The image is a title slide for a report. It features a dark red to purple gradient background with faint, stylized virus particles scattered across it. The text is centered and reads: "Minnesota Department of Health" in a white sans-serif font, followed by "WEEKLY COVID-19 REPORT" in a larger, bold white sans-serif font, and "12/9/2021" in a white sans-serif font below it.

# Minnesota Department of Health

# WEEKLY COVID-19 REPORT

## 12/9/2021

This MDH Weekly COVID-19 Report presents data in an easy to interpret way and enhances the information provided in the daily Situation Update for COVID-19 web page with trends and situational insights as well as trends over time.

- [Minnesota Situation Update for Coronavirus Disease 2019 \(COVID-19\) \(https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/situation.html\)](https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/situation.html)  
updated daily at 11 a.m.
- [Coronavirus Disease 2019 \(COVID-19\) \(https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-nCoV/\)](https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-nCoV/)
- Neighboring states' COVID-19 information:
  - [Wisconsin: COVID-19 \(Coronavirus Disease\) \(https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/covid-19/\)](https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/covid-19/)
  - [Iowa: Novel Coronavirus \(COVID-19\) \(https://idph.iowa.gov/Emerging-Health-Issues/Novel-Coronavirus\)](https://idph.iowa.gov/Emerging-Health-Issues/Novel-Coronavirus)
  - [North Dakota: Coronavirus \(https://www.health.nd.gov/diseases-conditions/coronavirus/\)](https://www.health.nd.gov/diseases-conditions/coronavirus/)
  - [South Dakota: Novel Coronavirus Updates and Information \(https://doh.sd.gov/news/Coronavirus.aspx\)](https://doh.sd.gov/news/Coronavirus.aspx)

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- Data is for cases that were tested and returned positive.
  - At-home test results are not counted by MDH.
  - Many people with COVID-19 are not tested, so the cases in this report represent only a fraction of the total number of cases in Minnesota.
- All data is preliminary and may change as cases are investigated.
  - Many data points are collected during case interviews. Data presented below is for all cases, regardless of interview status. Data for cases pending interview may be listed as “unknown/missing”.
  - As of 10/28/21, case interviews are prioritized. Priority groups include people under 18 years old, hospitalizations, deaths, and people with vaccine breakthrough or variants. Therefore, not all cases were contacted for interview.
- Minnesota uses the CSTE standardized surveillance case definition.
  - A person is counted as having a reinfection if they test positive (confirmed or probable) for COVID-19 more than 90 days after a previous lab-confirmed case. Cases include reinfections unless otherwise noted.
  - Positive PCR test results are considered confirmed cases. Positive antigen test results are considered probable cases. All probable cases get the same public health follow up and recommendations as cases confirmed by PCR tests. Total cases includes confirmed and probable cases unless otherwise noted.
  - A person with a positive PCR test result following a positive antigen test result would move from being a probable case to a confirmed case.
- Weekly data is reported by MMWR week, which is the week of the year assigned by the National Notifiable Diseases Surveillance System for the purposes of disease reporting and publishing.
- Numbers listed as cumulative total are cumulative since 1/20/20 for confirmed (PCR) tests and cases, and since 9/1/20 for probable (antigen) tests and cases, unless specified otherwise.

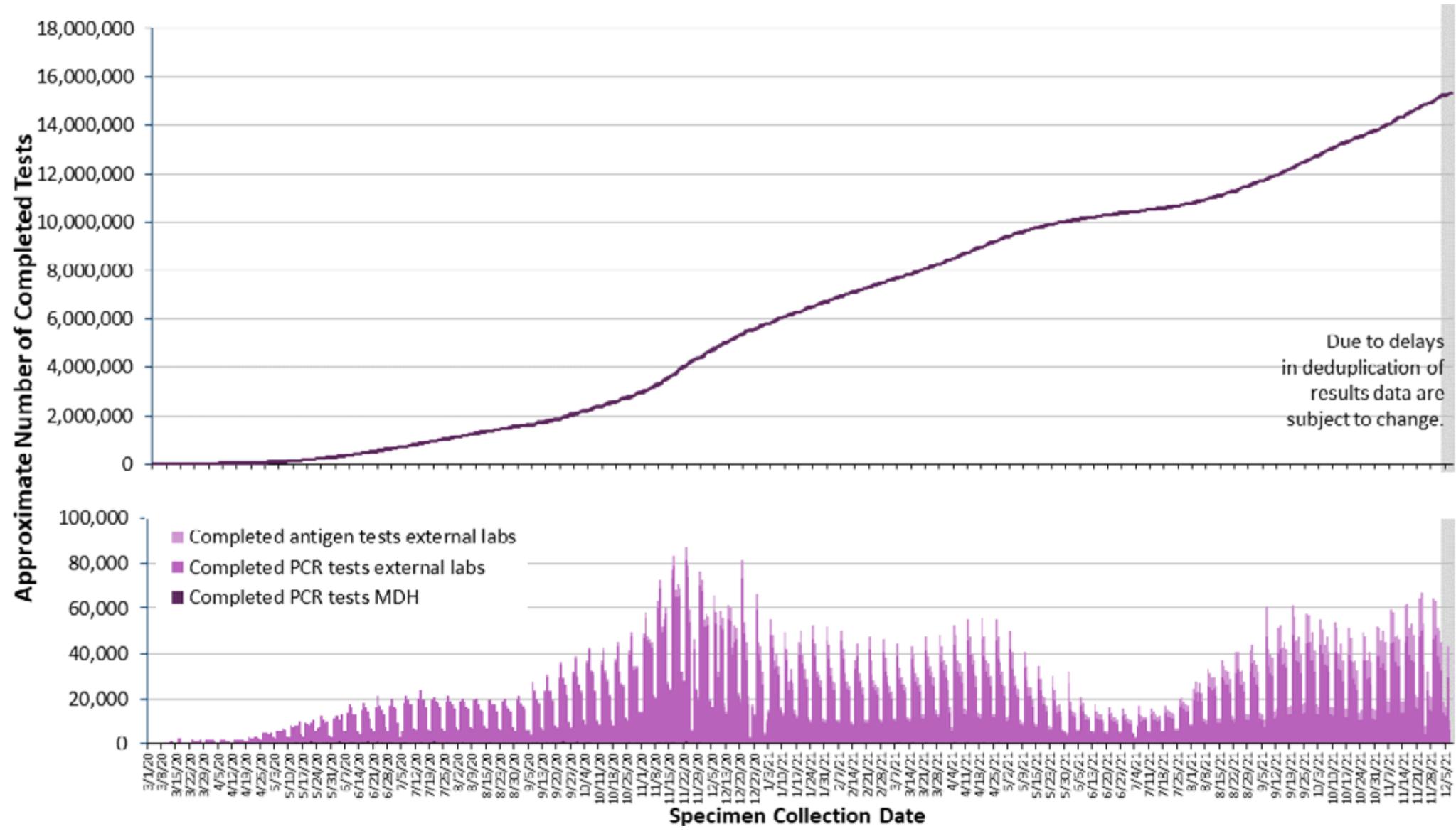
# COVID-19 Overview Summary



# Laboratory Tests for COVID-19

**15,314,720**  
Total Laboratory Tests  
(cumulative)

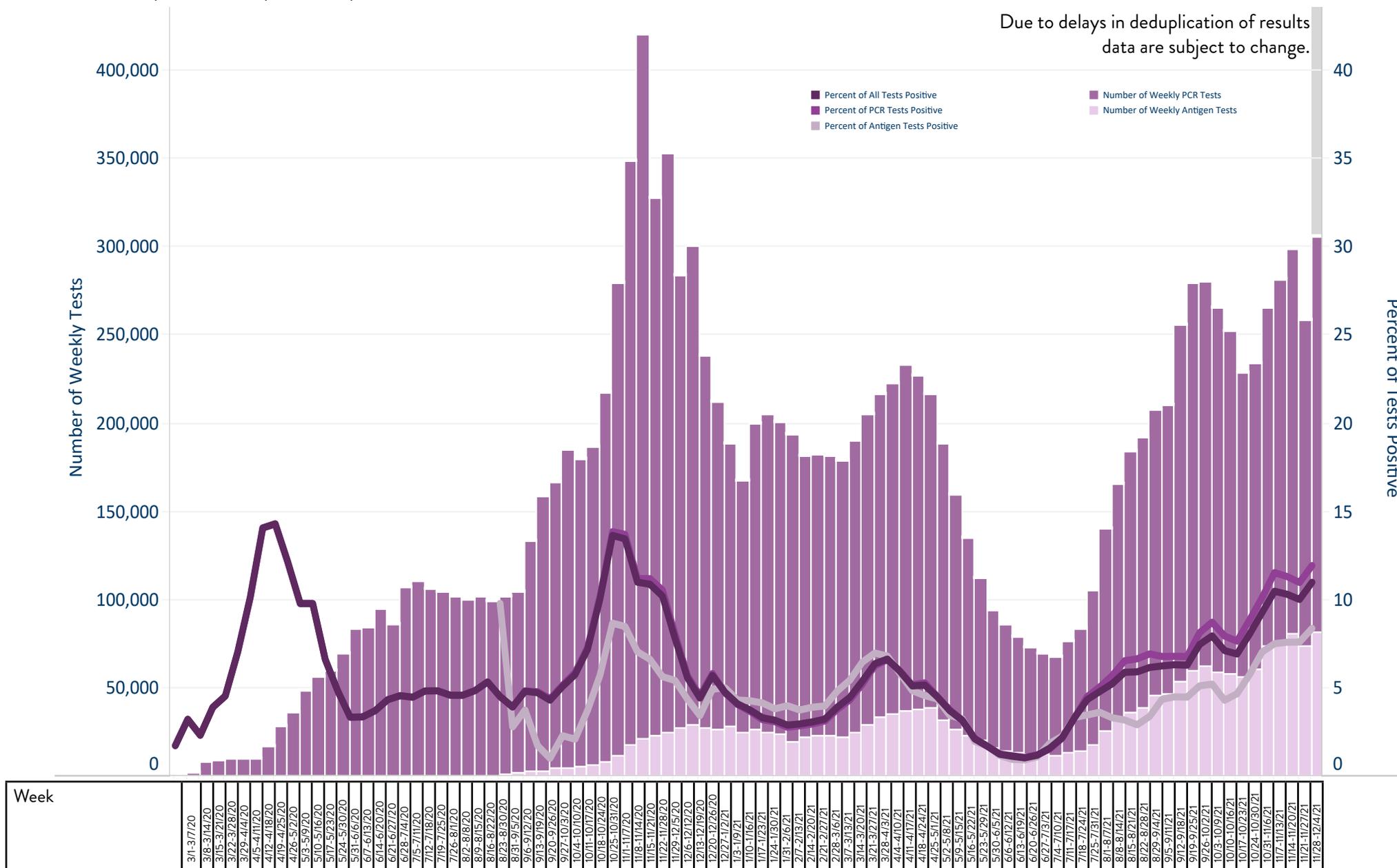
Testing numbers show how many total tests have been done for cases who live in Minnesota. Some people get tested more than once. Tests are reported per test to account for changes in testing capacity and for individuals who are tested more than once over the course of the pandemic. Tests are reported by the date the test was run in the laboratory.



Current data: [Minnesota Situation Update for Coronavirus Disease 2019 \(COVID-19\) \(https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/situation.html\)](https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/situation.html)

# Number of Tests and Percent Positive by Week

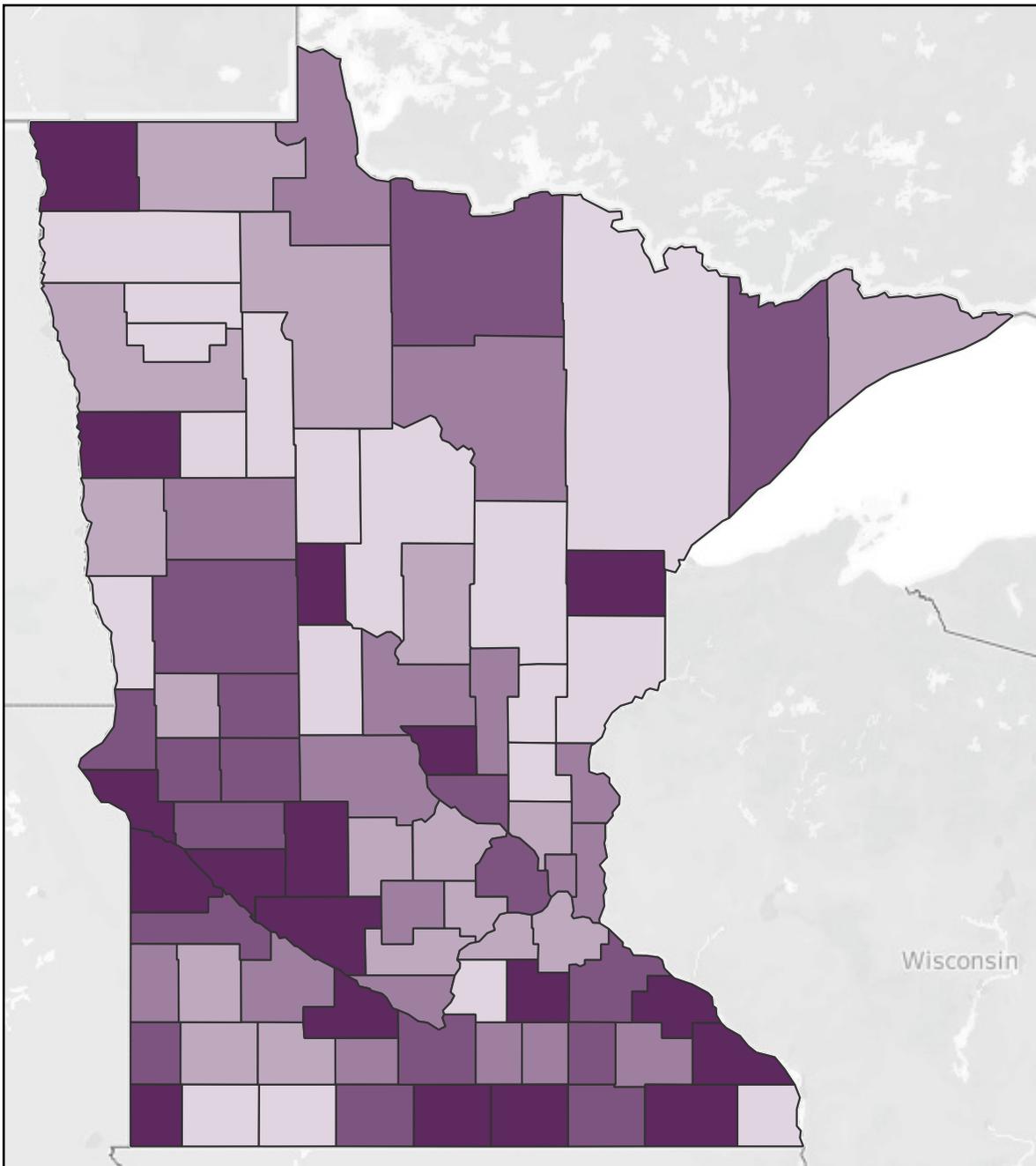
Number of tests and percentage positive by date of laboratory testing. Only tests reported by laboratories reporting both positive and negative results are included in positivity calculations. Percent positive is the percent of positive tests from the total number of tests.



# Laboratory Test Rates by County of Residence

**27,039**  
tests per 10,000 people statewide

Cumulative rate of tests by county of residence per 10,000 people. Only tests reported by laboratories reporting both positive and negative results are included.

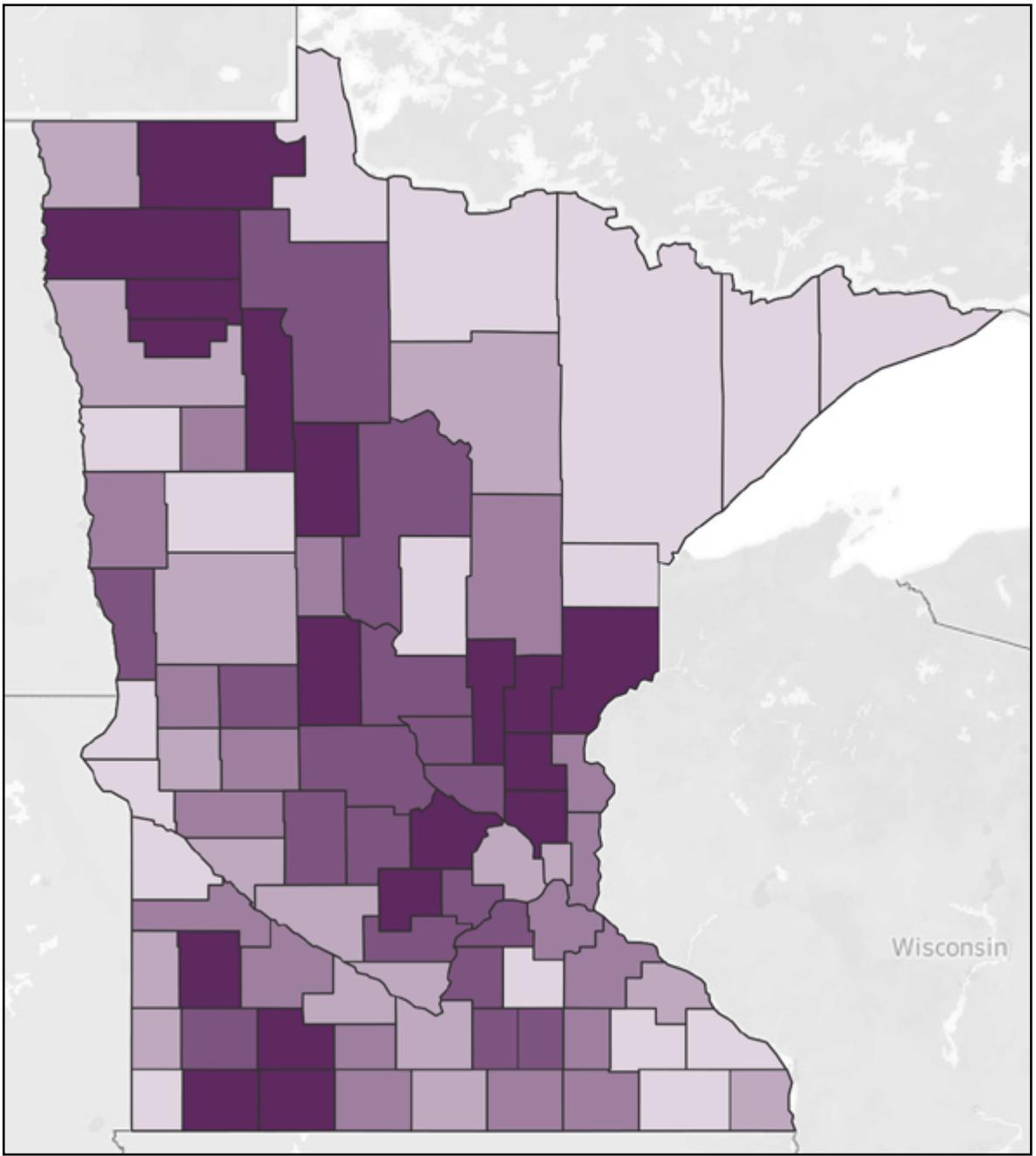


County	Number of Tests	Cumulative Rate	County	Number of Tests	Cumulative Rate
Aitkin	31,817	20,094	Martin	54,852	27,475
Anoka	817,587	23,532	McLeod	91,592	25,567
Becker	84,159	24,919	Meeker	56,610	24,529
Beltrami	100,195	21,726	Mille Lacs	68,610	26,667
Benton	120,159	30,207	Morrison	88,635	26,901
Big Stone	18,664	37,209	Mower	108,219	27,327
Blue Earth	186,863	28,175	Murray	20,004	23,948
Brown	76,681	30,416	Nicollet	90,925	26,914
Carlton	115,314	32,446	Nobles	42,094	19,275
Carver	229,804	22,885	Norman	20,859	31,802
Cass	50,723	17,477	Olmsted	404,683	26,439
Chippewa	37,567	31,280	Otter Tail	161,391	27,830
Chisago	140,850	25,737	Pennington	23,069	16,264
Clay	140,619	22,391	Pine	58,301	20,015
Clearwater	15,634	17,742	Pipestone	25,321	27,568
Cook	12,414	23,374	Polk	69,816	22,100
Cottonwood	27,942	24,571	Pope	30,468	27,749
Crow Wing	137,077	21,467	Ramsey	1,438,943	26,574
Dakota	1,035,902	24,770	Red Lake	6,290	15,694
Dodge	56,511	27,457	Redwood	40,929	26,697
Douglas	103,749	27,887	Renville	43,599	29,617
Faribault	43,917	31,604	Rice	255,631	38,870
Fillmore	59,934	28,693	Rock	28,272	30,035
Freeborn	93,619	30,669	Roseau	35,442	22,922
Goodhue	128,292	27,759	Scott	336,379	23,462
Grant	14,495	24,411	Sherburne	266,695	28,606
Hennepin	3,369,553	27,273	Sibley	33,818	22,678
Houston	29,299	15,699	St. Louis	555,963	27,787
Hubbard	31,276	14,992	Stearns	420,990	26,846
Isanti	83,174	21,341	Steele	95,328	25,992
Itasca	115,910	25,642	Stevens	27,847	28,462
Jackson	18,224	18,139	Swift	26,242	27,884
Kanabec	28,659	17,907	Todd	47,678	19,508
Kandiyohi	125,426	29,403	Traverse	9,494	28,451
Kittson	12,716	29,320	Wabasha	65,457	30,445
Koochiching	35,085	27,748	Wadena	49,795	36,491
Lac qui Parle	21,631	31,937	Waseca	49,094	26,101
Lake	29,119	27,551	Washington	675,659	26,672
Lake of the Woods	10,037	26,351	Watonwan	27,905	25,431
Le Sueur	59,442	21,242	Wilkin	11,975	18,879
Lincoln	14,505	25,416	Winona	146,462	28,804
Lyon	62,965	24,368	Wright	291,383	21,951
Mahnomen	10,254	18,623	Yellow Medicine	26,905	27,265
Marshall	14,700	15,652	Unknown/missing	563,422	

# Percent of Tests Positive by County of Residence

Positive number of tests and positivity calculations include only tests reported by labs that report both positive and negative results. Percent positive is the percent of positive tests from the total number of tests by county of residence.

