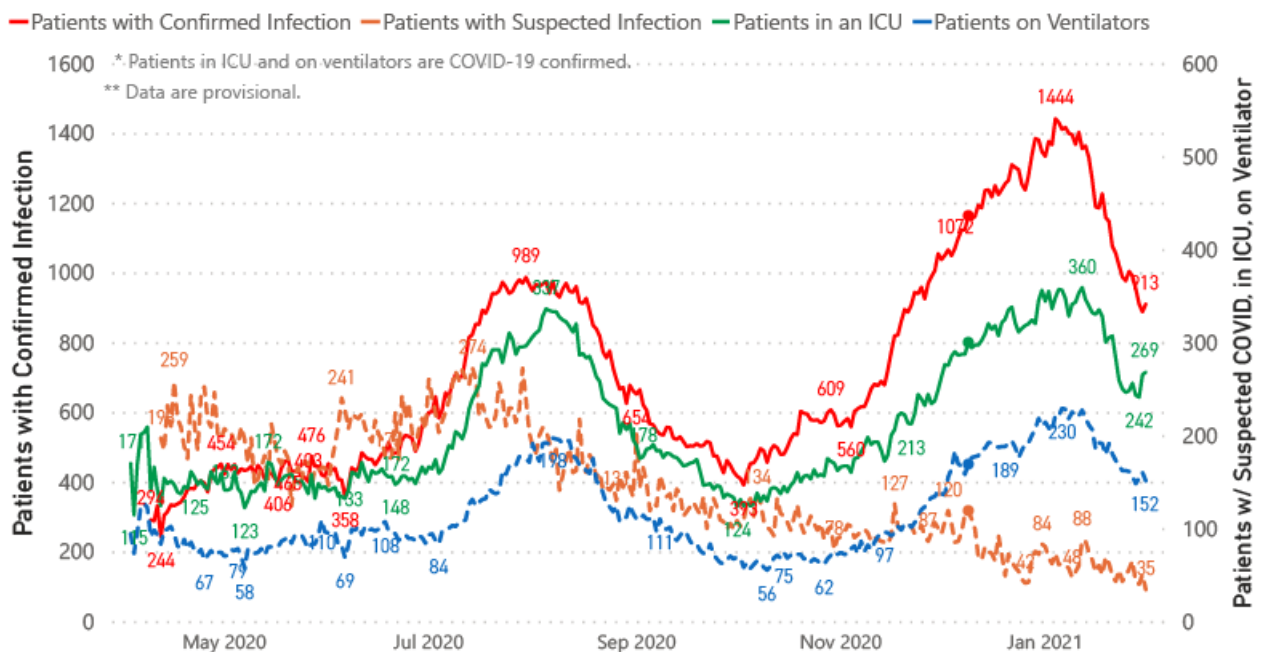
▸ View interactive hospitalization charts

COVID-19 Hospitalizations Reported by MS Hospitals, 1/13/21–2/2/21 *,**

Hospitalization and ICU Use to Date

Updated weekly

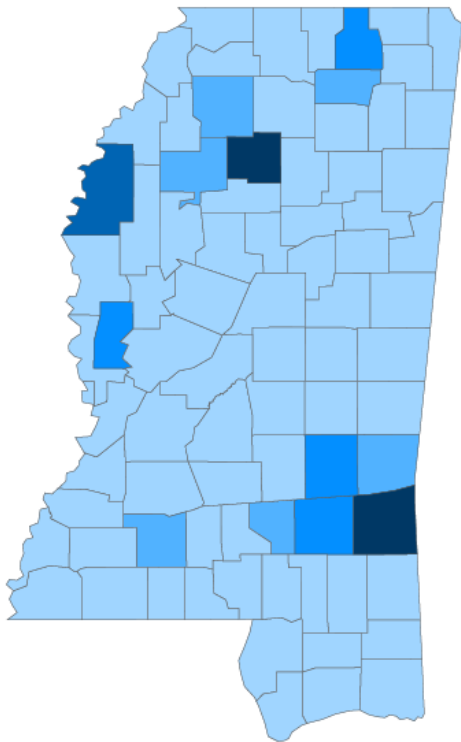COVID-19 Hospitalizations Trends, Reported by MS Hospitals as of 1/31/21 *,**

Daily Case Maps

▸ View all interactive maps

Recent COVID-19 Activity

The chart below shows counties according to COVID-19 incidence (cases by population) over the last 7 days. Also see weekly county incidence tables

