

Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19)

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Demographic Information for Confirmed Cases

COVID-19 Cases in Montana

Total Number of Cases 7340

- Number of Deaths 104

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

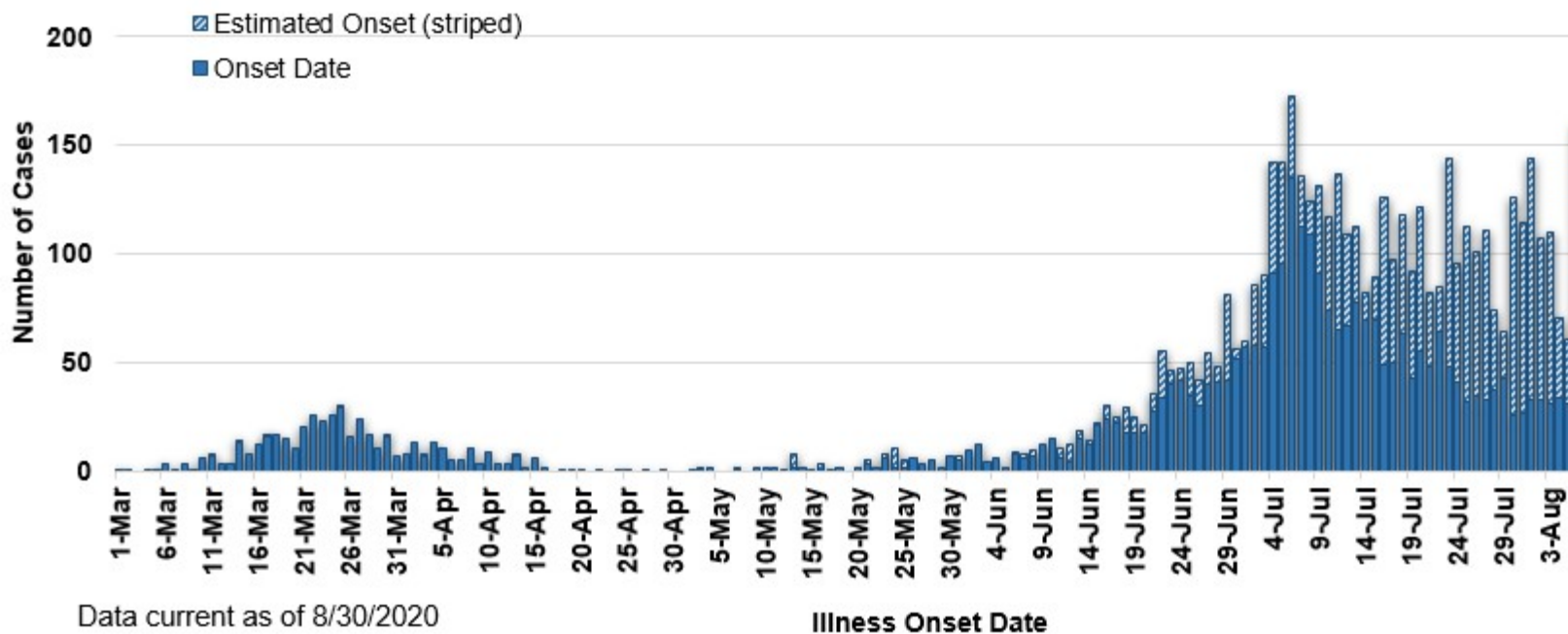
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County of Residence	Number of Cases	Number of Deaths	Community Transmission*
Beaverhead	70	1	Yes
Big Horn	652	15	Yes
Blaine	15		
Broadwater	16		
Carbon	86		
Cascade	280	5	Yes
Choteau	10		
Custer	66	2	
Daniels	3		