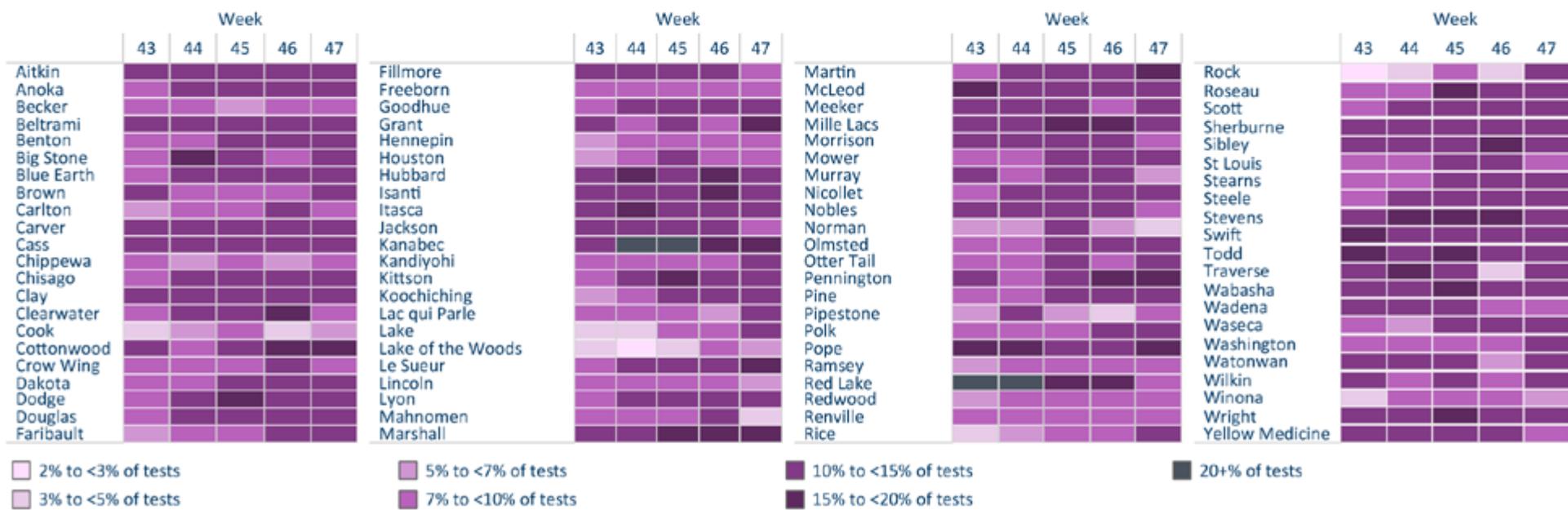
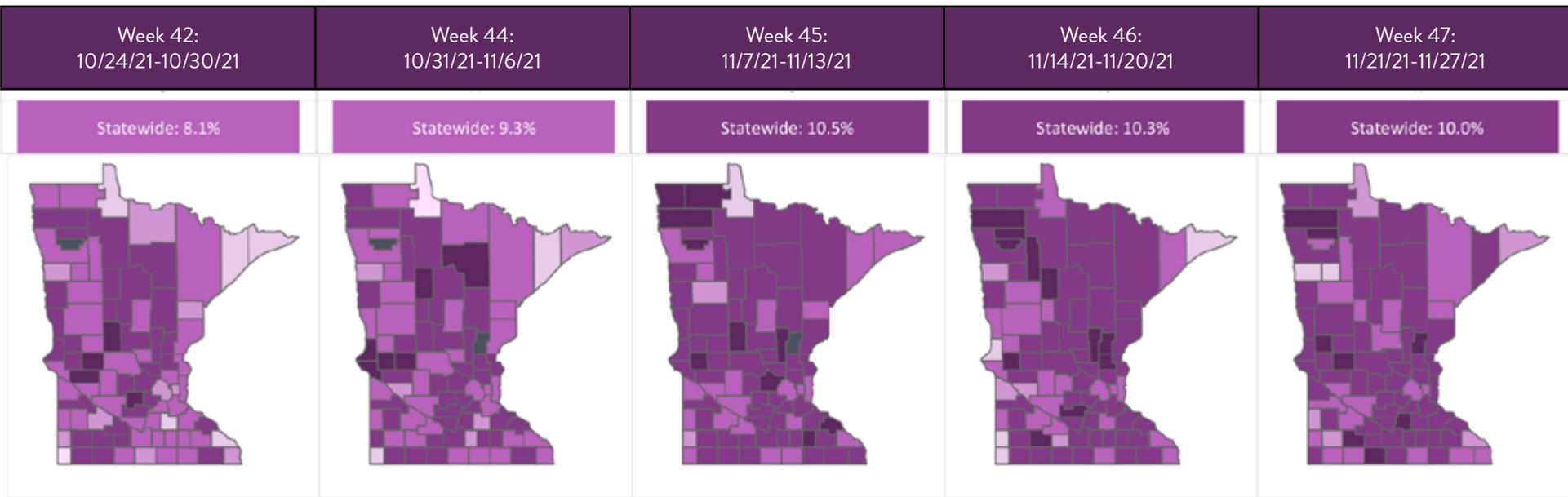
**6.5%**  
% positive statewide (cumulative)



County	% Positive	County	% Positive
Aitkin	7.1%	Martin	7.1%
Anoka	8.4%	McLeod	8.2%
Becker	5.7%	Meecker	7.8%
Beltrami	8.1%	Mille Lacs	8.5%
Benton	7.7%	Morrison	7.6%
Big Stone	4.7%	Mower	6.8%
Blue Earth	6.3%	Murray	7.7%
Brown	6.4%	Nicollet	6.1%
Carlton	4.7%	Nobles	12.2%
Carver	7.4%	Norman	4.2%
Cass	8.2%	Olmsted	5.7%
Chippewa	5.9%	Otter Tail	5.9%
Chisago	7.3%	Pennington	9.2%
Clay	6.7%	Pine	8.2%
Clearwater	9.4%	Pipestone	6.0%
Cook	2.7%	Polk	6.0%
Cottonwood	8.2%	Pope	6.7%
Crow Wing	5.7%	Ramsey	5.8%
Dakota	7.1%	Red Lake	9.6%
Dodge	6.5%	Redwood	6.9%
Douglas	7.7%	Renville	6.3%
Faribault	6.2%	Rice	4.6%
Fillmore	5.2%	Rock	5.5%
Freeborn	6.4%	Roseau	9.2%
Goodhue	6.5%	Scott	7.8%
Grant	7.0%	Sherburne	8.1%
Hennepin	5.9%	Sibley	7.6%
Houston	6.2%	St. Louis	5.2%
Hubbard	8.5%	Stearns	8.1%
Isanti	8.6%	Steele	7.5%
Itasca	6.3%	Stevens	6.0%
Jackson	8.6%	Swift	6.9%
Kanabec	9.2%	Todd	9.5%
Kandiyohi	8.0%	Traverse	5.8%
Kittson	6.0%	Wabasha	5.8%
Koochiching	5.2%	Wadena	6.8%
Lac qui Parle	5.4%	Waseca	8.2%
Lake	4.8%	Washington	6.7%
Lake of the Woods	5.4%	Watonwan	7.0%
Le Sueur	7.6%	Wilkin	8.2%
Lincoln	5.9%	Winona	4.8%
Lyon	8.7%	Wright	8.8%
Mahnomen	6.7%	Yellow Medicine	6.6%
Marshall	10.4%	Unknown/missing	3.8%

# Weekly Percent of Tests Positive by County of Residence

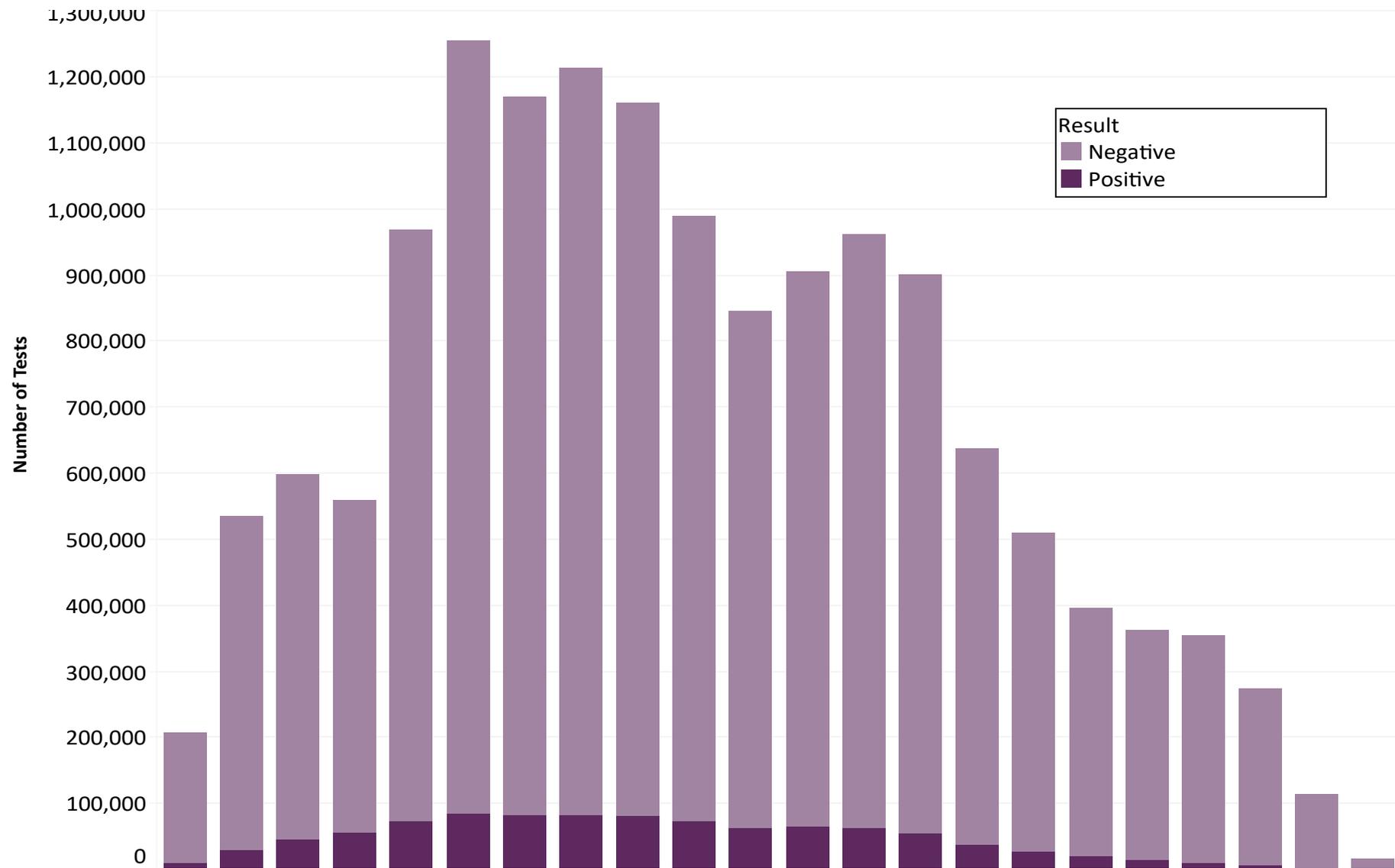
Percent of positive tests by county of residence in Minnesota by week of specimen collection. Only tests reported by laboratories reporting both positive and negative results are included in positivity calculations. Percent positive is the percent of positive tests from the total number of tests by county of residence.



Downloadable CSV file of current data for these maps is provided at: Minnesota COVID-19 Weekly Report (<https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/stats/index.html>)

# Testing Demographics: Age

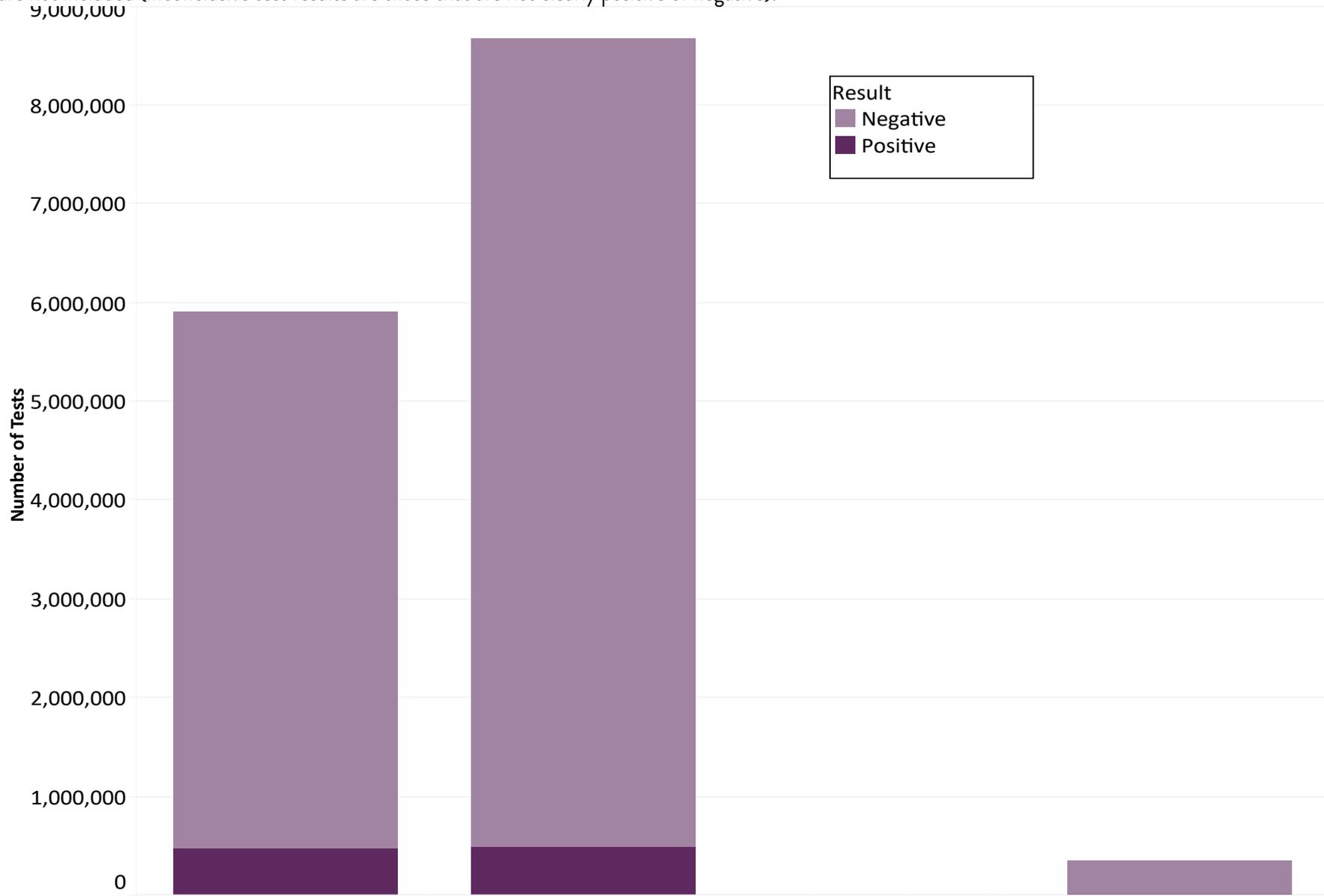
Number of positive and negative tests by age group. Only tests reported by laboratories reporting both positive and negative results are included in positivity calculations, inconclusive test results are not included (inconclusive test results are those that are not clearly positive or negative).



Age Group (in years)	Unk./missing	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50-54	55-59	60-64	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85-89	90-94	95-99	100+	Total
<b>Positive</b>	9,787	29,420	46,048	55,302	72,090	83,963	82,647	81,915	79,683	72,974	63,370	64,281	62,647	54,133	36,471	26,785	18,867	14,406	10,641	6,634	2,529	292	974,885
<b>Negative</b>	196,431	505,390	552,982	504,323	896,131	1,171,432	1,088,799	1,131,671	1,081,039	916,126	782,819	840,354	899,905	846,386	601,309	483,608	376,469	347,717	343,428	266,261	111,638	15,204	13,959,422

# Testing Demographics: Gender

Number of positive and negative tests by gender. Only tests reported by laboratories reporting both positive and negative results are included in positivity calculations, inconclusive test results are not included (inconclusive test results are those that are not clearly positive or negative).