Mississippi COVID-19 Cases Incidence Rate *
as of February 3, 2021

7 Day Average New Cases	7 Day Average Incidence Rate *
1,150.9	38.8

Cumulative Cases	2019 Estimated Population
278,532	2,976,148

County	Incidence Rate ▾	New Cases (7-Day Avg)	2019 Est. Population	Mask Mandate Status	Mask Mandate Started	Mask Mandate Ended
Wayne	84.2	17.0	20,183	None		
Yalobusha	83.8	10.1	12,108	Active	11/10/20	
Bolivar	77.4	23.7	30,628	Active	11/24/20	
Jones	69.6	47.4	68,098	Active	11/24/20	
Tippah	62.9	13.9	22,015	Active	11/24/20	
Sharkey	62.8	2.7	4,321	None		
Jasper	61.0	10.0	16,383	None		
Panola	57.7	19.7	34,192	Active	11/24/20	
Union	56.0	16.1	28,815	Active	11/24/20	
Clarke	54.2	8.4	15,541	None		

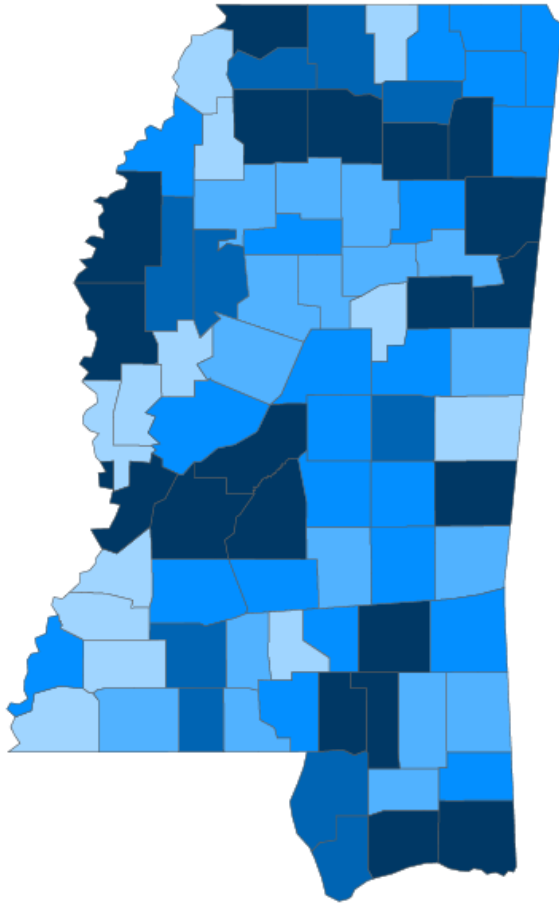● <50.0 ● 50.0 to 60.0 ● 60.0 to 70.0 ● 70.0 to 80.0 ● >80.0

Based on average daily new cases of past 7 days per 100,000 population.

Cumulative COVID-19 Cases

Total cases and deaths by county since the start of the pandemic. Also see weekly estimate of recoveries

Mississippi COVID-19 Cases and Deaths by Race with Ethnicity as of 6 pm CT, February 3, 2021

Total Cases
278,532

	American Indian or Alaska Native	Asian	Black	White	Other	Unknown
Non Hispanic	1,107	975	75,111	105,4...	2,725	2,287
Hispanic	50	32	373	1,814	3,220	641
Unknown Ethnicity	979	316	17,026	25,713	6,917	33,791

Total Deaths
6,182

	American Indian or Alaska Native	Asian	Black	White	Other	Unknown
Non Hispanic	82	10	2,121	2,805	34	14
Hispanic	1	0	7	28	17	2
Unknown Ethnicity	23	7	322	509	55	145