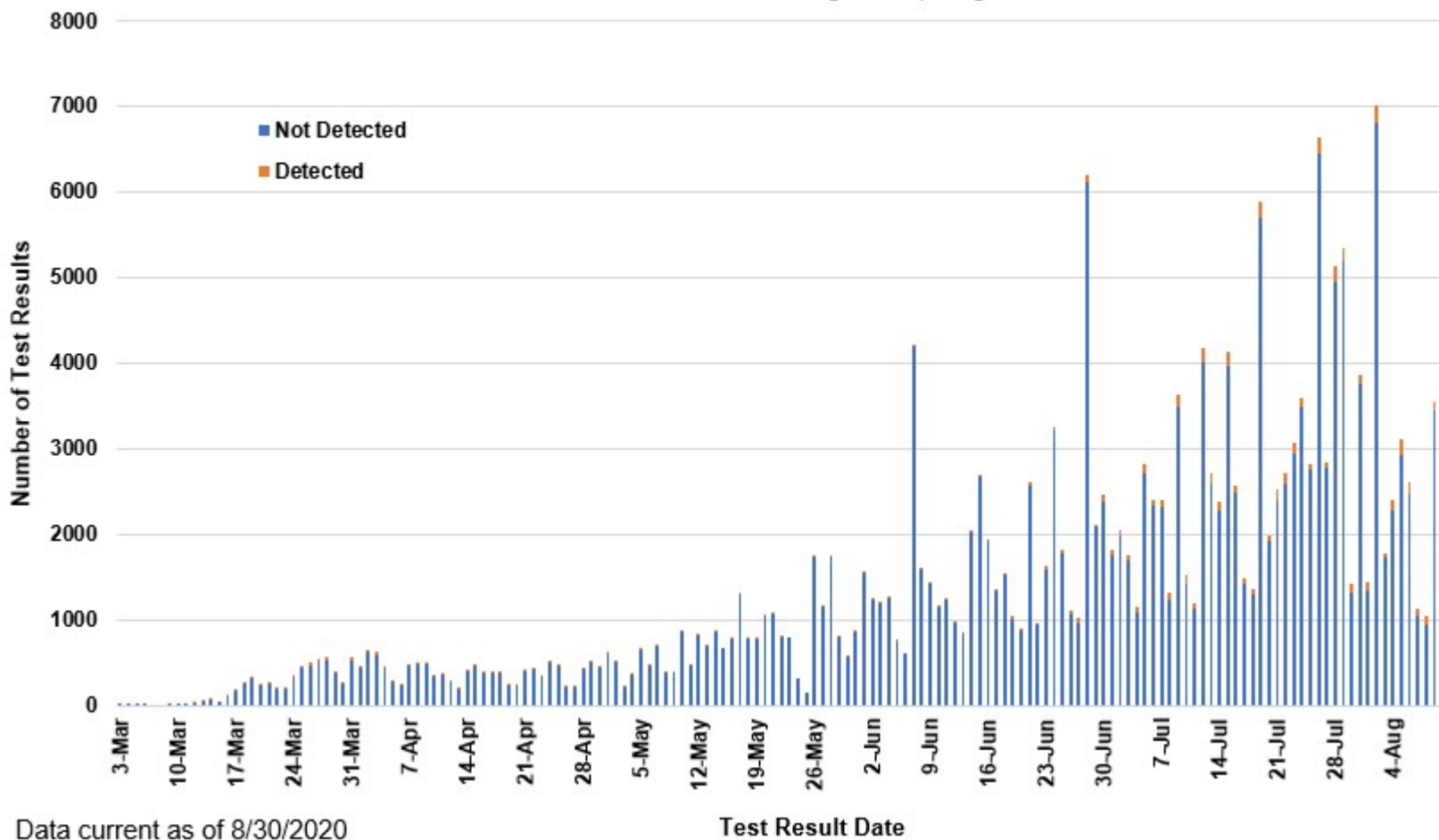
County of Residence	Number of Cases	Number of Deaths	Community Transmission*
Dawson	44		
Deer Lodge	33		
Fallon	2		
Fergus	31		
Flathead	588	7	Yes
Gallatin	1074	3	Yes
Garfield	13		
Glacier	135	1	Yes
Golden Valley	3		
Granite	19		
Hill	81	2	
Jefferson	39		
Judith Basin	6		
Lake	202	1	
Lewis and Clark	196	2	Yes
Liberty	5		
Lincoln	89	2	
Madison	93	1	Yes
McCone	12		
Meagher	4		
Mineral	2		
Missoula	433	3	Yes
Musselshell	12		
Park	63		
Phillips	110		
Pondera	15		
Powder River	2		
Powell	10		
Prairie	1		
Ravalli	107	2	Yes
Richland	58	2	
Roosevelt	34	1	
Rosebud	260	2	Yes
Sanders	31		
Sheridan	5		
Silver Bow	111		Yes
Stillwater	36	2	
Sweet Grass	14	1	
Teton	18		
Toole	47	6	
Treasure	3		
Valley	40		
Wheatland	3		
Wibaux	5		
Yellowstone	2053	413	Yes
Total	7340	104	

* 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.

COVID-19 Cases in Montana by Date of Illness Onset, 2020 [N=7,340]



SARS-Cov-2 PCR Testing at Montana Public Health Laboratory and Reference Laboratories, Montana 2020 [n=246,661]



Hospitalization Status	Number of Cases (percent of total)
Ever hospitalized	432 (6%)
Not Hospitalized	6908 (94%)
Total	7340

Age Group	Number of Cases (percent of total)
0-9 years	315 (4%)
10-19 years	696 (9%)
20-29 years	1745 (24%)
30-39 years	1260 (17%)
40-49 years	958 (13%)
50-59 years	934 (13%)
60-69 years	768 (10%)
70-79 years	432 (6%)
80-89 years	184 (3%)
90+ years	48 (<1%)
Total	7340

Sex	Number of Cases (percent of total)
Female	3682 (50%)
Male	3658 (50%)
Total	7340

Race and Ethnicity	Number of Cases (percent of total)
White	3944 (54%)
American Indian, Alaska Native, Native Hawaiian, and Pacific Islander	1184 (16%)
Asian	26 (<1%)
Black or African American	43 (<1%)
Other Race	74 (1%)
Undetermined/Under investigation	2069 (28%)
Total	7340
Among those with ethnicity specified:	
Hispanic/Latino	280 (4%)
Not Hispanic/Latino	4847 (66%)
Undetermined/Under investigation	2213 (30%)
Total	7340

Current Status of Cases	Number of Cases (percent of total)
Hospitalized	131 (2%)
Deceased	104 (1%)
Recovering	1822 (25%)
Recovered and released from isolation	5283 (72%)
Total number of cases	7340

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%)
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	11 (5%)
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	233

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.