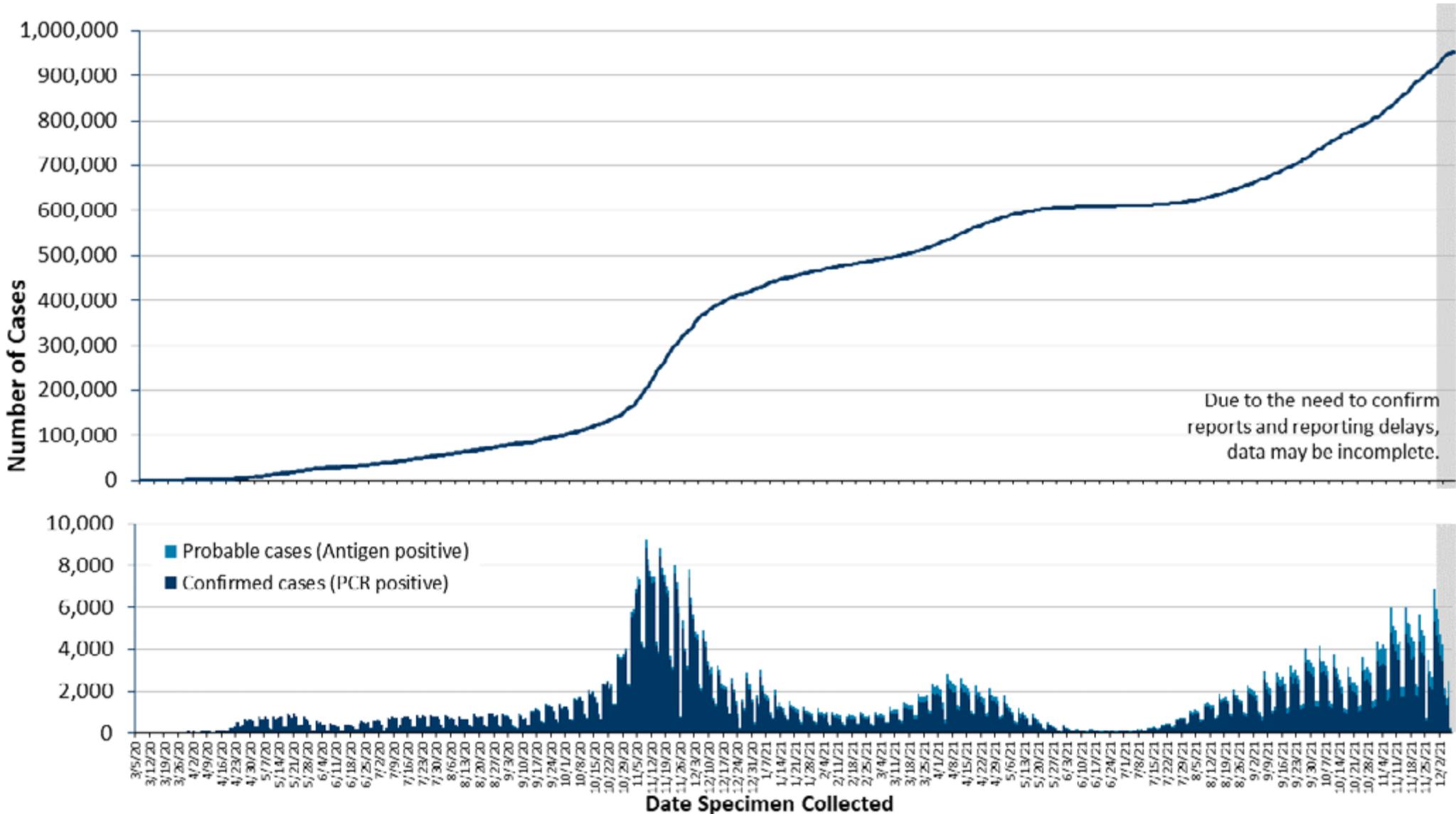


Gender	Male	Female	Other	Unk./missing	Total
<b>Positive</b>	471,700	495,060	18	8,107	974,885
<b>Negative</b>	5,434,039	8,181,804	37	343,542	13,959,422

# Positive COVID-19 Cases

**952,232**  
Total Positive Cases,  
including Reinfections  
(cumulative)

Total positive cases are represented by the date of positive specimen collection.



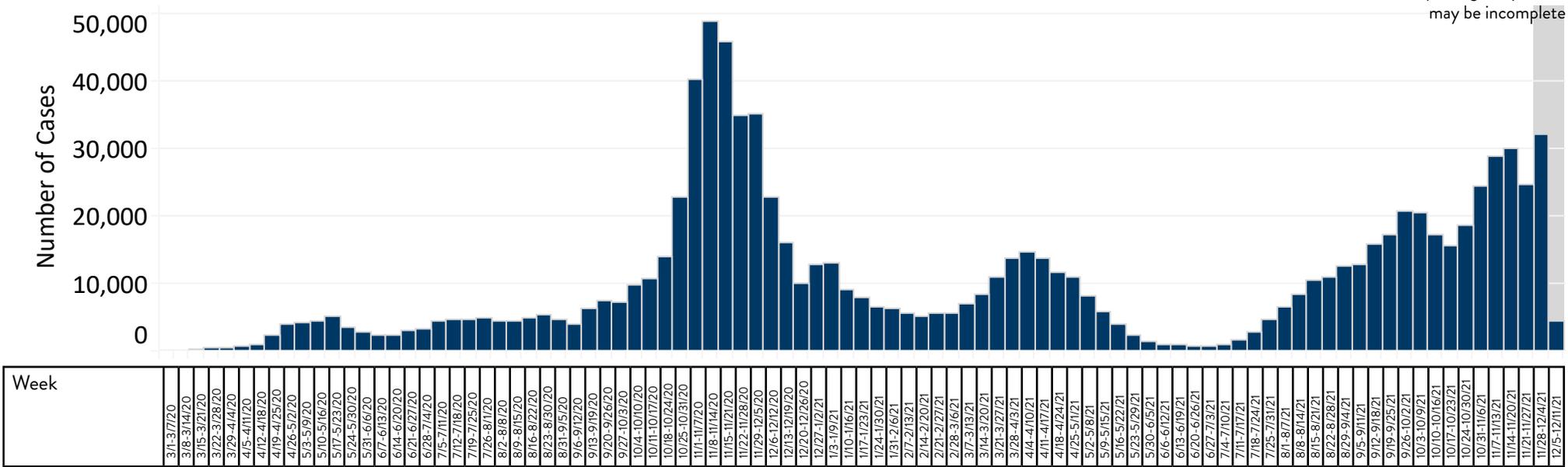
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# New Cases by Week, 7-Day Average

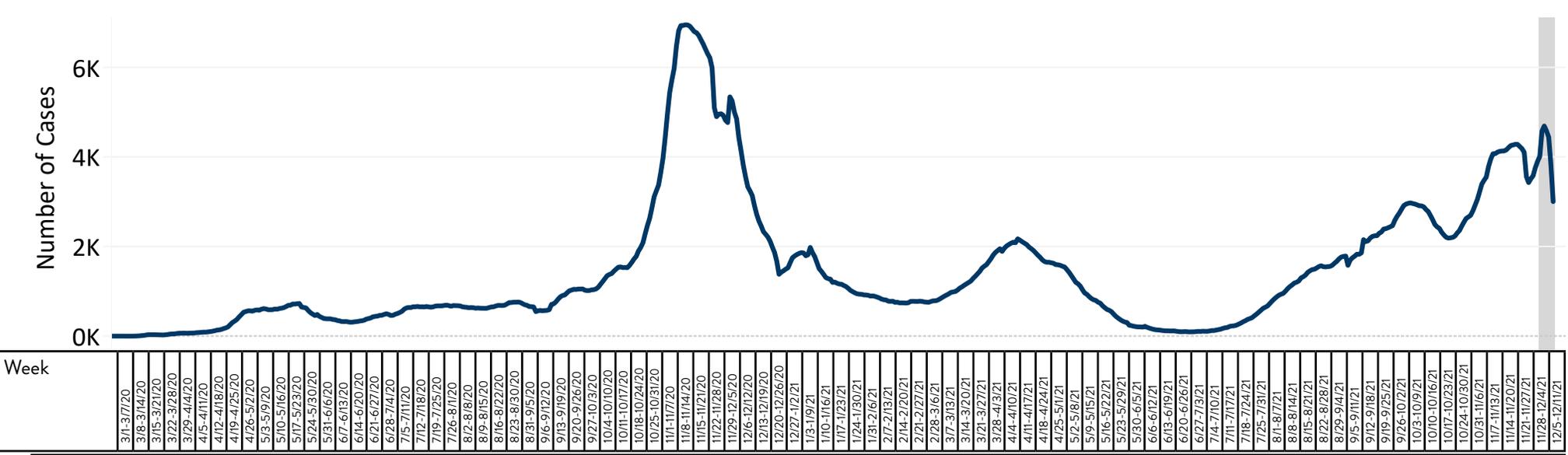
Cases by week of specimen collection date, and 7-day moving average of new cases.

## New Cases by Week of Specimen Collection

Due to the need to confirm reports and reporting delays, data may be incomplete

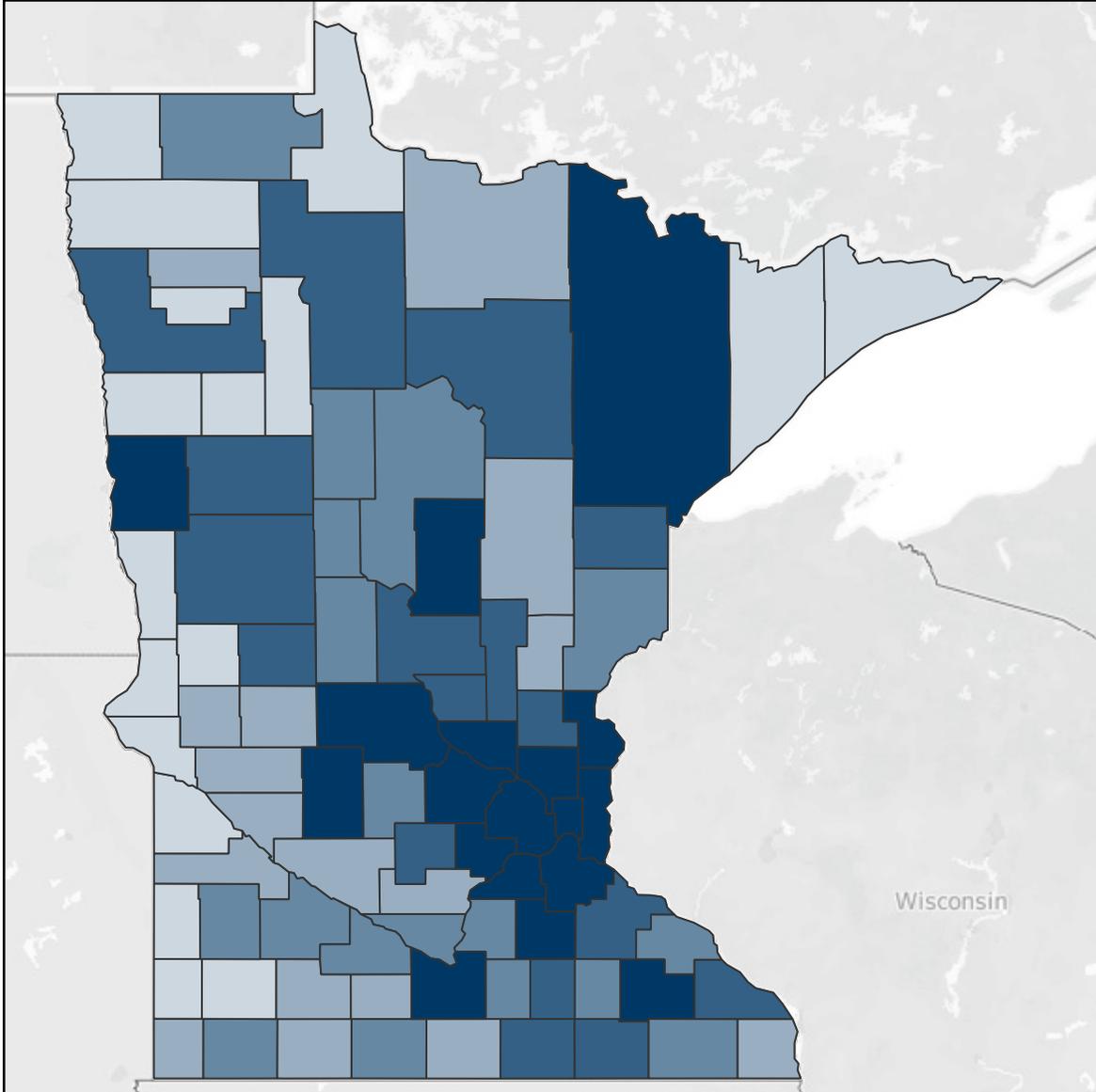


## Seven Day Moving Average of New Cases



# Cases by County of Residence

Cumulative number of positive cases by county of residence, cases no longer needing isolation. Cases no longer needing isolation represents individuals with COVID-19 who no longer need to self-isolate. MDH does not track cases over time to determine whether they have fully recovered.



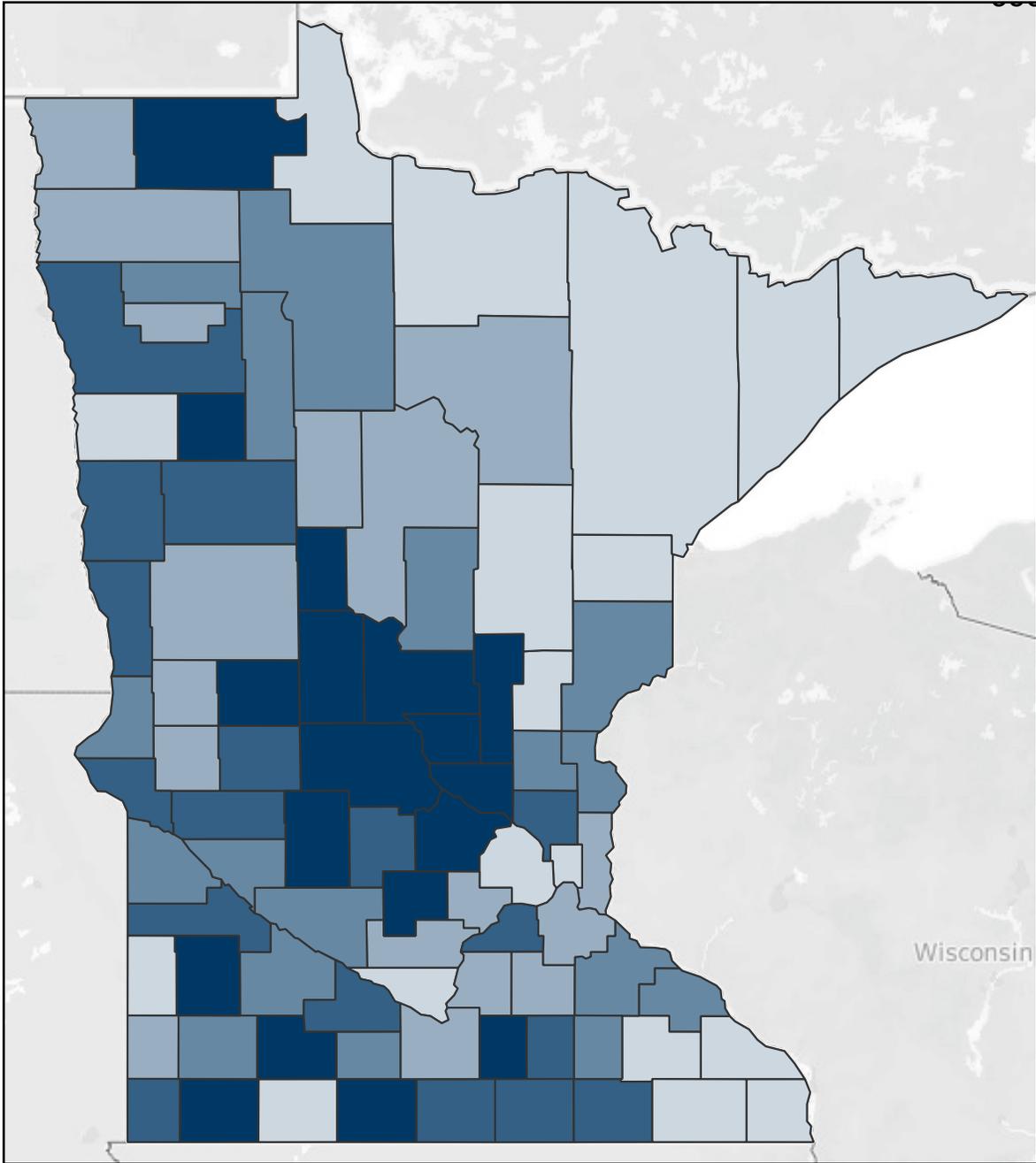
952,232 Total Positive Cases (cumulative)			905,872 No Longer Needing Isolation (cumulative)		
County	Cases	Cases no longer needing isolation	County	Cases	Cases no longer needing isolation
Aitkin	2,322	2,171	Martin	3,991	3,812
Anoka	66,862	63,548	McLeod	7,471	7,044
Becker	6,421	6,204	Meeker	4,480	4,259
Beltrami	8,388	8,057	Mille Lacs	5,531	5,235
Benton	9,475	8,884	Morrison	6,909	6,650
Big Stone	971	940	Mower	7,549	7,281
Blue Earth	11,951	11,391	Murray	1,553	1,507
Brown	4,840	4,641	Nicollet	5,427	5,159
Carlton	5,711	5,405	Nobles	5,327	5,192
Carver	17,449	16,620	Norman	1,065	1,041
Cass	5,149	4,953	Olmsted	23,374	22,153
Chippewa	2,265	2,151	Otter Tail	10,120	9,661
Chisago	10,307	9,879	Pennington	2,591	2,486
Clay	12,423	12,012	Pine	5,356	5,108
Clearwater	1,624	1,554	Pipestone	1,547	1,467
Cook	322	308	Polk	6,164	5,930
Cottonwood	2,378	2,261	Pope	2,121	2,059
Crow Wing	11,589	11,096	Ramsey	77,216	72,894
Dakota	70,543	67,068	Red Lake	721	702
Dodge	3,775	3,585	Redwood	2,891	2,768
Douglas	8,152	7,746	Renville	2,756	2,635
Faribault	2,677	2,543	Rice	11,881	11,307
Fillmore	3,173	3,034	Rock	1,798	1,740
Freeborn	5,919	5,556	Roseau	3,275	3,128
Goodhue	8,519	7,990	Scott	27,091	25,805
Grant	1,050	1,000	Sherburne	19,693	18,815
Hennepin	185,762	176,746	Sibley	2,655	2,509
Houston	2,837	2,712	St. Louis	30,845	29,151
Hubbard	3,646	3,497	Stearns	34,958	33,260
Isanti	7,348	6,919	Steele	7,132	6,814
Itasca	7,989	7,635	Stevens	1,744	1,664
Jackson	1,656	1,593	Swift	1,787	1,705
Kanabec	2,636	2,461	Todd	5,042	4,870
Kandiyohi	10,122	9,714	Traverse	614	599
Kittson	784	709	Wabasha	3,900	3,740
Koochiching	1,854	1,738	Wadena	3,107	2,986
Lac qui Parle	1,263	1,198	Waseca	4,039	3,692
Lake	1,364	1,303	Washington	42,541	40,200
Lake of the Woods	540	521	Watonwan	2,056	1,956
Le Sueur	4,806	4,544	Wilkin	1,240	1,193
Lincoln	915	868	Winona	7,314	7,042
Lyon	5,410	5,211	Wright	27,009	25,734
Mahnomen	1,101	1,045	Yellow Medicine	1,933	1,855
Marshall	1,571	1,512	Unknown/missing	559	541

- Up to date data for this chart is provided in the Minnesota Situation Update for Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) (<https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/situation.html>)
- Confirmed cases by USPS zip code of residence is available as a downloadable CSV file at: Minnesota COVID-19 Weekly Report (<https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/stats/index.html>)

