

COVID-19 Daily Update February 10, 2021

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Help curb spread of COVID-19 by getting tested

Getting tested for COVID-19 is a critical tool to slowing the spread of the virus. The sooner you know if you have the virus, the sooner you can protect yourself, your loved ones and your community.

There are now even more sites available around the state to get tested, with more open daily. Make an appointment for a test by visiting healthvermont.gov/testing. (You will need to create an account first.)

Many test sites now allow Vermonters to take their own samples using a short swab in your nose. Watch <u>a new video</u> to learn how easy it is to do!

If you have <u>symptoms</u> of COVID-19, please contact your health care provider so they can refer you for testing. If you don't have a provider, you can call 2-1-1.

Prepare for your vaccination by creating an online account

Good news! Even if your age group is not yet eligible to be vaccinated, you can still get a head start on the process now by creating your account in our system. That way, it'll be smooth sailing when it's your turn to make an appointment for your first dose. Learn more at healthvermont.gov/MyVaccine.

New on healthvermont.gov

One of the best ways to stop the spread of COVID-19 is by getting tested as soon as you start to feel sick. See the latest <u>Weekly Data Summary Spotlight</u> and learn more about the average amount of time between symptom onset and when the Health Department receives a person's test result — so that public health response can begin.

COVID-19 Activity in Vermont

As of 12 p.m. on February 10, 2021 Data is updated daily.

| Description | Number |
|----------------------------------|----------------|
| New cases* | 62 |
| | (13,122 total) |
| Currently hospitalized | 54 |
| Hospitalized in ICU | 10 |
| Hospitalized under investigation | 4 |
| Percent Positive (7-day average) | 1.8% |
| People tested | 313,734 |
| Total tests | 942,276 |
| Total people recovered | 9,988 |
| Deaths+ | 187 |
| Travelers monitored | 190 |
| Contacts monitored | 177 |
| People completed monitoring | 12,970 |

Find more data on COVID-19 Activity at: healthvermont.gov/currentactivity.

COVID-19 Vaccine Data

As of 12 p.m. on February 10, 2021 Data is updated Tuesdays through Saturdays.

| Description | Number |
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| Total people who have received least one dose of vaccine | 66,506 (11.9% of population) |
| Total people who have received two doses of vaccine (completed) | 30,129 |

Find more vaccine data on the COVID-19 Vaccine Dashboard: healthvermont.gov/covid19-vaccine-data.

Additional Resources About Vaccination and More

- Find answers to your questions about the COVID-19 vaccine from the CDC: www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/vaccines/faq.html.
- Get Vermont-specific information in our Frequently Asked Ouestions.
- Sign up for the COVID-19 Weekly Email Update.

• Find information sheets, posters and toolkits, as well as translated materials on our Resources web page,

Take Care of Your Emotional and Mental Health

If you or someone you know is in crisis or needs emotional support, help is available 24/7:

- Call your <u>local mental health crisis line.</u>
- Text VT to 741741 to talk with someone at the Crisis Text Line.
- Call the National Suicide Prevention Lifeline at 1-800-273-8255.

You can also get more information and resources:

- Visit our Coping with Stress web page.
- Get connected to Alcohol and Drug Support Services at VT Helplink.
- Get self-help tips and connect to mental health services at COVID Support VT.

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