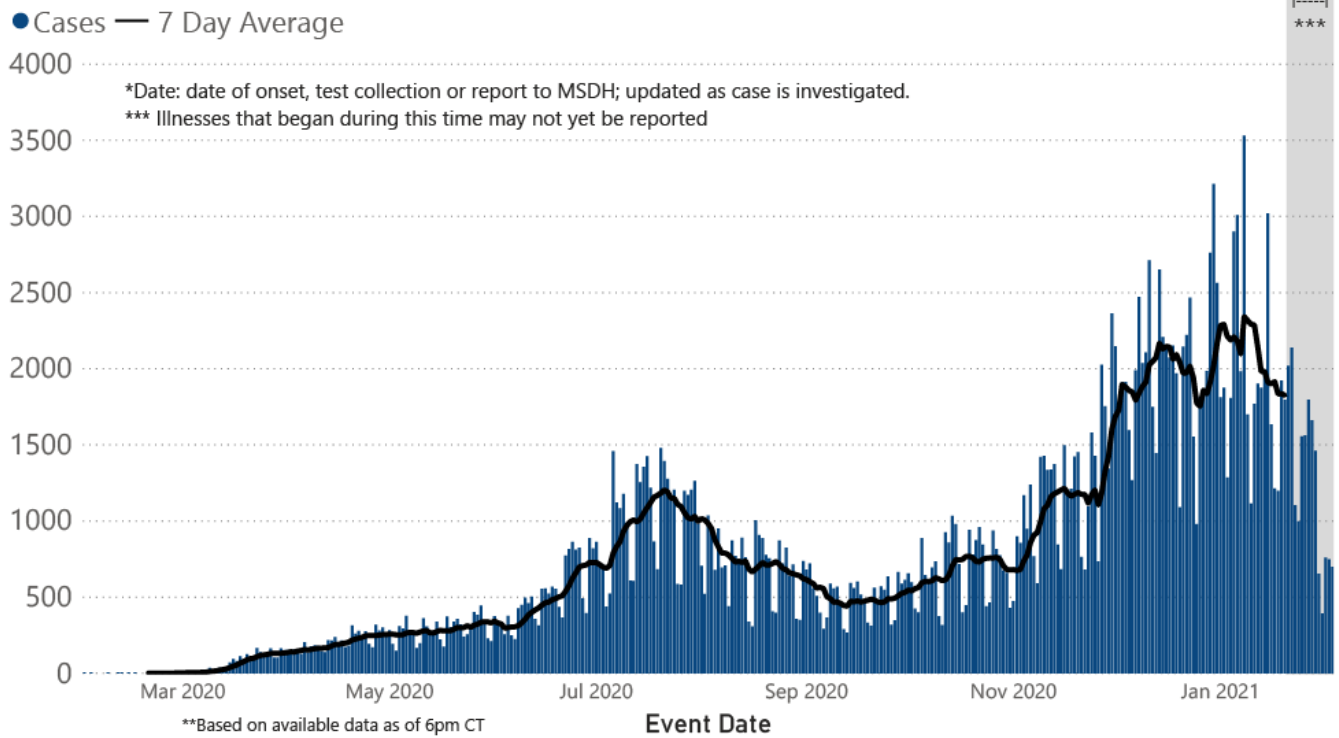Legend: ● 1 to 950 ● 951 to 1900 ● 1901 to 2850 ● 2851 to 3800 ● >3800

Daily Statewide Data Charts

Our state case map and other data charts are also available in interactive form.

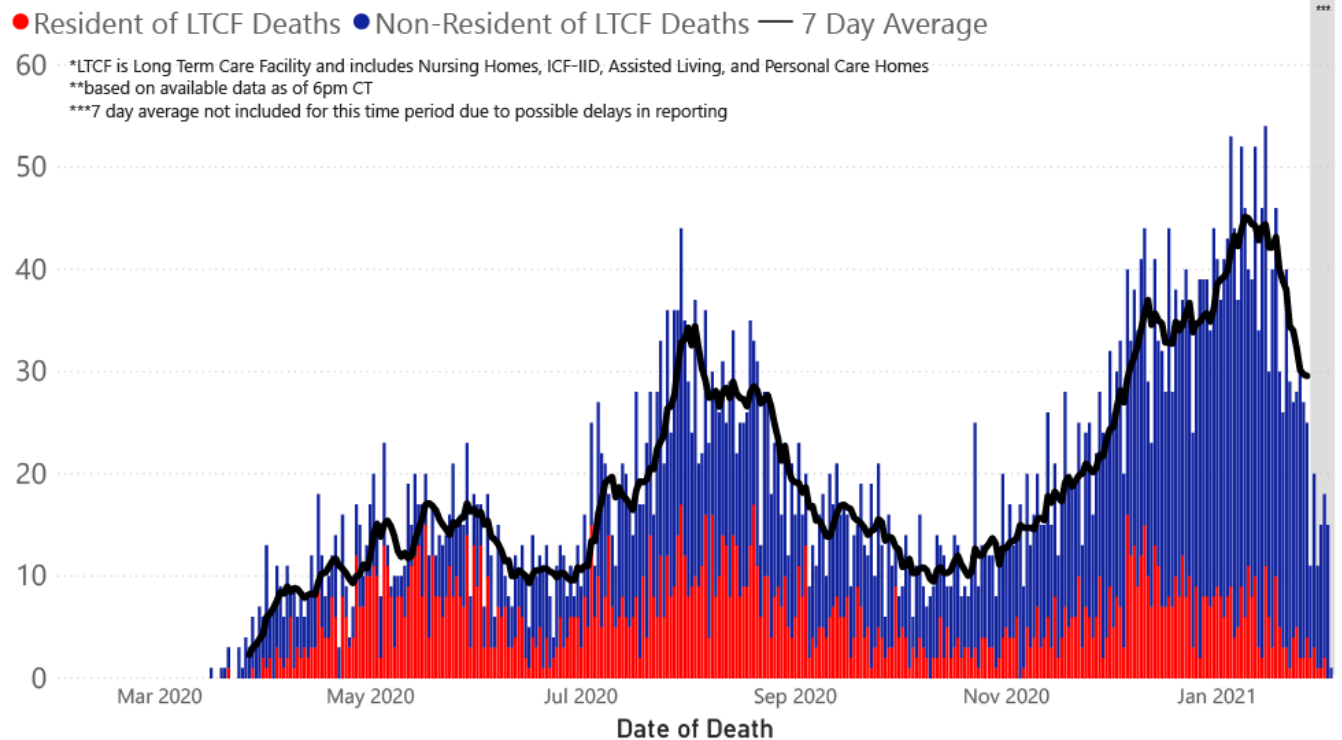▷ View interactive epidemiological and surveillance charts