# Cumulative Case Rate by County of Residence

**1,723**  
cases per 10,000 people

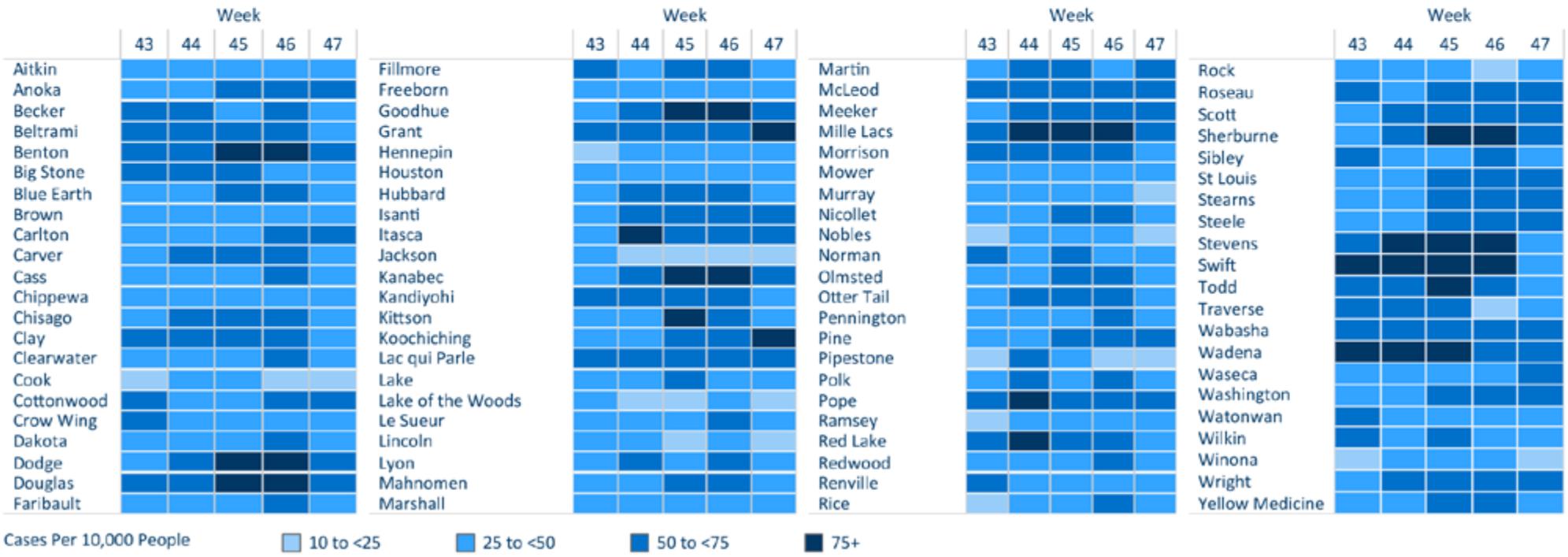
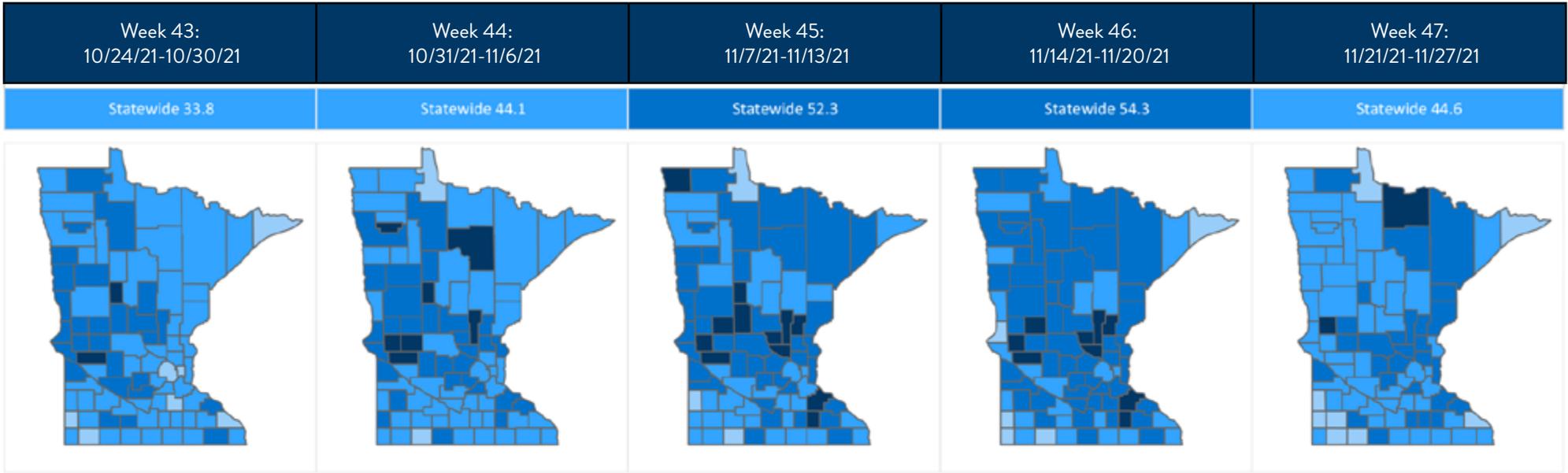
Cumulative number of cases by county of residence per 10,000 people.



County	Cumulative Rate	County	Cumulative Rate
Aitkin	1,466	Martin	1,999
Anoka	1,924	McLeod	2,085
Becker	1,901	Meecker	1,941
Beltrami	1,819	Mille Lacs	2,150
Benton	2,382	Morrison	2,097
Big Stone	1,936	Mower	1,906
Blue Earth	1,802	Murray	1,859
Brown	1,920	Nicollet	1,606
Carlton	1,607	Nobles	2,439
Carver	1,738	Norman	1,624
Cass	1,774	Olmsted	1,527
Chippewa	1,886	Otter Tail	1,745
Chisago	1,883	Pennington	1,827
Clay	1,978	Pine	1,839
Clearwater	1,843	Pipestone	1,684
Cook	606	Polk	1,951
Cottonwood	2,091	Pope	1,932
Crow Wing	1,815	Ramsey	1,426
Dakota	1,687	Red Lake	1,799
Dodge	1,834	Redwood	1,886
Douglas	2,191	Renville	1,872
Faribault	1,926	Rice	1,807
Fillmore	1,519	Rock	1,910
Freeborn	1,939	Roseau	2,118
Goodhue	1,843	Scott	1,890
Grant	1,768	Sherburne	2,112
Hennepin	1,504	Sibley	1,780
Houston	1,520	St. Louis	1,542
Hubbard	1,748	Stearns	2,229
Isanti	1,885	Steele	1,945
Itasca	1,767	Stevens	1,783
Jackson	1,648	Swift	1,899
Kanabec	1,647	Todd	2,063
Kandiyohi	2,373	Traverse	1,840
Kittson	1,808	Wabasha	1,814
Koochiching	1,466	Wadena	2,277
Lac qui Parle	1,865	Waseca	2,147
Lake	1,291	Washington	1,679
Lake of the Woods	1,418	Watonwan	1,874
Le Sueur	1,717	Wilkin	1,955
Lincoln	1,603	Winona	1,438
Lyon	2,094	Wright	2,035
Mahnomen	2,000	Yellow Medicine	1,959
Marshall	1,673		

# Weekly Case Rate by County of Residence

Number of cases by county of residence in Minnesota per 10,000 people by week of specimen collection.



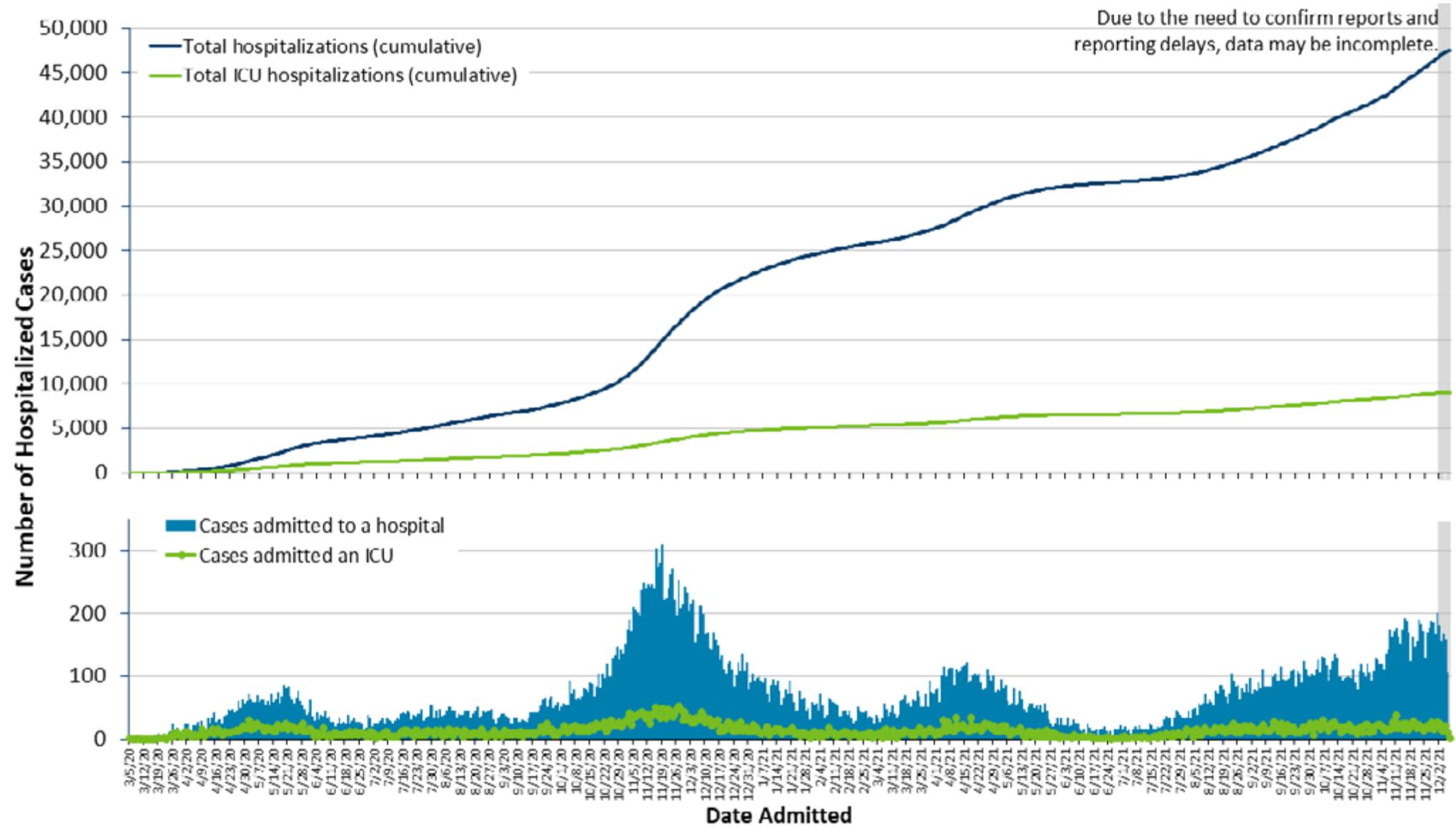
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# Hospitalizations, ICU Hospitalizations

**47,746**  
Total Hospitalizations  
(cumulative)

**9,421**  
Total ICU Hospitalizations  
(cumulative)

Hospitalization data show how many people required admission to a hospital and ICU. Admissions include all Minnesota cases regardless of location of hospitalization. Cases in residents of other states hospitalized in Minnesota are not included.

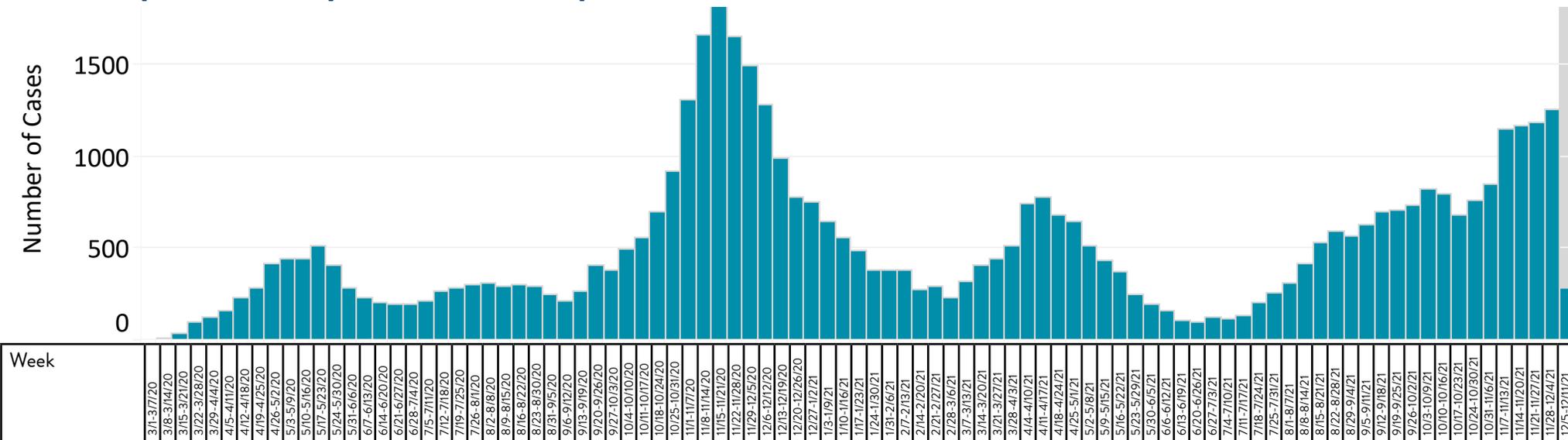


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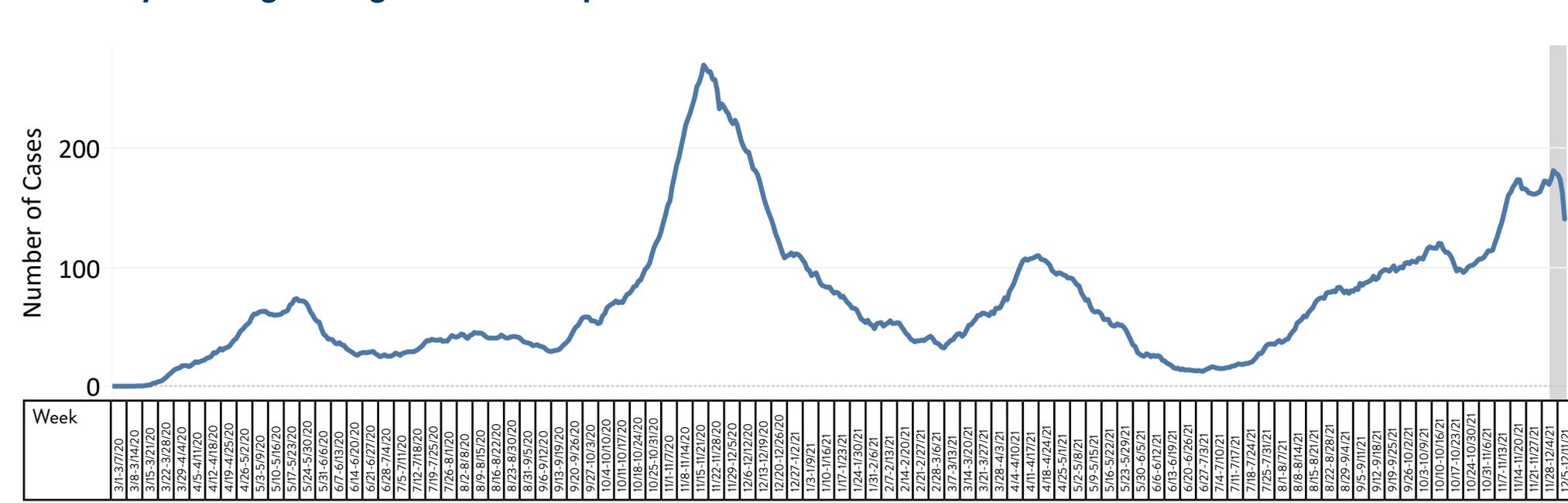
# Hospitalizations by Week, 7-Day Average

Cases by week of initial hospitalization, and 7-day moving average of new hospitalizations.

## New Hospitalization by Week First Hospital Admission



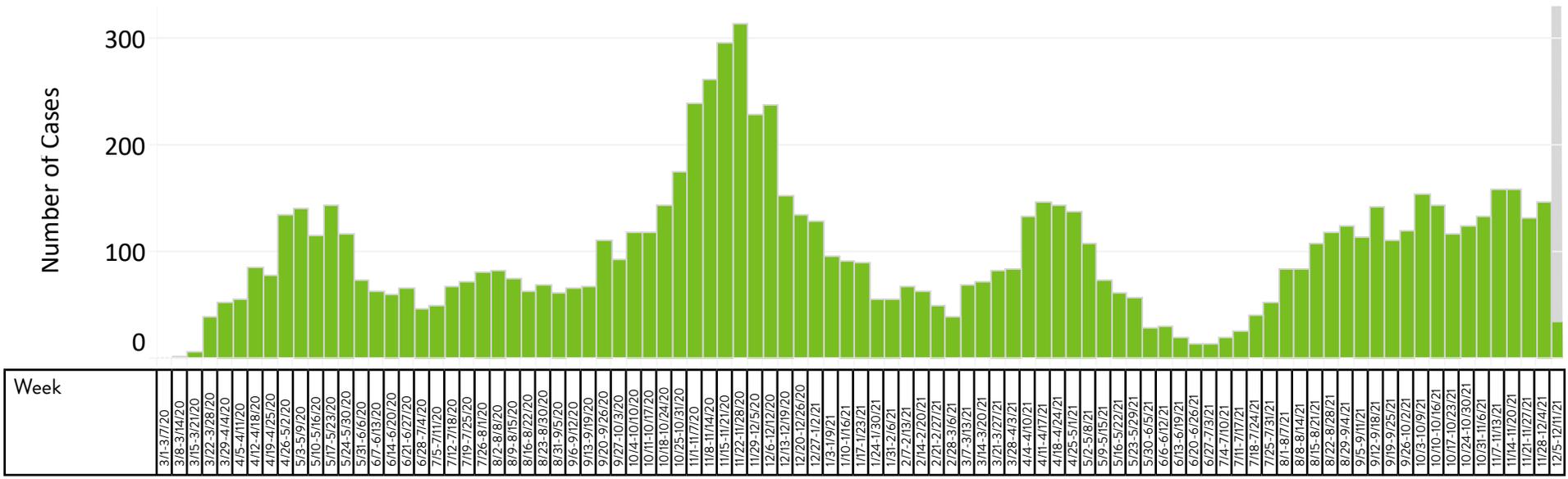
## Seven Day Moving Average of New Hospitalizations



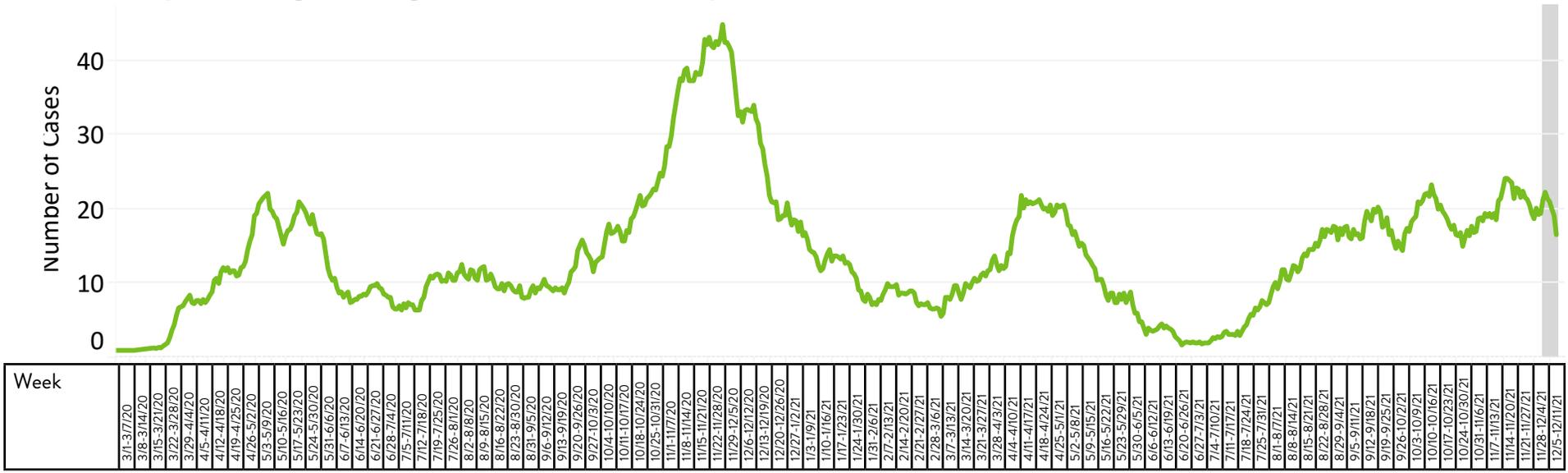
# ICU Hospitalizations by Week, 7-Day Average

Cases by week of ICU hospital admission, and 7-day moving average of new ICU hospitalizations.

