

## Oregon's COVID-19 Update

New cases and deaths are reported from the previous day. The first business day following a weekend or holiday includes all newly reported data.

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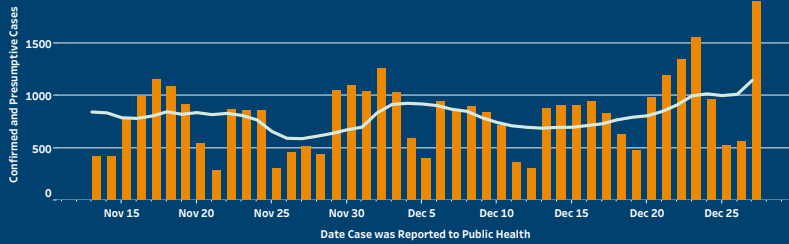
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### Statewide Numbers from 12/27/2021

New Cases	7 Day Daily Average	Cases Per 100k in Previous 7 Days	COVID-19 Patients Hospitalized†	Tests Reported	Test Positivity	New Deaths
1,900 ▲*	1,144	187.6	398 ▲	16,744	12.8%	8

\* Arrows indicate an increase or decrease from the previous day. †Hospitalization data from Oregon's Hospital Capacity Web System (HOSCAP).

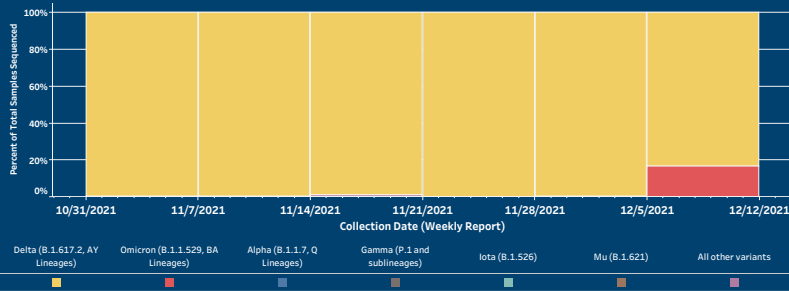
### Daily Cases and 7 Day Moving Average over the Previous Six Weeks



### December 18, 2021 COVID-19 Variant Cumulative Case Counts\*\*

Variants of Concern		Variants of Interest	Variants Being Monitored			
Delta (B.1.617.2, AY Lineages)	15,256	There are no Variants of Interest.	Alpha (B.1.1.7, Q Lineages)	3,111	Iota (B.1.526)	426
Omicron (B.1.1.529, BA Lineages)	3		Beta (B.1.351 and sublineages)	233	Kappa (B.1.617.1)	0
			Gamma (P.1 and sublineages)	1,185	B.1.617.3	0
			Epsilon (B.1.427/B.1.429)	1,293	Mu (B.1.621)	57
			Eta (B.1.525)	9	Zeta (P.2)	7

### Variant Prevalence Past Six Weeks



For more information on all variants go to:

<https://public.tableau.com/app/profile/oregon.health.authority.covid.19/viz/GISAIDVariantDashboardUpdated/OregonVariantDashboard>

Variant Data is from the open-source sequencing data platform GISAID and will be updated weekly on Wednesdays. For more info on GISAID click here.

### Daily and Cumulative County Numbers from 12/27/2021

County	New Cases	7 Day Daily Average of New Cases	Cases Per 100k in Last 7 Days	Test Positivity	Deaths Reported	Cumulative Cases†	Cumulative Deaths
Baker	3	4	153.8	13.3%	0	2,301	36
Benton	30	27	202.8	13.5%	0	6,640	43
Clackamas	136	114	186.6	14.3%	1	35,065	425
Clatsop	4	5	81.1	7.8%	0	2,802	35
Columbia	7	10	135.1	4.2%	0	4,731	61
Coos	95	23	257.4	5.4%	0	6,322	118
Crook	23	7	196.2	14.8%	0	3,600	60
Curry	9	3	78.2	4.8%	0	1,992	40
Deschutes	182	101	358.9	15.8%	1	25,458	215
Douglas	22	18	112.0	20.3%	0	14,165	315
Gilliam	1	0	100.5	0.0%	0	194	4
Grant	16	4	410.1	20.0%	0	1,155	17
Harney	3	2	206.0	23.5%	0	1,252	34
Hood River	13	5	148.2	14.9%	0	2,271	38
Jackson	104	64	200.2	10.1%	2	26,315	389
Jefferson	8	6	182.5	20.1%	0	4,390	69
Josephine	32	30	242.6	12.5%	1	10,905	263
Klamath	40	12	126.3	15.9%	1	9,347	167
Lake	2	1	61.9	5.0%	0	1,078	21
Lane	157	85	155.2	9.6%	0	31,901	382
Lincoln	14	7	107.6	13.4%	0	3,856	58
Linn	33	38	207.4	6.8%	1	15,816	206
Malheur	8	4	81.0	18.1%	0	5,996	94
Marion	257	78	157.3	13.8%	1	41,812	545
Morrow	5	4	218.3	12.5%	0	2,041	25
Multnomah	258	270	227.6	11.2%	0	64,752	900
Polk	73	21	175.4	10.2%	0	8,777	110
Sherman	4	0	55.7	0.0%	0	198	3
Tillamook	4	4	94.2	6.7%	0	2,361	48
Umatilla	79	22	187.7	22.0%	0	15,452	187
Union	8	5	137.9	17.7%	0	3,516	63
Wallowa	5	1	111.7	4.8%	0	780	13
Wasco	20	5	135.6	9.3%	0	3,301	48
Washington	217	148	167.1	16.6%	0	44,987	440
Wheeler	2	0	138.9	0.0%	0	139	2
Yamhill	30	15	97.6	21.7%	0	10,352	157

Notes: Data are provisional and subject to change.

