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Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

Updated March 12, 2021

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New long-term care facility visitation rules allow a wider range of visits in all facility types. Learn more »

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COVID-19 in Mississippi

New Cases and Deaths as of March 11

NEW CASES

New COVID-19 positive test results reported to MSDH as of 3 p.m. yesterday. TOTAL MISSISSIPPI CASES 299,887 Totals by county **NEW DEATHS** 19 New COVID-19 related deaths reported to MSDH as of 3 p.m. yesterday. Seven deaths occurred between February 17 and March 11 in the counties below: ▶ County list Twelve deaths occurred between January 26 and March 4, identified from death certificate reports. ▶ County list **TOTAL MISSISSIPPI DEATHS** 6,883 Totals by county LTC OUTBREAKS 48 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.

Long-term care cases and death totals usually updated today have been delayed.

| County | Total Cases | Total Deaths |
|---------|-------------|--------------|
| Adams | 2370 | 79 |
| Alcorn | 2938 | 63 |
| Amite | 1137 | 37 |
| Attala | 2109 | 72 |
| Benton | 945 | 24 |
| Bolivar | 4654 | 125 |
| Total | 299,887 | 6,883 |

| County | Total Cases | Total Deaths |
|--------------------|-------------|--------------|
| Calhoun | 1600 | 29 |
| Carroll | 1199 | 25 |
| Chickasaw | 2022 | 54 |
| Choctaw | 717 | 17 |
| Claiborne | 995 | 30 |
| Clarke | 1720 | 74 |
| Clay | 1799 | 53 |
| Coahoma | 2856 | 70 |
| Copiah | 2816 | 59 |
| Covington | 2517 | 80 |
| De Soto | 19991 | 238 |
| Forrest | 7353 | 140 |
| Franklin | 776 | 21 |
| George | 2335 | 45 |
| Greene | 1287 | 33 |
| Grenada | 2499 | 79 |
| Hancock | 3577 | 78 |
| Harrison | 17043 | 292 |
| Hinds | 19161 | 397 |
| Holmes | 1836 | 70 |
| Humphreys | 936 | 29 |
| Issaquena | 167 | 6 |
| Itawamba | 2920 | 76 |
| Jackson | 12825 | 235 |
| Jasper | 2168 | 47 |
| Jefferson | 634 | 27 |
| Jefferson Davis | 1033 | 31 |
| Jones | 8127 | 152 |
| Kemper | 924 | 24 |
| Lafayette | 5808 | 114 |
| Lamar | 5972 | 84 |
| Lauderdale | 6926 | 229 |
| Lawrence | 1225 | 21 |
| Total | 299,887 | 6,883 |

| County | Total Cases | Total Deaths |
|--------------|-------------|--------------|
| Leake | 2561 | 72 |
| Lee | 9753 | 165 |
| Leflore | 3417 | 123 |
| Lincoln | 3701 | 104 |
| Lowndes | 6153 | 141 |
| Madison | 9640 | 206 |
| Marion | 2605 | 78 |
| Marshall | 4100 | 96 |
| Monroe | 4012 | 130 |
| Montgomery | 1238 | 40 |
| Neshoba | 3889 | 172 |
| Newton | 2352 | 54 |
| Noxubee | 1237 | 31 |
| Oktibbeha | 4463 | 97 |
| Panola | 4383 | 99 |
| Pearl River | 4252 | 132 |
| Perry | 1238 | 37 |
| Pike | 3059 | 100 |
| Pontotoc | 4125 | 71 |
| Prentiss | 2726 | 58 |
| Quitman | 781 | 15 |
| Rankin | 12993 | 267 |
| Scott | 2986 | 71 |
| Sharkey | 492 | 17 |
| Simpson | 2799 | 82 |
| Smith | 1551 | 34 |
| Stone | 1742 | 30 |
| Sunflower | 3227 | 87 |
| Tallahatchie | 1726 | 39 |
| Tate | 3137 | 77 |
| Tippah | 2816 | 66 |
| Tishomingo | 2138 | 66 |
| Tunica | 1010 | 24 |
| Total | 299,887 | 6,883 |

| County | Total Cases | Total Deaths |
|------------|-------------|--------------|
| Union | 3985 | 74 |
| Walthall | 1261 | 42 |
| Warren | 4179 | 115 |
| Washington | 5241 | 130 |
| Wayne | 2576 | 41 |
| Webster | 1124 | 32 |
| Wilkinson | 628 | 27 |
| Winston | 2232 | 79 |
| Yalobusha | 1481 | 36 |
| Yazoo | 2961 | 67 |
| Total | 299,887 | 6,883 |

^{*} Note: A death previously reported in Forrest county has been corrected to Lamar county.