## New ICU Hospitalizations by Week of First ICU Hospital Admission



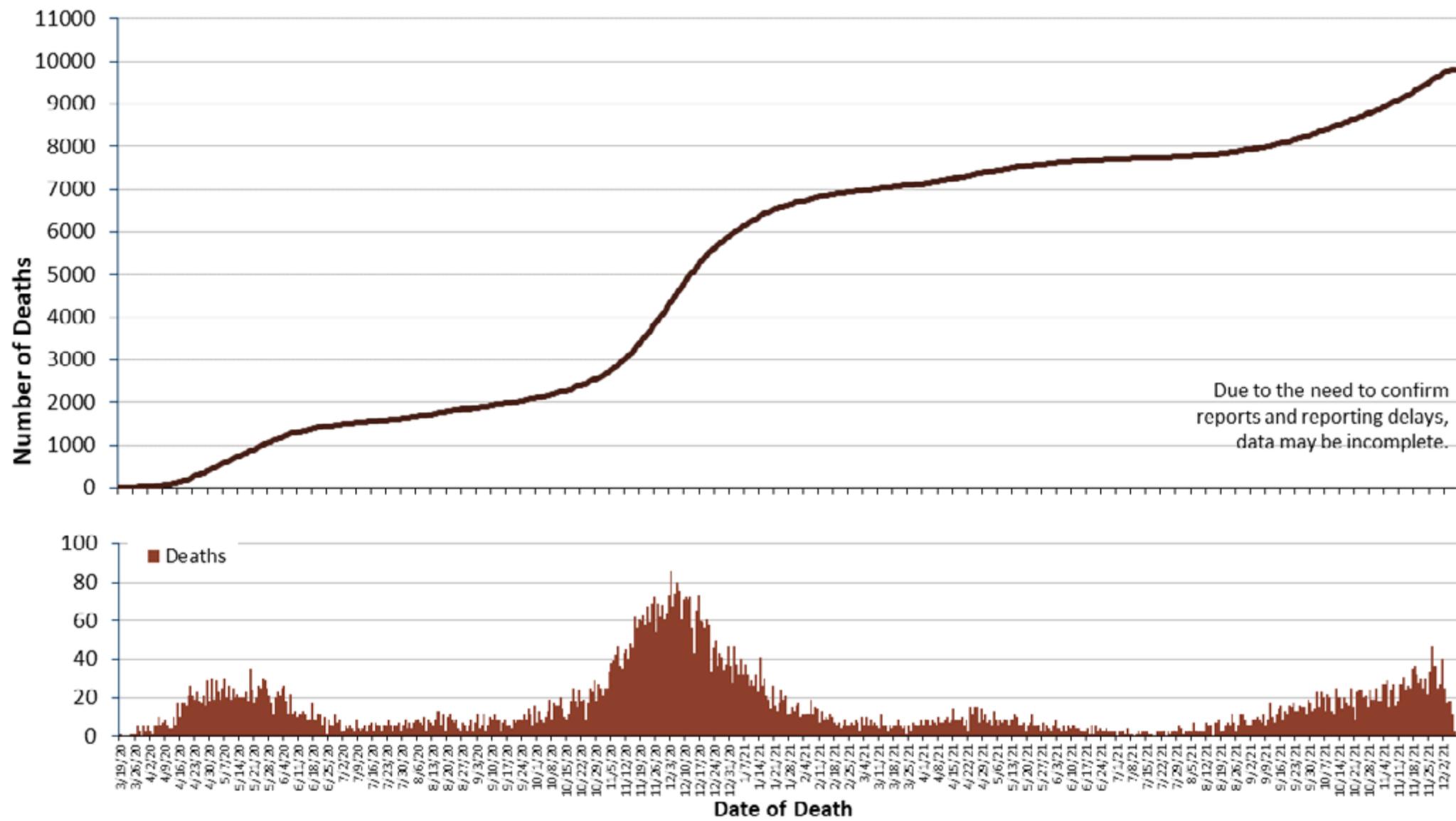
## Seven Day Moving Average of New ICU Hospitalizations



# COVID-19 Deaths

**9,814**  
Total Deaths  
(cumulative)

Total deaths (also known as total deaths with laboratory testing) are deaths due to COVID-19 with a positive PCR test (confirmed case) or antigen test (probable case) for SARS-CoV-2, and either COVID-19 is listed on the death certificate or clinical history/autopsy findings that provide evidence that the death is related to COVID-19 without an alternative cause (i.e. drowning, homicide, trauma, etc.).

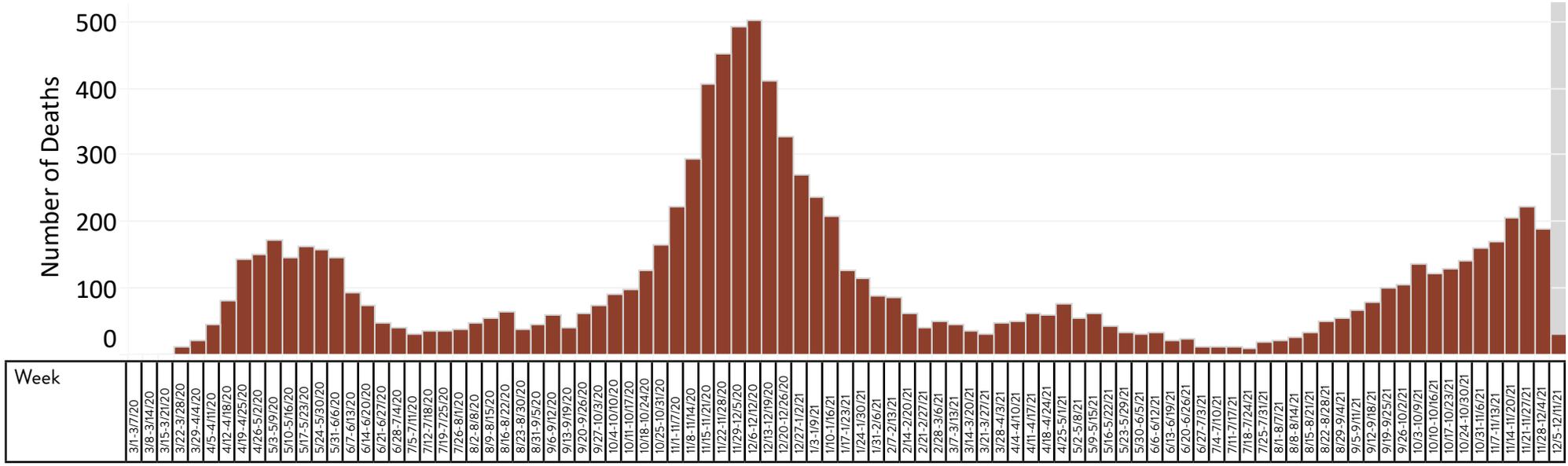


■ Tables of current data and more information about total deaths (also known as total deaths with laboratory testing) and non-laboratory-confirmed deaths: [Minnesota Situation Update for Coronavirus Disease 2019 \(COVID-19\) \(https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/situation.html\)](https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/situation.html)

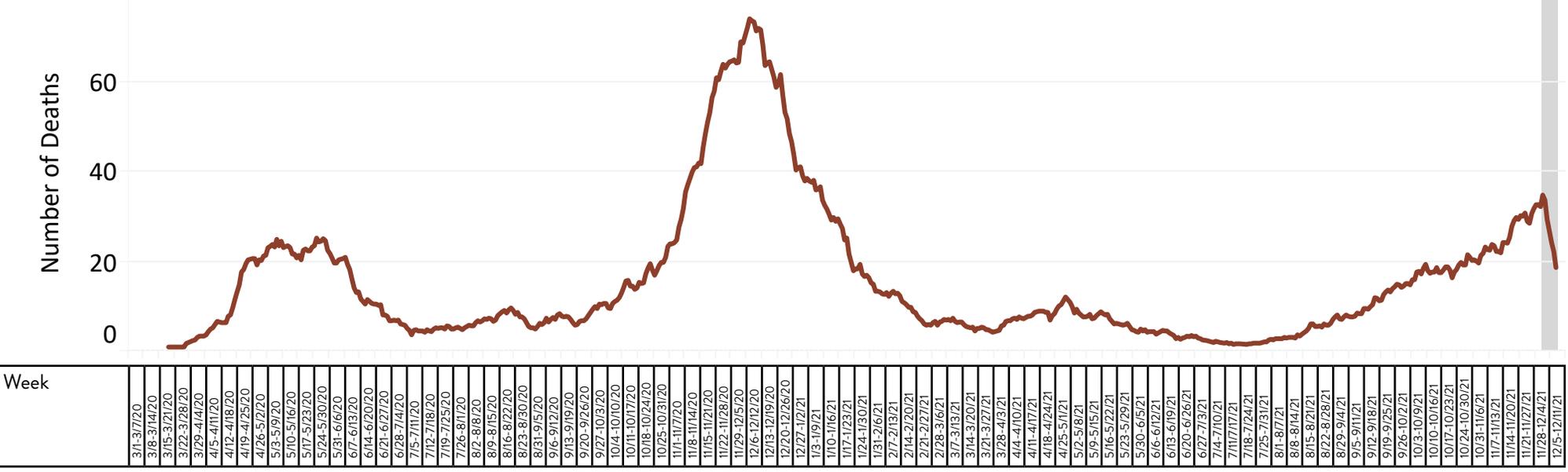
# Deaths by Week, 7-Day Average

Cases by week of death, and 7-day moving average of deaths.

## Deaths by Week of Death



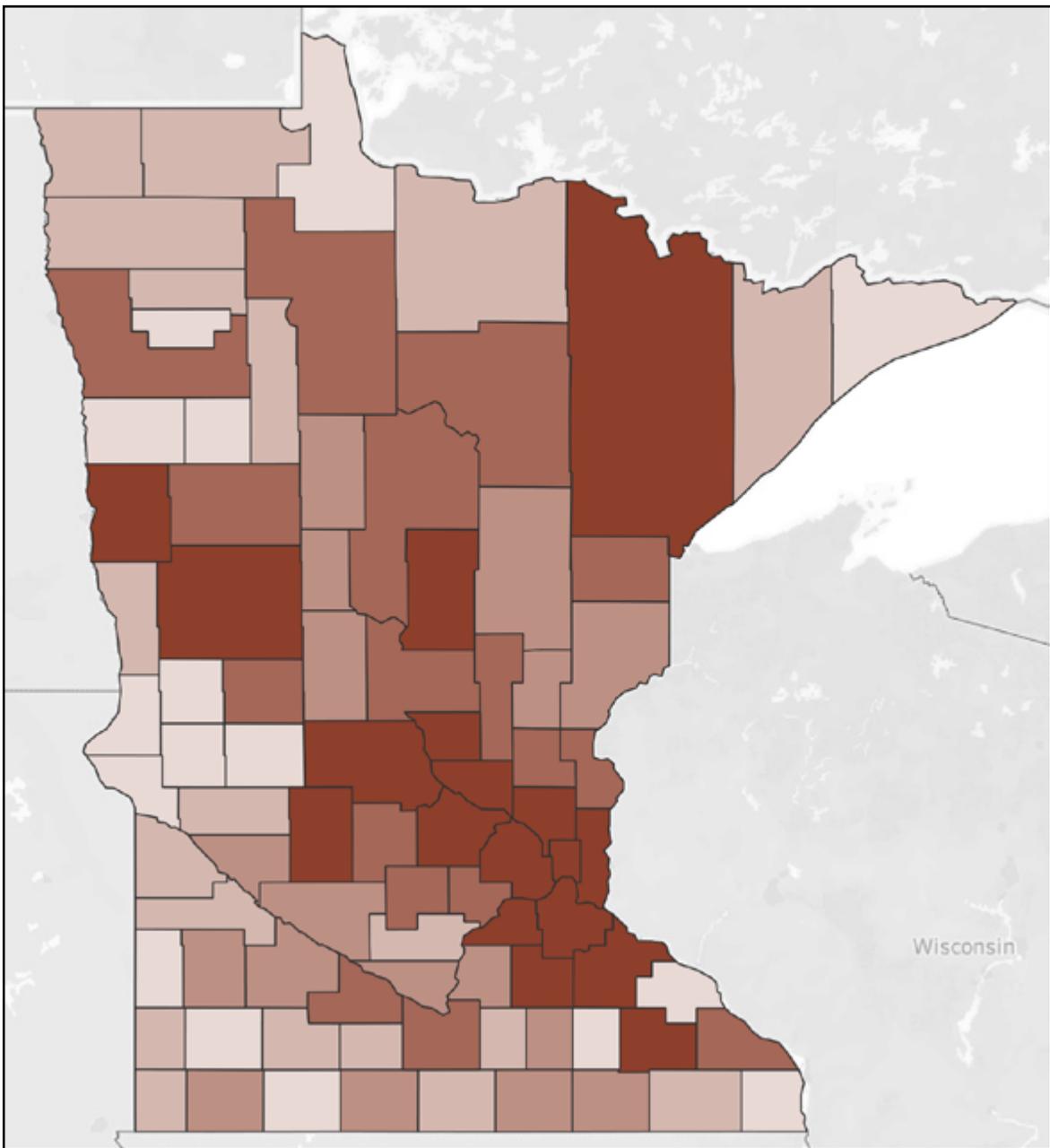
## Seven Day Moving Average of Deaths



# Deaths by County of Residence

**9,814**  
Total Deaths (cumulative)

Cumulative number of deaths by county of residence.



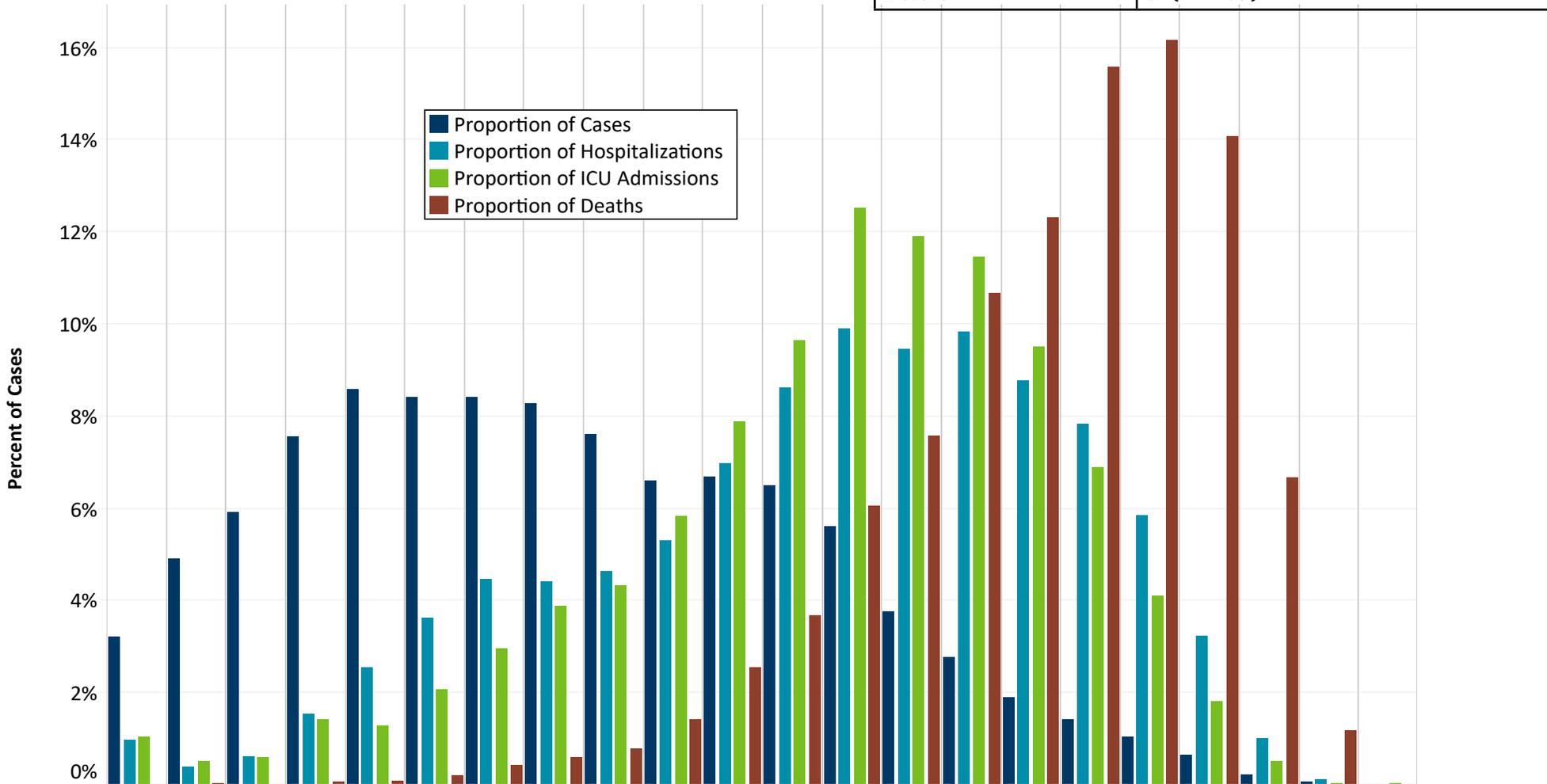
County	Deaths	County	Deaths
Aitkin	53	Martin	46
Anoka	611	McLeod	84
Becker	75	Meecker	61
Beltrami	103	Mille Lacs	84
Benton	132	Morrison	82
Big Stone	6	Mower	50
Blue Earth	72	Murray	11
Brown	62	Nicollet	61
Carlton	78	Nobles	54
Carver	75	Norman	10
Cass	57	Olmsted	132
Chippewa	43	Otter Tail	133
Chisago	83	Pennington	30
Clay	111	Pine	44
Clearwater	22	Pipestone	30
Cook	1	Polk	89
Cottonwood	33	Pope	10
Crow Wing	127	Ramsey	1,065
Dakota	603	Red Lake	11
Dodge	12	Redwood	46
Douglas	101	Renville	51
Faribault	36	Rice	145
Fillmore	15	Rock	31
Freeborn	49	Roseau	32
Goodhue	101	Scott	192
Grant	11	Sherburne	132
Hennepin	2,077	Sibley	19
Houston	17	St. Louis	428
Hubbard	49	Stearns	295
Isanti	87	Steele	37
Itasca	102	Stevens	11
Jackson	16	Swift	24
Kanabec	40	Todd	45
Kandiyohi	112	Traverse	6
Kittson	23	Wabasha	10
Koochiching	26	Wadena	41
Lac qui Parle	26	Waseca	34
Lake	25	Washington	375
Lake of the Woods	5	Watonwan	21
Le Sueur	36	Wilkin	16
Lincoln	5	Winona	58
Lyon	63	Wright	235
Mahnomen	15	Yellow Medicine	25
Marshall	22	Unknown/missing	0

Up to date data for this chart is provided in the [Minnesota Situation Update for Coronavirus Disease 2019 \(COVID-19\)](https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/situation.html) (<https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/situation.html>)

# Demographics: Age

Age groups, median age, and range for cases.