\*Total cases include both presumptive and confirmed cases. Presumptive cases are people without a positive diagnostic test who have COVID-19-like symptoms and had close contact with a laboratory confirmed case.

\*\* On September 23, 2021 the CDC added a classification of Variants Being Monitored. This classification includes variants previously designated Variants of Interest (VOIs) or Variants of Concern (VOCs) that are no longer detected or are circulating at very low levels in the United States, and do not pose a significant or imminent risk to public health in the United States.

† The Delta variant number aggregates the pango lineages B.1.617.2 and AY.

‡ Omicron sequencing results were reported via the submitting lab. This dashboard will be updated with additional information on Wednesday 12/15/2021.

There is a time-lag of approximately two weeks between when a sample is collected, sequenced and then reported by GISAID. This chart reflects that time-lag.

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## Oregon COVID-19 Testing Results as Reported to OPERA†

Total Cases	416,020	Total Deaths	5,631
<b>Cumulative COVID-19 Electronic Lab Reports (ELR) Testing in Oregon</b>		<b>Testing at Oregon State Public Health Lab (OSPHL)</b>	
Positive	565,304	Specimens received	128
Negative	8,049,648	Test results released	258
Total Tests	8,614,952	Specimens pending as of 8:00 PM yesterday	56
		Grand Total Results Released	106,128

## Age, Sex and Hospitalization Status for Confirmed and Presumptive COVID-19 Cases (Cumulative)

### Cases by Age Group

9 and younger	27,779 (6.7%)
10 to 19	50,992 (12.3%)
20 to 29	79,789 (19.2%)
30 to 39	73,267 (17.6%)
40 to 49	61,568 (14.8%)
50 to 59	50,935 (12.2%)
60 to 69	36,821 (8.9%)
70 to 79	21,366 (5.1%)
80+	12,766 (3.1%)
Not Available	737 (0.2%)
Grand Total	416,020 (100.0%)

### Cases by Sex (as reported to OHA)

Female	209,516 (50.4%)
Male	197,857 (47.6%)
Non-binary	46 (0.0%)
Not Available	8,601 (2.1%)
Grand Total	416,020 (100.0%)

### Hospitalized During Illness?

Yes	22,062 (5.3%)
No	227,029 (54.6%)
Not available	166,929 (40.1%)
Grand Total	416,020 (100.0%)

## Race, Ethnicity, Select Symptoms and Risk Factors for Confirmed and Presumptive COVID-19 Cases

### Cases by Race

White	225,377 (54.2%)
Black	9,289 (2.2%)
Asian	9,190 (2.2%)
American Indian/Alaska Native	6,826 (1.6%)
Pacific Islander	2,300 (0.6%)
Other	57,582 (13.8%)
Multiracial	5,849 (1.4%)
Not available	99,607 (23.9%)
Grand Total	416,020 (100.0%)

### Health Care Worker?

Yes	19,098 (4.6%)
No	166,634 (40.1%)
Not available	230,288 (55.4%)
Grand Total	416,020 (100.0%)

### Congregate Setting‡

Yes	22,461 (5.4%)
No	161,858 (38.9%)
Not available	231,701 (55.7%)
Grand Total	416,020 (100.0%)

### Cases by Ethnicity

Hispanic	65,754 (15.8%)
Not Hispanic	212,341 (51.0%)
Not Available	137,925 (33.2%)
Grand Total	416,020 (100.0%)

The Oregon COVID-19 epidemiological curve is available on the OHA COVID-19 webpage in the "Case and Testing Counts" Tableau Dashboard. Please click the orange box to the right to be redirected.

[Oregon Epi Curve](#)

**Notes:**

Data are provisional and subject to change. Monday's COVID-19 Update includes new cases and deaths reported 12:01am Friday to 12:01am Monday. Monday's 'Testing at OSPHL' numbers are also summarized from the entire weekend.

\*Total cases include both presumptive and confirmed cases. Presumptive cases are people without a positive diagnostic test who have COVID-19-like symptoms and had close contact with a laboratory confirmed case.

†OPERA is the state of Oregon's electronic disease surveillance system for COVID-19.

‡Congregate settings include, but are not limited to, long-term care facilities, group homes, shelters, prisons, etc.