Case Classifications

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

| | Confirmed | Probable | Total |
|--------|-----------|----------|---------|
| Cases | 185,297 | 114,590 | 299,887 |
| Deaths | 4,783 | 2,100 | 6,883 |

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.

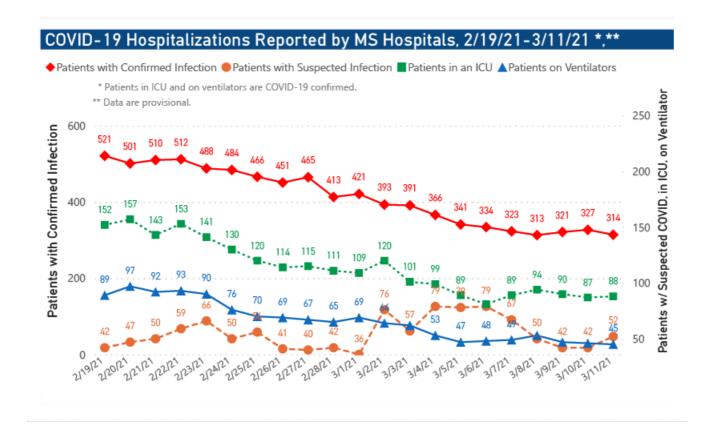
Probable deaths are those individuals with a designation of COVID-19 as a cause of death on the death certificate, but where no confirmatory testing was performed.

Mississippi COVID-19 Data Charts and Maps

All data reports below are updated as they become available.

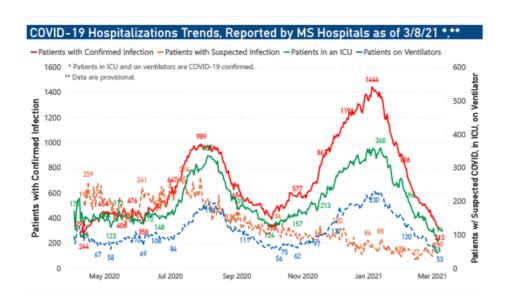
Hospitalizations and Bed Availability

View interactive hospitalization charts



Hospitalization and ICU Use to Date

Updated weekly



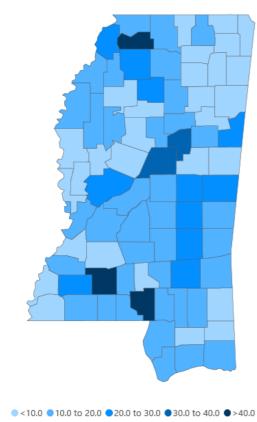
Daily Case Maps

▶ 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 March 11, 2021



Mississippi

7 Day Average New Cases

7 Day Average Incidence Rate *

448.9

14.7

Cumulative Cases 2019 Estimated Population

299,887

2,976,148

| County | Incidence Rate ▼ | New Cases (7-Day Avg) | 2019 Est. Population | Mask Mandate Status | Mask Mandate Started | Mask Mandate Ended |
|-----------|------------------------|--------------------------|-------------------------|------------------------|----------------------------|--------------------------|
| Tate | 51.5 | 14.6 | 28,321 | Active | 11/16/20 | |
| Lincoln | 46.4 | 15.9 | 34,153 | Active | 11/24/20 | |
| Marion | 44.8 | 11.0 | 24,573 | None | | |
| Attala | 32.2 | 5.9 | 18,174 | Active | 11/24/20 | |
| Choctaw | 31.3 | 2.6 | 8,210 | Active | 11/24/20 | |
| Yalobusha | 29.5 | 3.6 | 12,108 | Active | 11/10/20 | |
| Neshoba | 26.0 | 7.6 | 29,118 | Active | 11/24/20 | |
| Jasper | 25.3 | 4.1 | 16,383 | None | | |
| Lowndes | 24.9 | 14.6 | 58,595 | Active | 11/24/20 | |
| Kemper | 23.5 | 2.3 | 9,742 | None | | |