	Median Age (Range) in Years
All Cases	36 (<1 month - 110)
Non-Hospitalized Cases	35 (<1 month - 110)
Hospitalizations	63 (<1 month - 105)
ICU Hospitalizations	63 (<1 month - 105)
Deaths	81 (<1 - 109)

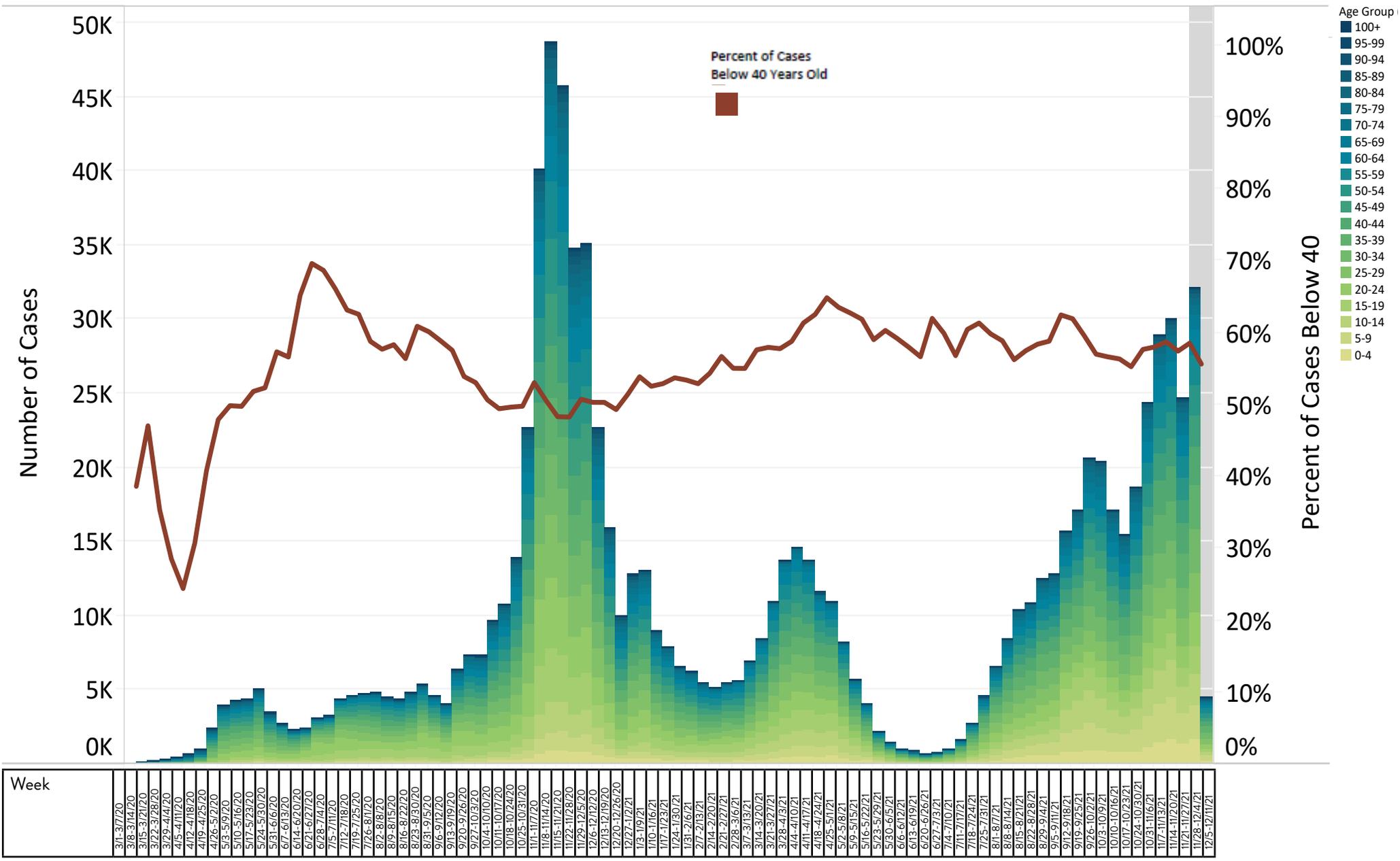


Age Group (in years)	0-4	5-9	10-14	15-19	20-24	25-29	30-34	35-39	40-44	45-49	50-54	55-59	60-64	65-69	70-74	75-79	80-84	85-89	90-94	95-99	100+	Unk./missing	Total
All Cases	30,631	46,788	56,164	71,975	81,668	80,069	80,070	78,818	72,371	62,773	63,698	61,808	53,315	35,716	26,272	18,146	13,498	9,681	6,068	2,239	426	38	952,232
Hospitalizations	463	184	297	735	1,212	1,735	2,124	2,105	2,206	2,526	3,322	4,111	4,725	4,511	4,699	4,191	3,732	2,797	1,546	476	47	2	47,746
ICU Hospitalizations	96	46	56	134	121	193	278	364	406	549	742	907	1,178	1,121	1,079	896	649	386	170	46	2	2	9,421
Deaths	1	2	0	4	8	17	39	55	75	138	239	349	590	733	1,016	1,206	1,514	1,627	1,399	672	130	0	9,814

# Cases by Age Group and Specimen Collection Date

Cases by age group by date of specimen collection in Minnesota.

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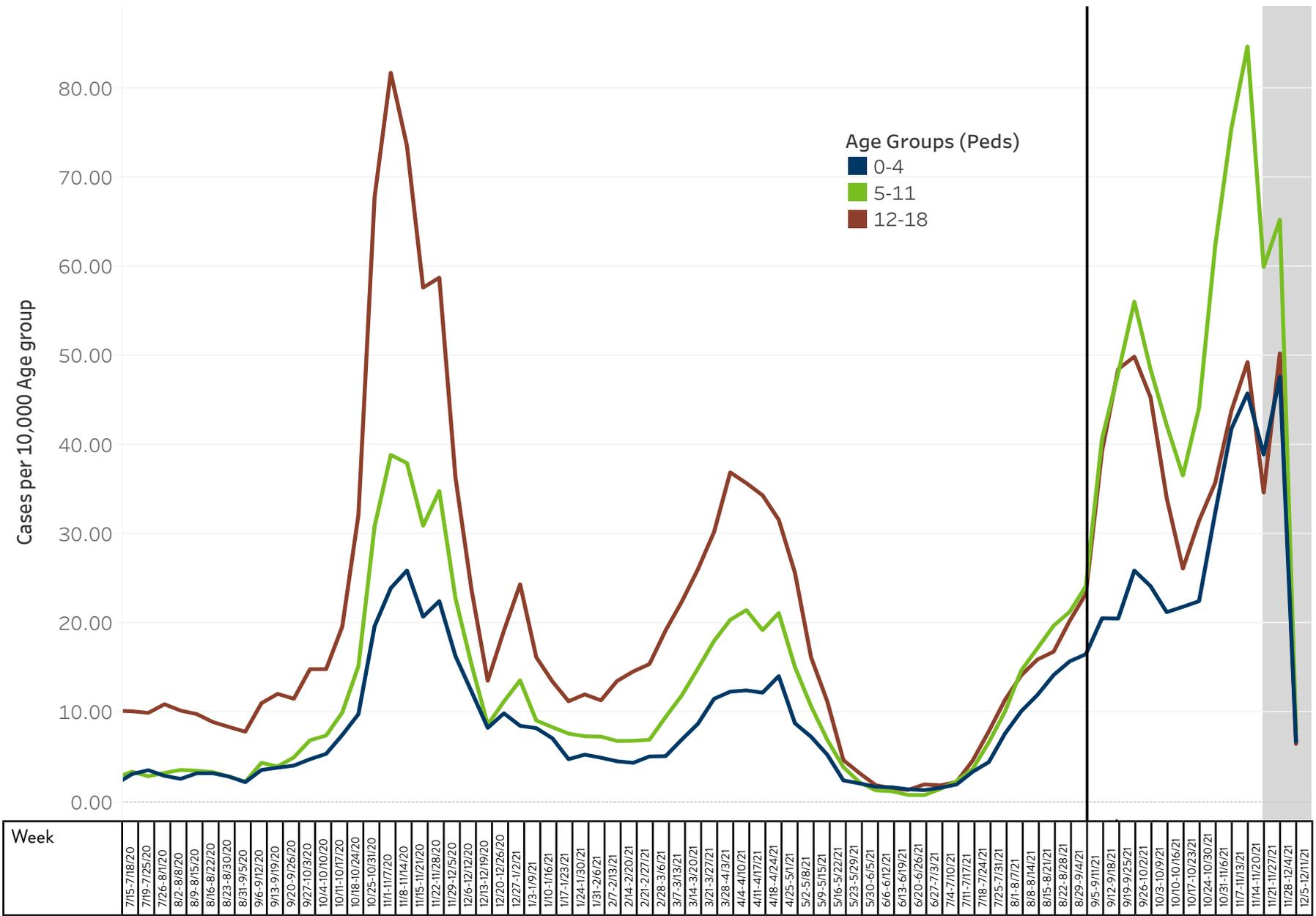


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# Case Rate in Children by Specimen Collection Date

Cases by age group for children in Minnesota (cases 18 years of age and under) per 10,000 people by date of specimen collection.

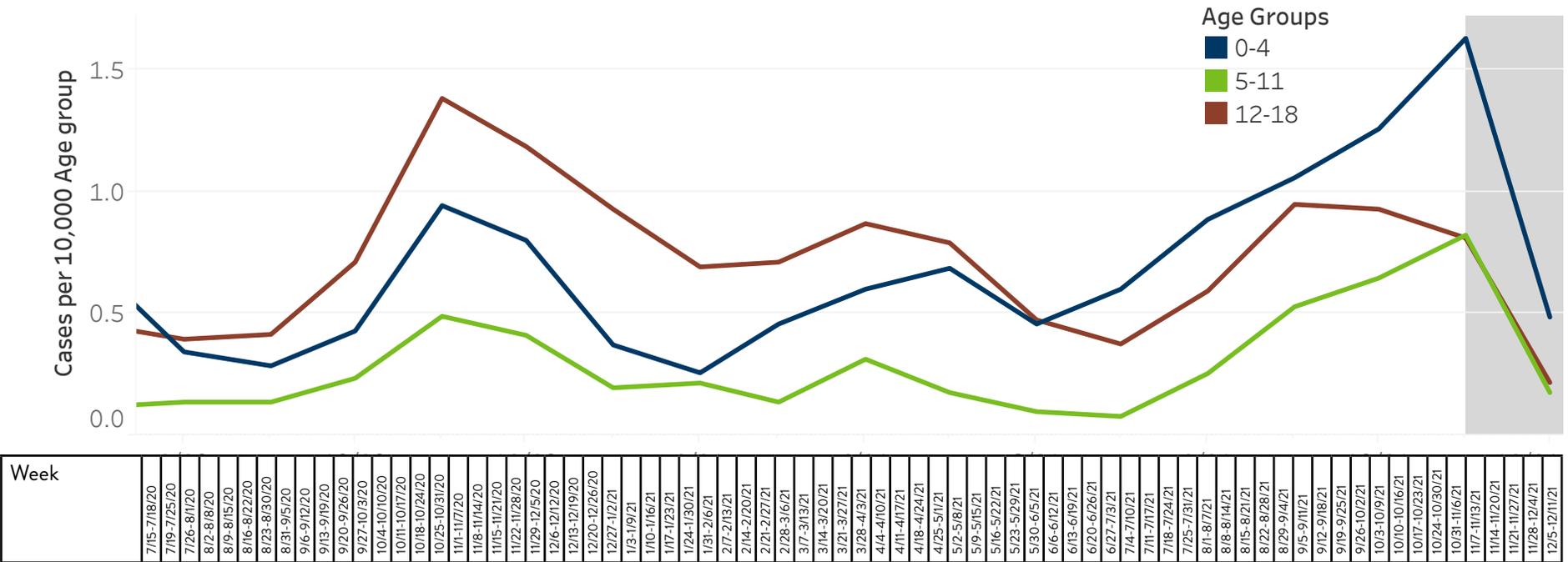
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# Hospitalization Rate in Children by Specimen Collection Date

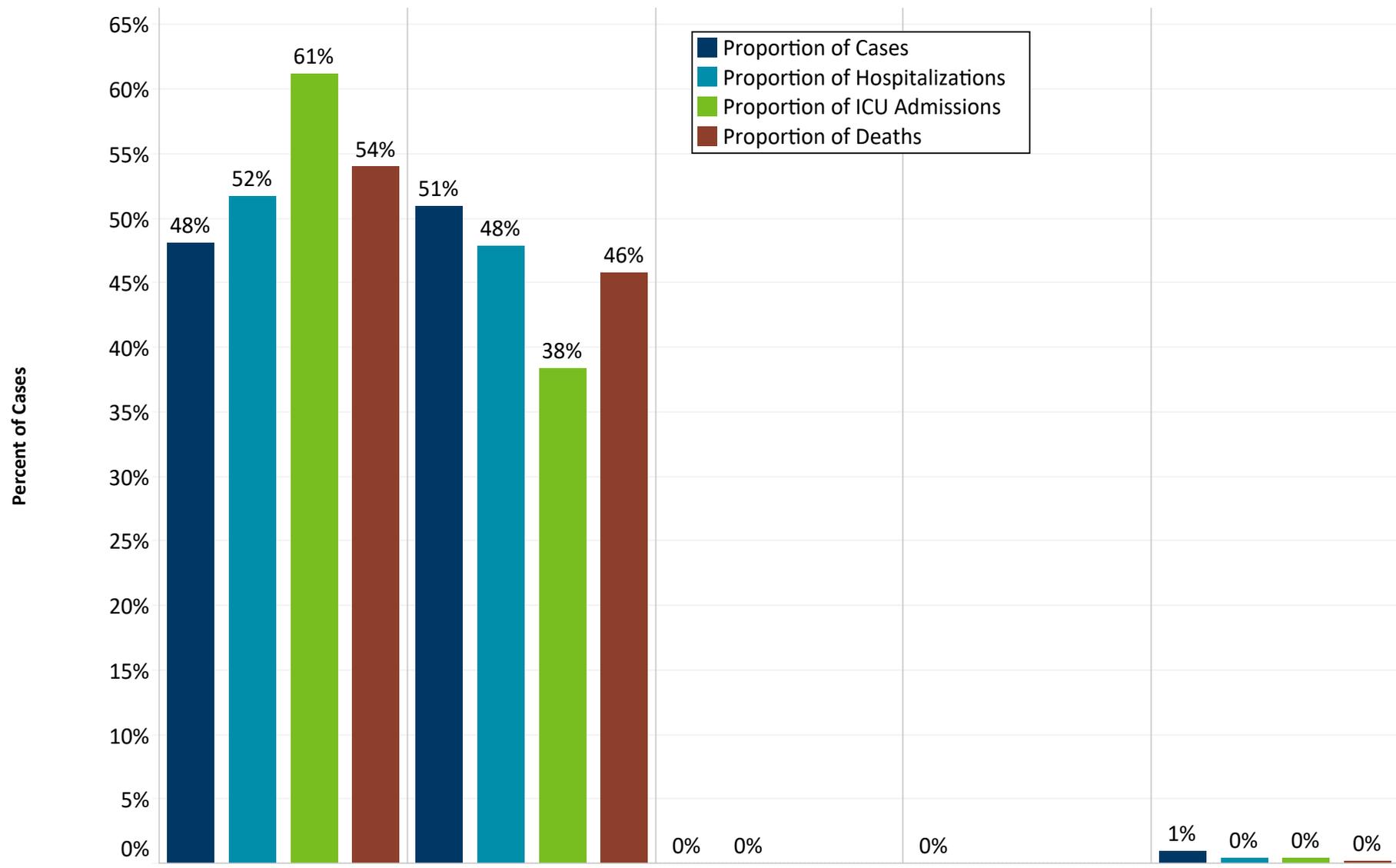
Hospitalizations by age group for children in Minnesota (cases 18 years of age and under) per 10,000 people by date of specimen collection.

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# Demographics: Gender

Gender is collected during case interview and is self-reported.



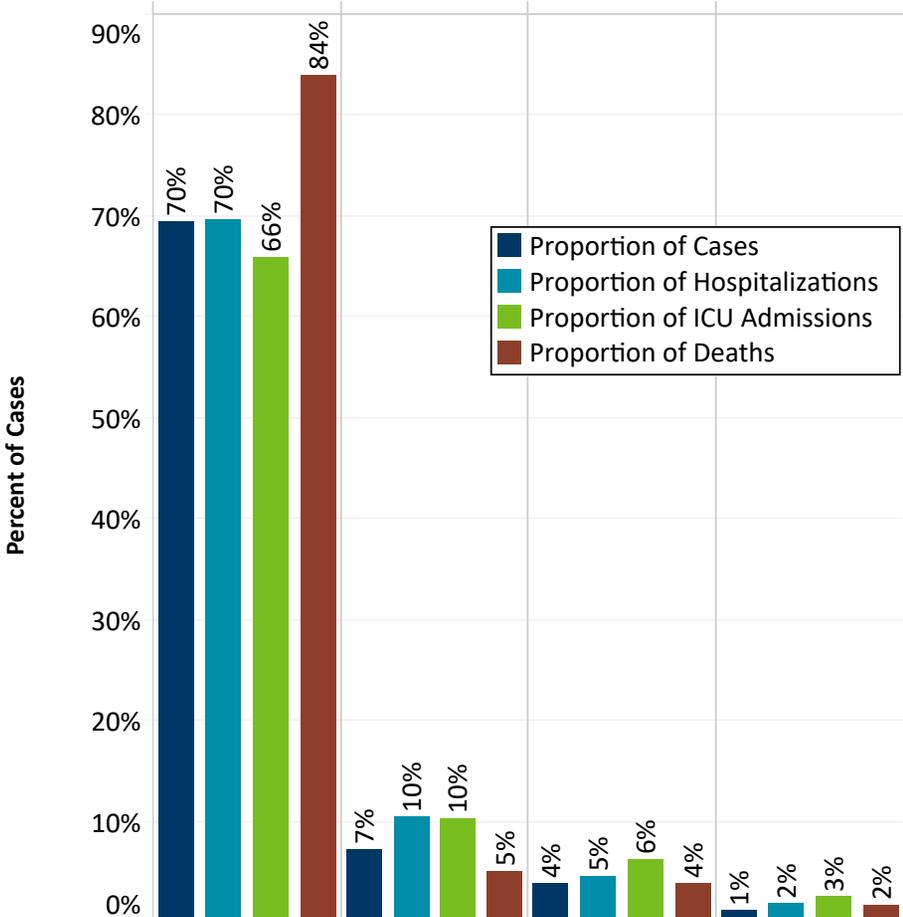
Gender	Male	Female	Other	Unk./missing	Total
<b>All Cases</b>	458,014	485,072	129	9,017	952,232
<b>Hospitalizations</b>	24,672	22,848	1	225	47,746
<b>ICU Hospitalizations</b>	5,767	3,617	0	37	9,421
<b>Deaths</b>	5,283	4,501	0	30	9,814

# Demographics: Race & Ethnicity

Race and ethnicity is reported during case interview. Individuals who report more than one race are categorized into the multiple race category.

