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Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

Analysis of COVID-19 Cases in Montana as of 8/21/2020 Archive of COVID-19 Montana Analyses



Demographic Information for Confirmed Cases

COVID-19 Cases in Montana	
Total Number of Cases	7063
- Number of Deaths	100

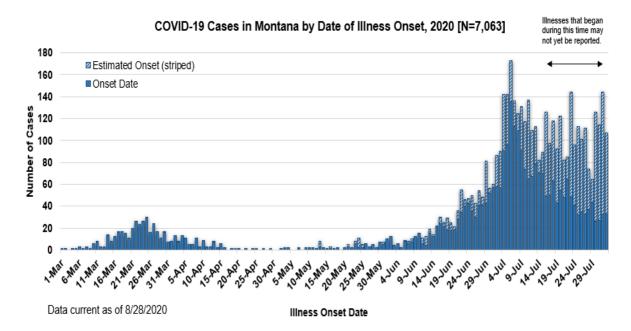
^{*} Tables and charts are updated by 10 am every morning.

County of Residence	Number of Cases	Number of Deaths	Community Transmission*
Beaverhead	70		Yes
Big Horn	630	15	Yes
Blaine	15		
Broadwater	16		
Carbon	86		
Cascade	265	5	Yes
Choteau	10		
Custer	67	2	
Daniels	3		
Dawson	39		
Deer Lodge	33		
Fallon	2		

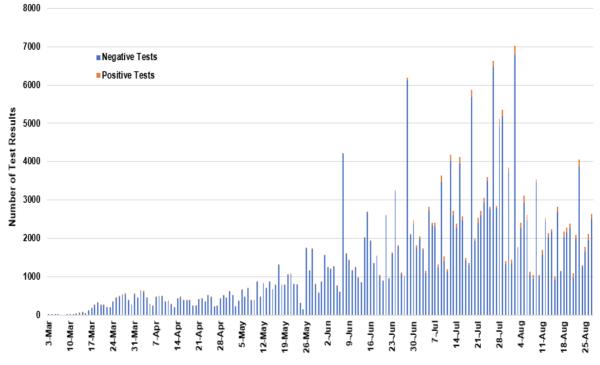
County of Residence	Number of Cases	Number of Deaths	Community Transmission*
Fergus	32		
Flathead	557	4	Yes
Gallatin	1051	3	Yes
Garfield	12		
Glacier	135	1	Yes
Golden Valley	3		
Granite	18		
Hill	79	2	
Jefferson	38		
Judith Basin	5		
Lake	199	1	
Lewis and Clark	195	2	Yes
Liberty	5		
Lincoln	89	2	
Madison	92	1	Yes
McCone	8		
Meagher	4		
Mineral	2		
Missoula	427	3	Yes
Musselshell	9		
Park	63		
Phillips	110		
Pondera	15		
Powder River	2		
Powell	10		
Prairie	1		
Ravalli	104	2	Yes
Richland	57	2	
Roosevelt	34	1	
Rosebud	205	2	Yes
Sanders	31		
Sheridan	5		
Silver Bow	111		Yes
Stillwater	36	2	
Sweet Grass	10	1	
Teton	18		
Toole	47	6	
Treasure	3		

County of Residence	Number of Cases	Number of Deaths	Community Transmission*
Valley	39		
Wheatland	3		
Wibaux	5		
Yellowstone	1958	41	Yes
Total	7063	98	

^{*} Community transmission - a community has identified cases who are unable to be linked with other known cases or travel. This status has been determined after consultation between state and local health departments.



SARS-Cov-2 PCR Testing at Montana Public Health Laboratory and Reference Laboratories, Montana 2020 [n=242,875]



Hospitalization Status	Number of Cases (percent of total)
Ever hospitalized	417 (6%)
Not Hospitalized	6646 (94%)
Total	7063

Age Group	Number of Cases (percent of total)
0-9 years	298 (4.3%)
10-19 years	658 (9.2%)
20-29 years	1707 (24.3%)
30-39 years	1220 (17.2%)
40-49 years	919 (13.0%)
50-59 years	890 (12.5%)
60-69 years	742 (10.6%)
70-79 years	406 (5.7%)
80-89 years	175 (2.5%)
90-99 years	47 (<1%)
100+	1 (<1%)
Total	7063

Sex	Number of Cases (percent of total)	
Female	3528 (50%)	
Male	3525 (50%)	
Total	7063	

Race and Ethnicity	Number of Cases (percent of total)
White	3885 (55%)
American Indian, Alaska Native, Native Hawaiian, and Pacific Islander	1128 (16%)
Asian	26 (<1%)

Race and Ethnicity	Number of Cases (percent of total)
Black or African American	43 (<1%)
Other Race	74 (1%)
Undetermined/Under investigation	1907 (27%)
Total	7063
Among those with ethnicity specified:	
Hispanic/Latino	277 (3.9%)
Not Hispanic/Latino	4736 (67%)
Undetermined/Under investigation	2050 (29%)
Total	7063

Current Status of Cases	Number of Cases (percent of total)
Hospitalized	121 (1.7%)
Deceased	100 (1.4%)
Recovering	1670 (24%)
Recovered and released from isolation	5172 (73%)
Total number of cases	7063

Summary of Long Term Care Facility (LTCF) and Assisted Living Facility (ALF) COVID-19 cases and deaths:

	Count (percent of total)
Number of LTCF/ALF facilities in Montana	291
Number of LTCF/ALF with positive cases	41 (14.1%)
All COVID-19 cases reported in Montana	7063
Number of COVID-19 cases in LTCF/ALF	311 (4.4%)
All COVID-19 related deaths reported in Montana	100
Number of COVID-19 related deaths in LTCF/ALF	33 (33%)

Long term care residents are at high risk for infection, serious illness, and death from COVID-19. Data in the above table will be updated weekly.

Location (at time of testing) of individuals diagnosed but not residing or counted in Montana:

County	Number of Cases (percent of total)
Beaverhead	3 (1%)
Big Horn	1 (<1%)
Carbon	3 (1%)

County	Number of Cases (percent of total)
Cascade	20 (9%)
Custer	4 (2%)
Dawson	2 (1%)
Deer Lodge	1 (<1%)
Fallon	1 (<1%)
Fergus	2 (1%)
Flathead	46 (20%)
Gallatin	44 (19%)
Glacier	1 (<1%)
Granite	1 (<1%)
Lake	10 (4%)
Lewis and Clark	5 (2%)
Lincoln	3 (1%)
Madison	25 (11%)
Meagher	1 (<1%)
Missoula	9 (4%)
Park	8 (3%)
Powell	1 (<1%)
Ravalli	8 (3%)
Silver Bow	5 (2%)
Stillwater	2 (1%)
Sweet Grass	3 (1%)
Toole	2 (1%)
Yellowstone	20 (9%)
Total	231

Cases reported in the tables above include 13 residents of other states who were tested, isolated and/or hospitalized in Montana during the early phases of the pandemic. As COVID-19 is now widespread across the United States, data no longer include out-of-state residents who test positive in Montana in order to align with Council of State and Territorial Epidemiologists guidelines that classify cases by the individual's usual state of residence. This is standard practice for all communicable diseases to ensure accurate case reporting for Montana and the US. Additional individuals were diagnosed in Montana but are not included due to residency and/or the transient nature of their visit to the state: data for these individuals are reflected in the table immediately above.



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