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

Cumulative COVID-19 Cases

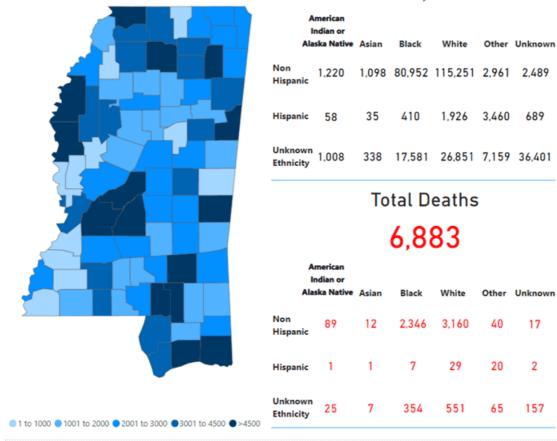
Total cases and deaths by county since the start of the pandemic. Also see weekly estimate of recoveries

Mississippi COVID-19 Cases and Deaths by Race with Ethnicity as of 3 pm CT, March 11, 2021

Mississippi

Total Cases

299,887

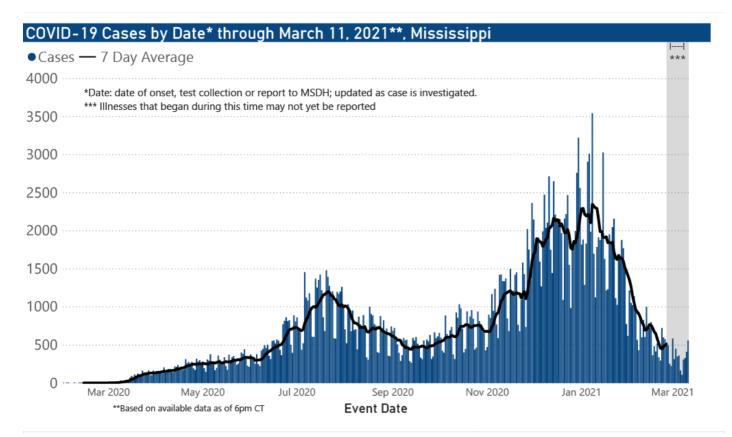


Daily Statewide Data Charts

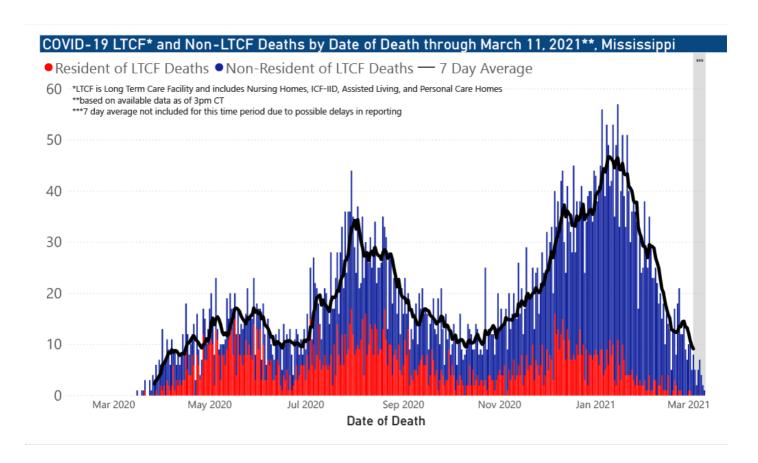
Our state case map and other data charts are also available in interactive form.

▶ 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.



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.



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 March 8, 2021, Mississippi

283,953

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 March 7.

COVID-19 testing providers around the state include commercial laboratories, hospital labs and the MSDH Public Health Laboratory results from all these sources are combined in the table below. (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.

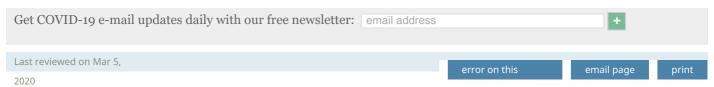
Antigen testing is another way to identify current COVID-19 infection.

| Total tests | 2,522,676 |
|---------------------------|-----------|
| Antigen tests | 772,353 |
| Serology (antibody) tests | 83,470 |
| PCR tests | 1,666,853 |

▶ 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



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** Updated March 11, 2021

More topics

- ▶ [Espanol, Tieng Viet, ASL]
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COVID-19 Vaccinations

Latest information Questions and answers Mississippi Vaccination Report

Now vaccinating all Mississippians aged 50 and older.

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