Race/Ethnicity	Minnesota Population (2018)	% of Population
White, non-Hispanic	4,438,071	80%
Black, non-Hispanic	336,505	6%
Asian, non-Hispanic	260,797	5%
American Indian/Alaska Native, non-Hispanic	53,168	1%
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander, non-Hispanic	1,799	<1%
Multiple Races, non-Hispanic	137,233	2%
Other, non-Hispanic	7,021	<1%
Hispanic	292,764	5%

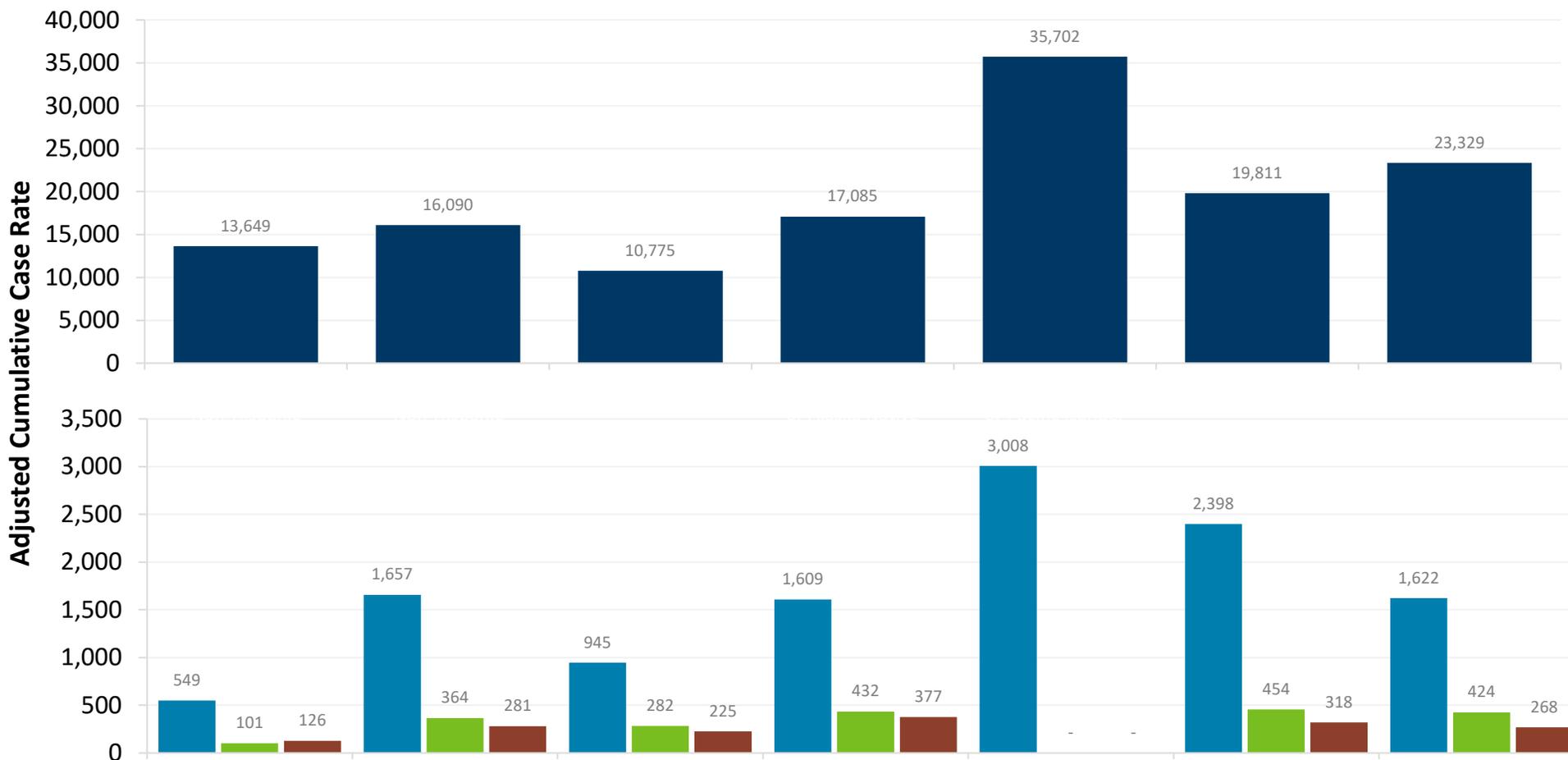
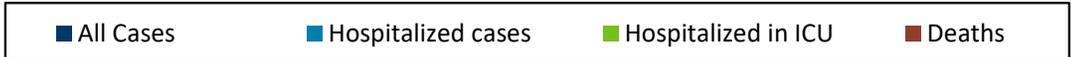
Case interviews are now prioritized, priority groups include people under 18 years old, hospitalizations, deaths, and people with vaccine breakthrough or variants. Therefore, not all cases were contacted for interview. If cases were not interviewed, race and ethnicity information from disease reporting is included when available.



Race/ethnicity	White, non-Hispanic	Black, non-Hispanic	Asian, non-Hispanic	Amer. Indian/AK Native, NH	Native HI/Pacific Isl., NH	Multiple Races, non-Hispanic	Other, non-Hispanic	Hispanic	Unknown/missing	Total
All Cases	662,108	68,624	36,311	11,626	1,167	18,915	17,307	69,830	66,344	952,232
Hospitalizations	33,217	4,950	2,172	901	73	1,164	501	3,286	1,482	47,746
ICU Hospitalizations	6,213	974	593	245	15	229	108	783	261	9,421
Deaths	8,298	474	362	162	11	99	30	297	81	9,814

# Age-Adjusted Race & Ethnicity Rates

Age-adjusted rates allow us to compare rates for racial and ethnic groups that have very different age distributions in Minnesota; they essentially allow us to look at what the rates would be if the underlying population age distribution was the same for all races. Rates have been suppressed when total cases are less than 25. Cumulative case rate is the number of cases by race or ethnicity per 100,000 people in Minnesota. Case interviews are now prioritized, priority groups include people under 18 years old, hospitalizations, deaths, and people with vaccine breakthrough or variants. Therefore, not all cases were contacted for interview. If cases were not interviewed, race and ethnicity information from disease reporting is included when available.



Age adjusted race/ethnicity	White, non-Hispanic	Black, non-Hispanic	Asian, non-Hispanic	American Indian/Alaskan Native, NH	Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander, NH	Multiple Races, non-Hispanic	Hispanic
<b>All Cases</b>	13,649	16,090	10,775	17,085	35,702	19,811	23,329
<b>Hospitalizations</b>	549	1,657	945	1,609	3,008	2,398	1,622
<b>ICU Hospitalizations</b>	101	364	282	432	-	454	424
<b>Deaths</b>	126	281	225	377	-	318	268

# Potential Exposure in Child Care Settings

Cases of COVID-19 among children who attended child care with potential exposure in child care settings by specimen collection date. Data also include hospitalizations, ICU hospitalizations, and deaths of attendees and staff associated with a childcare program. All adult cases are not routinely interviewed. Child care programs included: licensed child care centers, certified centers, summer day camps, and school-age care during peacetime emergency. Does not include in-home child cares. Cases by week are by specimen collection date.

**6,618**  
Total Child Care Attendees (cumulative)

**32**  
Total Hospitalized Child Care-affiliated Attendee Cases (cumulative)

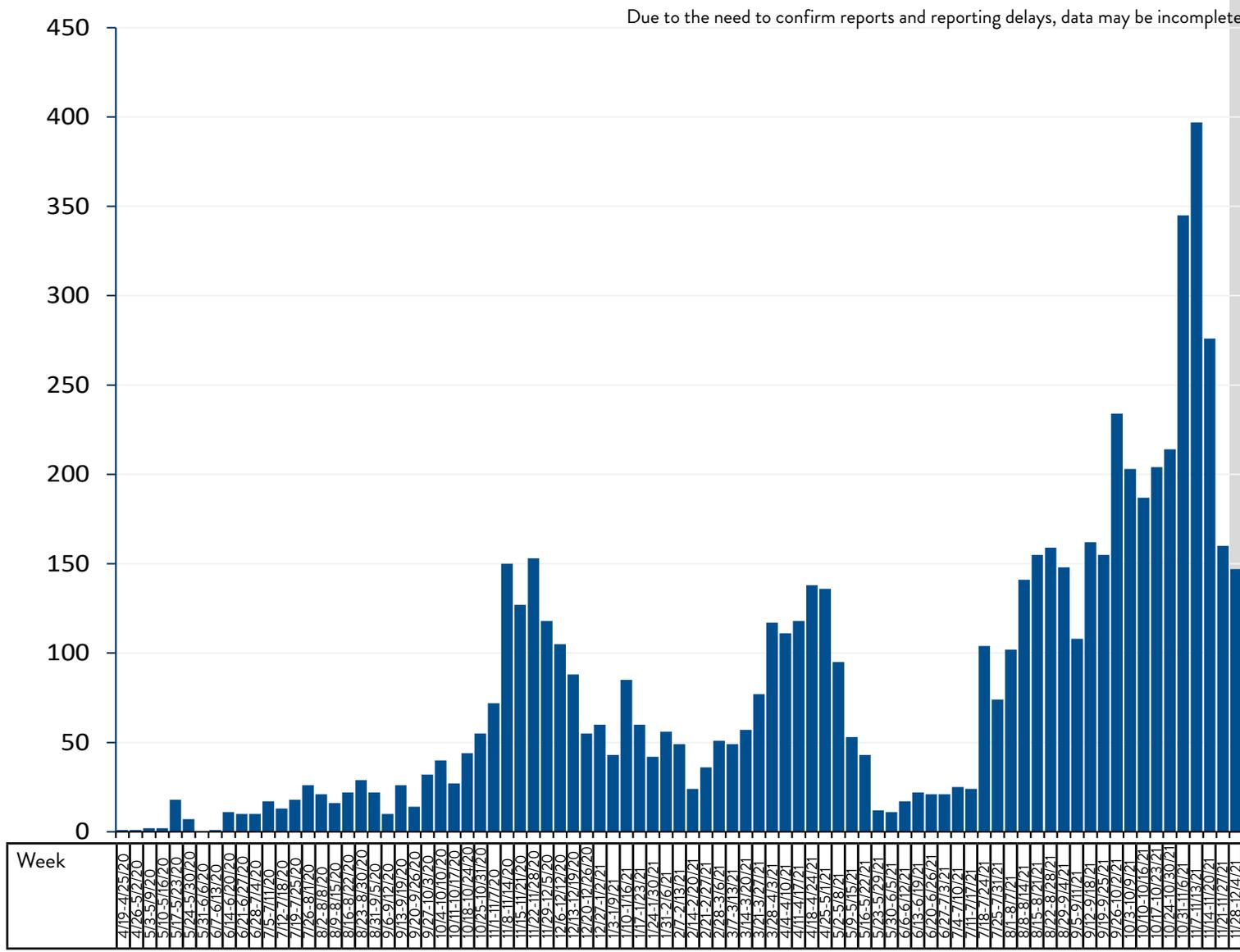
**9**  
Total ICU Hospitalized Child Care-affiliated Attendee Cases (cumulative)

**0**  
Total Child Care-affiliated Attendee Deaths (cumulative)

**101**  
Total Hospitalized Child Care-affiliated Staff Cases (cumulative)

**7**  
Total ICU Hospitalized Child Care-affiliated Staff Cases (cumulative)

**1**  
Total Child Care-affiliated Staff Deaths (cumulative)



# Student Cases Associated with Pre-K through Grade 12

## School Buildings

Cases of COVID-19 associated with students attending school and hospitalizations, ICU hospitalizations, and deaths of staff working at a prekindergarten through grade 12 building while they were able to spread COVID-19. All adult cases are not routinely interviewed. These numbers include cases exposed in a school setting, cases exposed in other settings, and cases where the exposure setting was not confirmed. All Minnesota schools are represented including public, nonpublic, and tribal schools. Cases by week are by specimen collection date. Numbers listed as cumulative total are cumulative since Aug. 1, 2020.

**47,223**  
Total PreK-12 Student Cases (cumulative)

**191**  
Total Hospitalized PreK-12-affiliated Student Cases (cumulative)

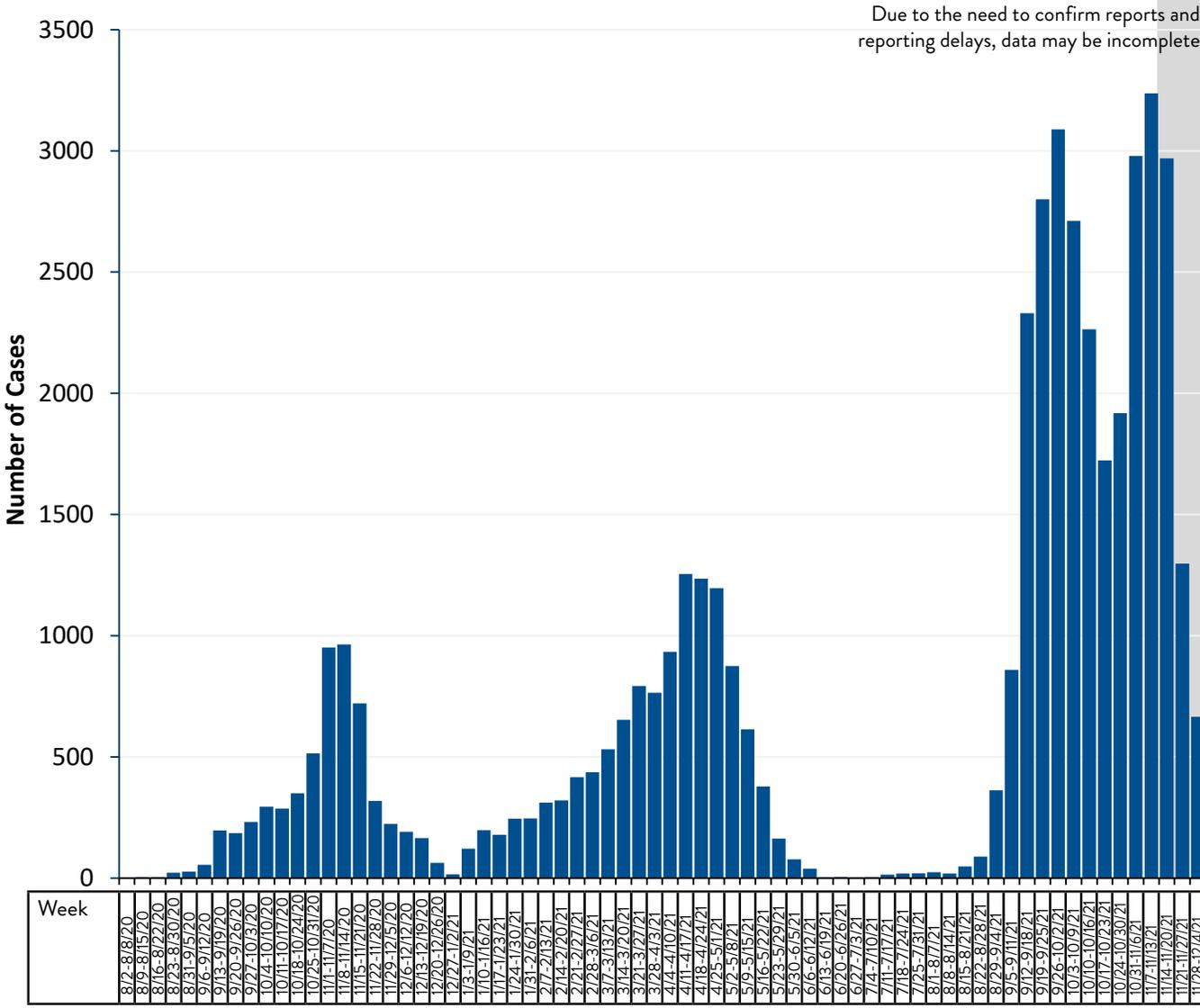
**26**  
Total ICU Hospitalized PreK-12-affiliated Student Cases (cumulative)

**3**  
Total PreK-12-affiliated Student Deaths (cumulative)

**300**  
Total Hospitalized PreK-12-affiliated Staff Cases (cumulative)

**58**  
Total ICU Hospitalized PreK-12-affiliated Staff Cases (cumulative)

**18**  
Total PreK-12-affiliated Staff Deaths (cumulative)



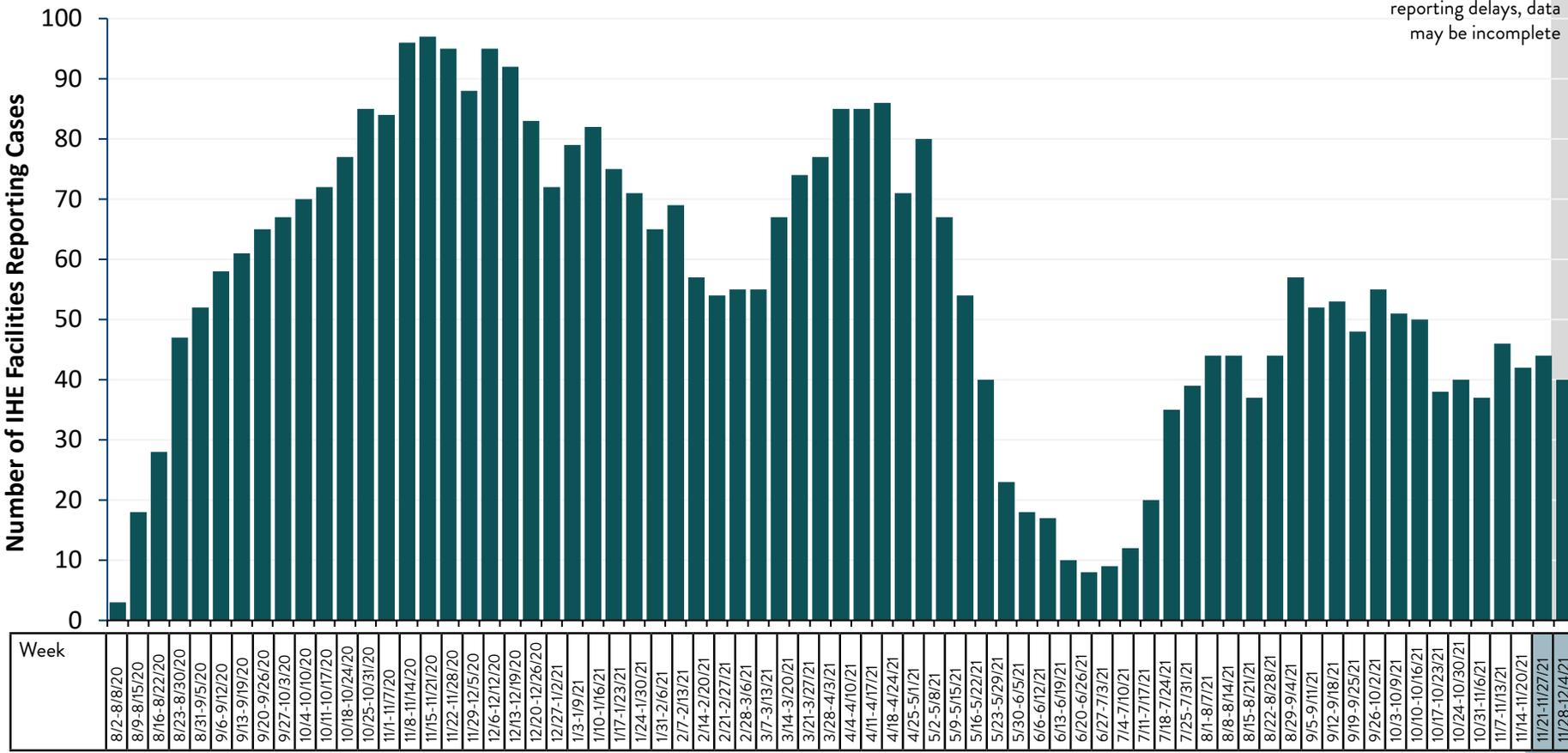
A list of School buildings reporting 5 or more cases of COVID-19 in students who were in the building while infectious during a two-week reporting period by county is available in the [COVID-19 Weekly Report \(https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/stats/index.html\)](https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/stats/index.html)

# Minnesota IHE Facilities Reporting Cases

**154**  
Total IHE Facilities that have Reported at Least One Case (cumulative)

Number of facilities that have had cases of COVID-19 in faculty, staff, and students working or enrolled at a Minnesota IHE while they were potentially exposed to or able to spread COVID-19. IHE include colleges, universities, and private career schools. Number of IHE Facilities reporting cases by week are by specimen collection date. Numbers listed as cumulative total are cumulative since Aug. 1, 2020.