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## Hospital Capacity and Usage in Oregon as reported to HOSCAP\*

Overall Capacity	Available		Total Staffed
Available Adult ICU Beds	58	Staffed Adult ICU Beds	654
Available Adult non-ICU Beds	317	Staffed Adult non-ICU Beds	4,081
Available Pediatric ICU Beds	4	Staffed Pediatric ICU Beds	46
Available Pediatric non-ICU Beds	53	Staffed Pediatric non-ICU Beds	264
Available Neonatal ICU Beds	43	Staffed Neonatal ICU Beds	266

COVID-19 Details	Total COVID-19 patients		Only COVID-19 Positive Patients
All Current COVID Patients	417	All COVID-Positive Patients	398
Patients in ICU Beds	104	Positive Patients in ICU Beds	97
Patients on Ventilators	52	Positive Patients on Ventilators	52
Available Ventilators	844		

Additional HOSCAP information is available on Oregon's HOSCAP dashboard. Please click the orange button to the right to be redirected.

[Oregon HOSCAP Update](#)

### Notes

Data are provisional and subject to change.

\*"Total COVID-19 patients" include any patient who has either suspected COVID-19 or a positive COVID-19 test.

\*Every hospital in Oregon is asked to submit data twice daily to Oregon's Hospital Capacity Web System (HOSCAP). Data are based on the most recent report from the hospitals, available as of 9:00am. Hospital staff are asked to enter bed capacity information, by type, as well as the number of patients with suspected or confirmed COVID-19 illness who are currently hospitalized at the time of data entry. These data may conflict with hospitalization status in Orpheus due to case reporting and investigation lags and temporary discrepancies in case classification.

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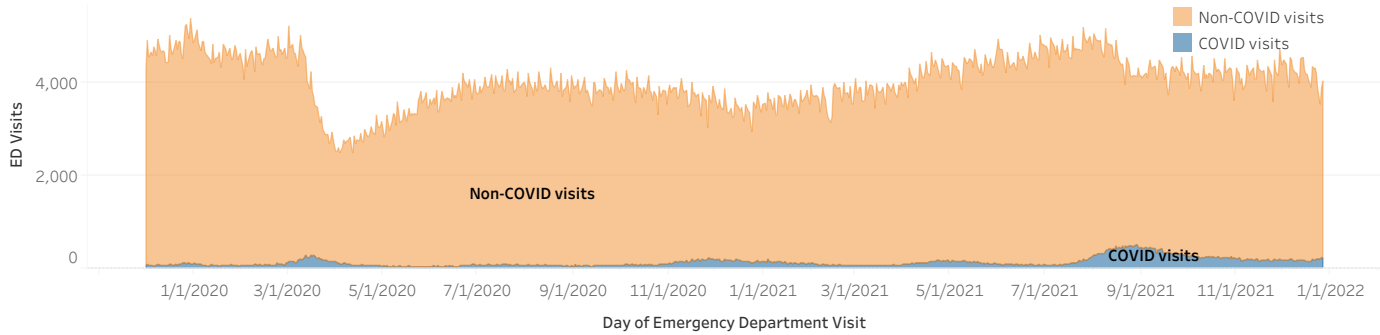
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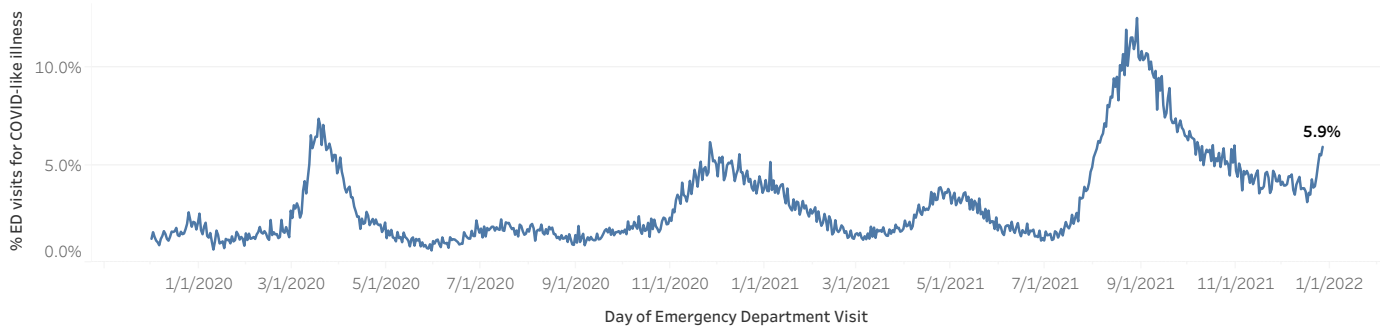
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## Emergency department visits in Oregon for COVID-19-like illness peaked in late August 2021 and are declining

This chart shows the number of statewide emergency department visits daily and whether they were for COVID-19-like illness (CLI).



This chart shows the percentage of statewide emergency department visits for COVID-19-like illness (CLI) by day.



[Downloadable weekly emergency department data](#) ➔

**Notes**

Data are from Oregon's Electronic Surveillance System for the Early Notification of Community-based Epidemics (ESSENCE), which allows for public health to monitor what is happening in emergency departments across the state. Oregon ESSENCE receives daily reports of ED visits from all 60 non-federal hospitals in Oregon. Data are provisional and subject to change.