The charts below are based on available data at the time of publication. Charts do **not** include cases where insufficient details of the case are known.

COVID-19 Cases by Date* through February 3, 2021**, Mississippi

● Cases — 7 Day Average

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*Date: date of onset, test collection or report to MSDH; updated as case is investigated.
*** Illnesses that began during this time may not yet be reported

4000
3500
3000
2500
2000
1500
1000
500
0

Mar 2020　　May 2020　　Jul 2020　　Sep 2020　　Nov 2020　　Jan 2021

**Based on available data as of 6pm CT

Event Date

Note: Values up to two weeks in the past on the chart of Cases by Date above can change as we update it with new information from disease investigation.

COVID-19 LTCF* and Non-LTCF Deaths by Date of Death through February 3, 2021**, Mississippi

● Resident of LTCF Deaths ● Non-Resident of LTCF Deaths — 7 Day Average

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*LTCF is Long Term Care Facility and includes Nursing Homes, ICF-IID, Assisted Living, and Personal Care Homes
**based on available data as of 6pm CT
***7 day average not included for this time period due to possible delays in reporting

60
50
40
30
20
10
0

Mar 2020　　May 2020　　Jul 2020　　Sep 2020　　Nov 2020　　Jan 2021

Date of Death

Charts of cases by age can now be found in the following section of weekly data charts.

Weekly Statewide Data Charts

Includes:

- Cases, deaths and hospitalizations, analyzed by age, race/ethnicity, gender and other factors
- MIS-C cases and deaths
- Counties with high COVID-19 cases and incidence
- Syndromic surveillance

▶ **All weekly charts**

Estimated Recoveries

Presumed COVID-19 cases recovered, estimated weekly (does not include cases still under investigation).

COVID-19 Presumed Recovered Cases through January 24, 2021, Mississippi

222,812

Presumed Recovered*

*Reflects Provisional Estimates. Presumed Recovered if:
1) It has been 14 days or more since the case tested positive, if they were not hospitalized
2) It has been 21 days or more since the case tested positive, if they were hospitalized or hospitalization was unknown.

All deaths excluded. Presumed recovered counts will be updated weekly.

U.S. and World Cases

▶ COVID-19 cases in the United States (CDC)
▶ U.S. COVID-19 Tracker (CDC)
▶ COVID-19 Global Case Map (Johns Hopkins University)

COVID-19 Testing

Statewide Combined Testing as of January 30

COVID-19 testing providers around the state include commercial laboratories as well as hospital labs. Combined with testing done by the MSDH Public Health Laboratory, the figures provide a complete picture of all Mississippi testing. (Updated weekly)

PCR testing detects current, active COVID-19 infection in an individual.

Antibody (serology) testing identifies individuals with past COVID-19 infection based on antibodies they develop one to three weeks after infection.

Antigen testing is another way to identify current COVID-19 infection.

	Total tests	**PCR**	**Antibody**	**Antigen**
MSDH Public Health Laboratory	160,416	159,173	1,243	0
Other testing providers	2,064,442	1,342,240	73,480	648,722
Total tests for COVID-19 statewide	**2,224,858**	**1,501,413**	**74,723**	**648,722**

MSDH Individuals Tested as of February 3

MSDH Public Health Laboratory (MPHL) testing totals as of 3 p.m. These totals are for tests performed at the MPHL only.

- Total individuals tested by the MPHL: **104,155**
- Total positive individuals from MPHL tests: **12,749**

▸ Getting tested for COVID-19

Prevention and Guidance for Individuals and the Community

▸ Preventive steps to take, recommendations, guidance and general information on COVID-19

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Related resources

▸ **IT IS REAL: COVID-19 as Told by Survivors**

▸ **Free COVID-19 Testing and Local Testing Providers**

▸ **COVID-19 Guidance and Prevention for Individuals and the Community**
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COVID-19 Vaccinations

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Mississippi Vaccination Report

Mississippians 65 and older, or with chronic health conditions now qualify for vaccination.

FULL INFORMATION

Birth Certificate

Certificate of Need

Children's Health Insurance

Complaint Form

Criminal History Check

Death Certificate

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