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The IHE facility data will be changing in the coming weeks. This information is no longer collected for all cases.

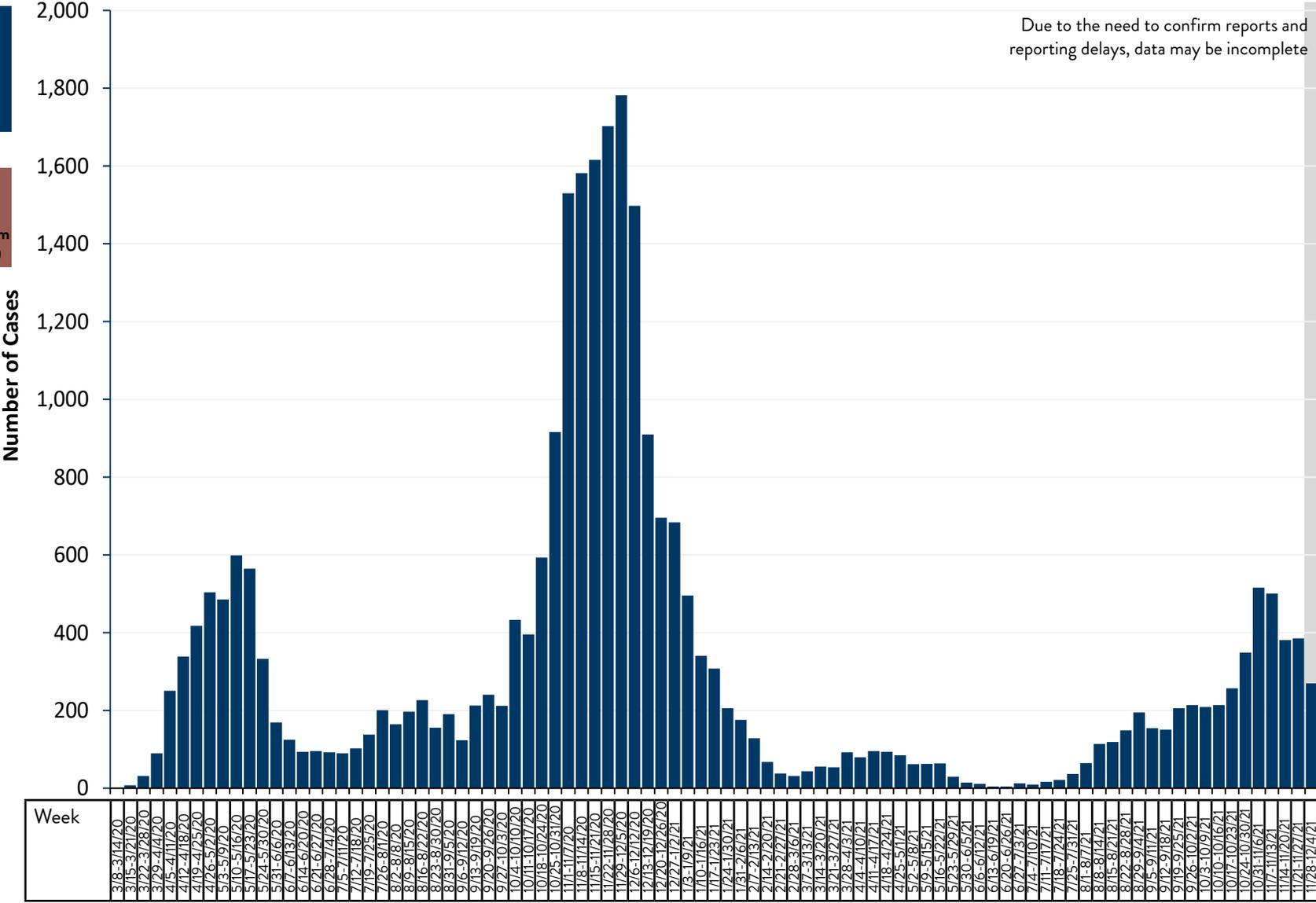
Cases per IHE facility	Number of IHEs reporting cases 11/21-12/4/21
1-10 cases	43
11-30 cases	11
31-99 cases	0
≥100 cases	0
<b>Total</b>	<b>54</b>

# Resident Cases Associated with Congregate Care Settings

Cases of COVID-19 associated with residents living in congregate settings by specimen collection date. Congregate care settings include nursing homes, assisted living-type facilities, group homes, and other communal-living settings with a healthcare component.

**28,002**  
Total Congregate Care Residents  
(cumulative)

**5,028**  
Deaths among cases that resided in long-term  
care or assisted living facilities (cumulative)

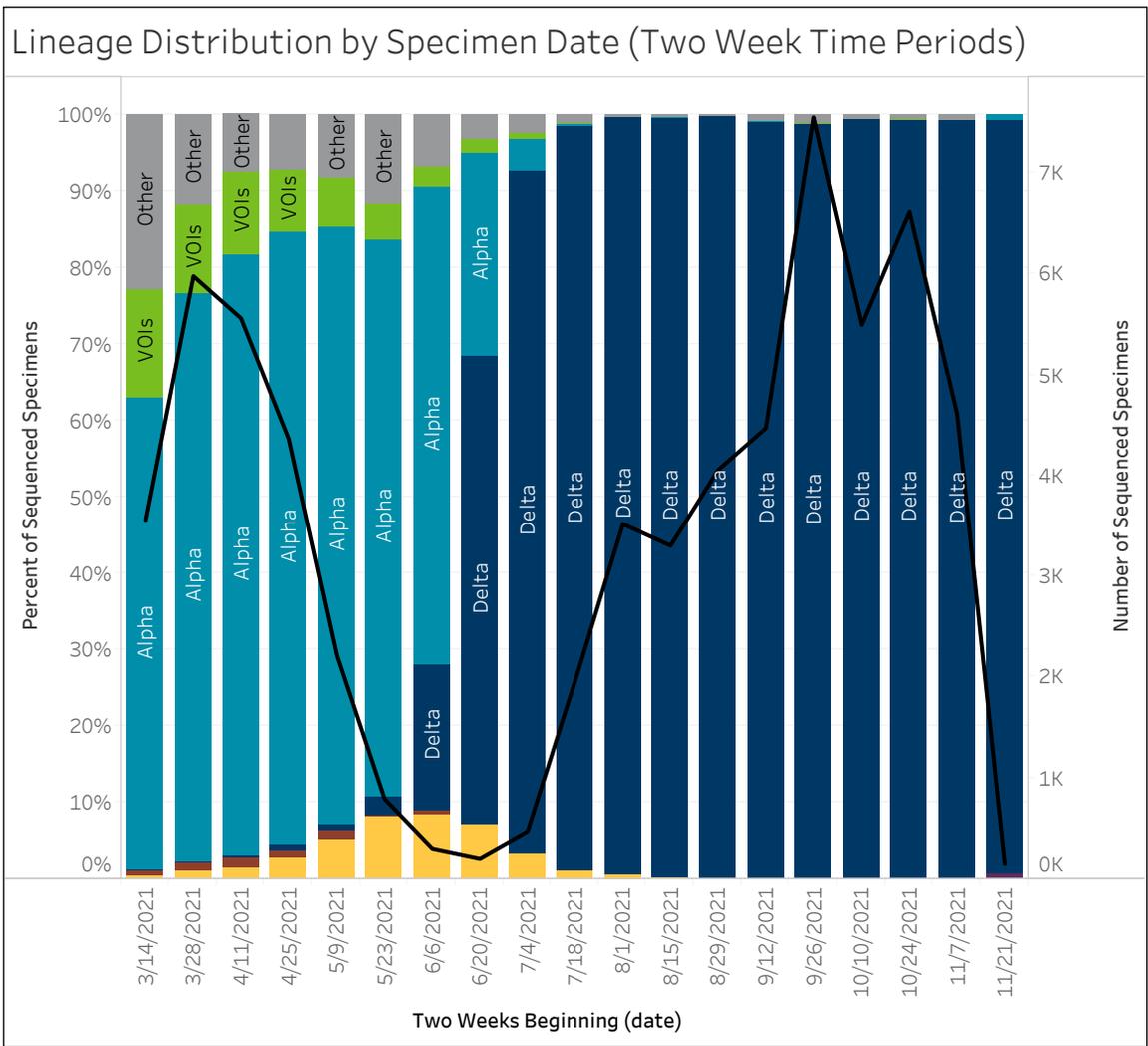


A list of congregate care facilities reporting an exposure in the last 28 days from a case in a resident, staff person, or visiting provider and a cumulative list of long-term care facilities reporting a case in a resident, staff person, or visiting service provider are available on: [Minnesota Situation Update for Coronavirus Disease 2019 \(https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/situation.html\)](https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/situation.html)

# SARS-CoV-2 Variants Circulating in Minnesota

Lineage distribution of SARS-CoV-2 variants in Minnesota. The line indicates number of specimens sequenced, while the bars show proportions of each variant identified.

SARS-CoV-2 Variants of Concern (VOC) are named using the World Health Organization (WHO) naming conventions, Variants of Interest (VOI) are included as a group. More information about naming variants can be found at [WHO: Tracking SARS-CoV-2 variants \(https://www.who.int/en/activities/tracking-SARS-CoV-2-variants/\)](https://www.who.int/en/activities/tracking-SARS-CoV-2-variants/)



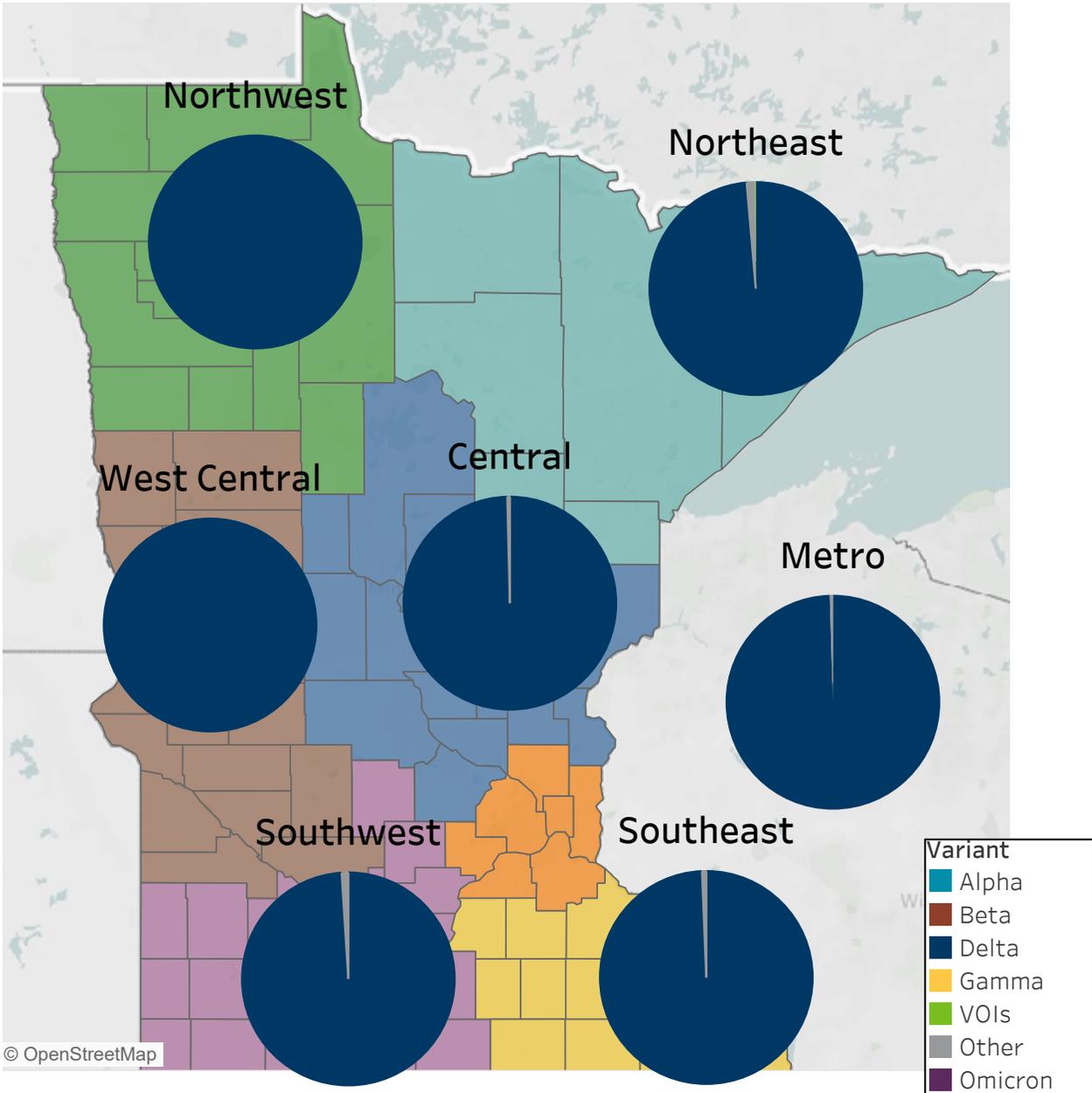
- WHO Label**
- Other
  - VOIs
  - Alpha
  - Delta
  - Beta
  - Gamma
  - Omicron

Variant Distribution Since 10/24/2021*		
<b>Delta</b>	B.1.617.2	83.82%
	AY.3	15.65%
	AY.1	0.02%
<b>Alpha</b>	B.1.1.7	0.01%
<b>VOIs</b>	B.1.526	0.01%
<b>Other</b>	Other	0.49%
<b>Omicron</b>	B.1.1.529	0.01%

\*All VOI and VOC are included in this list, as well as any lineages that account for ≥1% of all specimens sequenced since 10/24/2021. All other lineages are included in the 'Other' category.

# SARS-CoV-2 Variants by Region

This map shows the distribution of variants across regions in the past 30 days for the cases that have been sequenced.



Region & Variant	Variant %	Region & Variant	Variant %
<b>Northwest</b>		<b>Northeast</b>	
Alpha	0.00%	Alpha	0.00%
Beta	0.00%	Beta	0.00%
Delta	100.00%	Delta	98.63%
Gamma	0.00%	Gamma	0.00%
Omicron	0.00%	Omicron	0.00%
Other	0.00%	Other	1.23%
VOIs	0.00%	VOIs	0.14%
<b>West Central</b>		<b>Central</b>	
Alpha	0.00%	Alpha	0.00%
Beta	0.00%	Beta	0.00%
Delta	100.00%	Delta	99.62%
Gamma	0.00%	Gamma	0.00%
Omicron	0.00%	Omicron	0.00%
Other	0.00%	Other	0.38%
VOIs	0.00%	VOIs	0.00%
<b>Southwest</b>		<b>Southeast</b>	
Alpha	0.00%	Alpha	0.00%
Beta	0.00%	Beta	0.00%
Delta	99.00%	Delta	99.36%
Gamma	0.00%	Gamma	0.00%
Omicron	0.00%	Omicron	0.00%
Other	1.00%	Other	0.64%
VOIs	0.00%	VOIs	0.00%
<b>Metro</b>			
Alpha	0.01%		
Beta	0.00%		
Delta	99.52%		
Gamma	0.00%		
Omicron	0.01%		
Other	0.45%		
VOIs	0.00%		

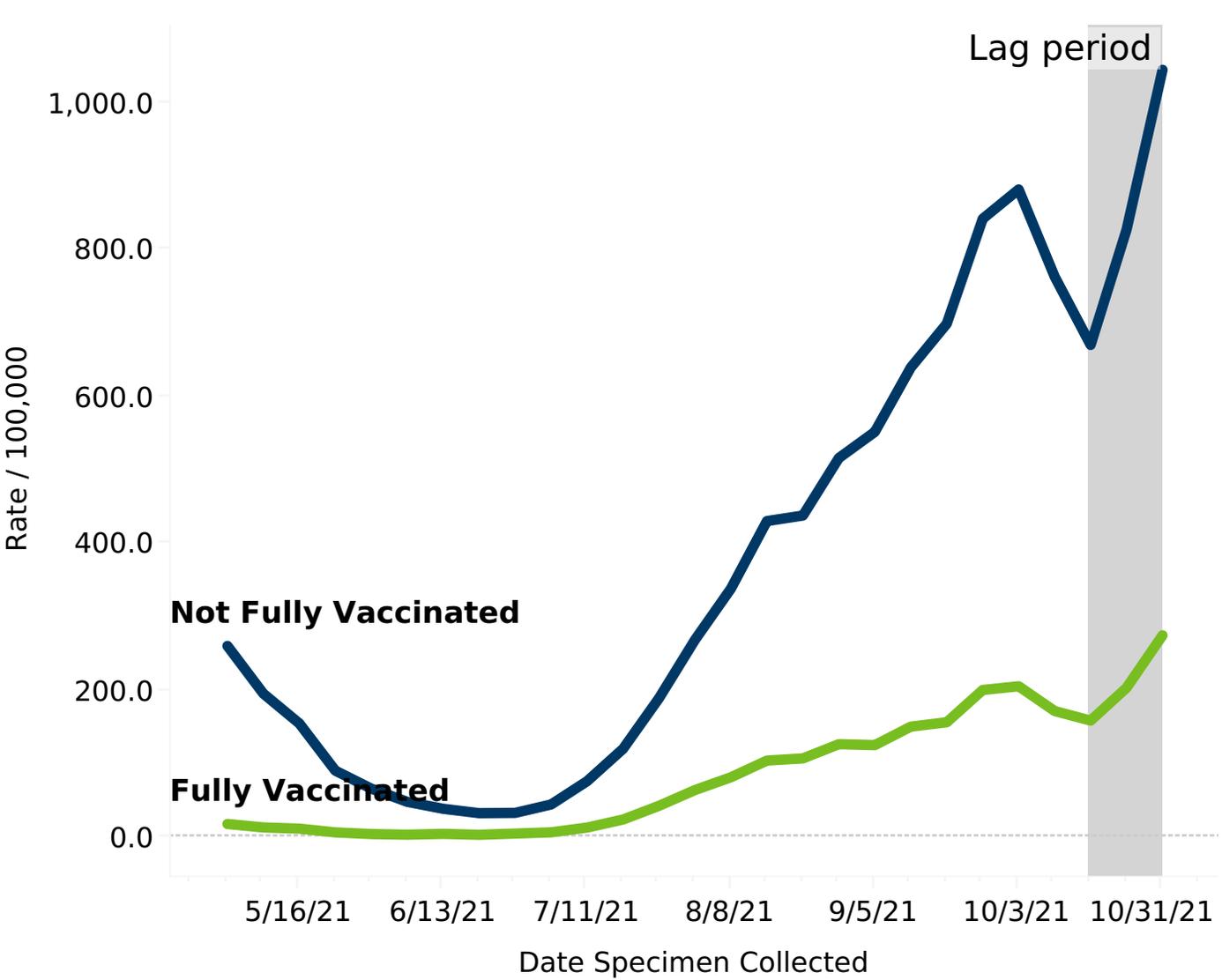
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A map of counties included in regions can be found at [Map of Field Services Epidemiologists \(https://www.health.state.mn.us/about/org/idepc/epis.html\)](https://www.health.state.mn.us/about/org/idepc/epis.html).

# Vaccine Breakthrough (VBT) Cases

Vaccine breakthrough cases are defined as Minnesota residents with a positive COVID-19 test result (PCR or antigen) with a symptom onset date (or collection date if asymptomatic) 14 or more days after they have completed all recommended doses of a COVID-19 vaccine. VBT data has a lag period of one month for reporting purposes and excludes the rates prior to May since vaccine was not readily available to all Minnesotans prior to that date.

The rate per 100,000 people is calculated as the number of fully vaccinated people who test positive for SARS-CoV-2 divided by the total number of fully vaccinated people, multiplied by 100,000.



**3,295,436**  
Total number of fully vaccinated Minnesotans age 12 and older (as of the week beginning 10/31)

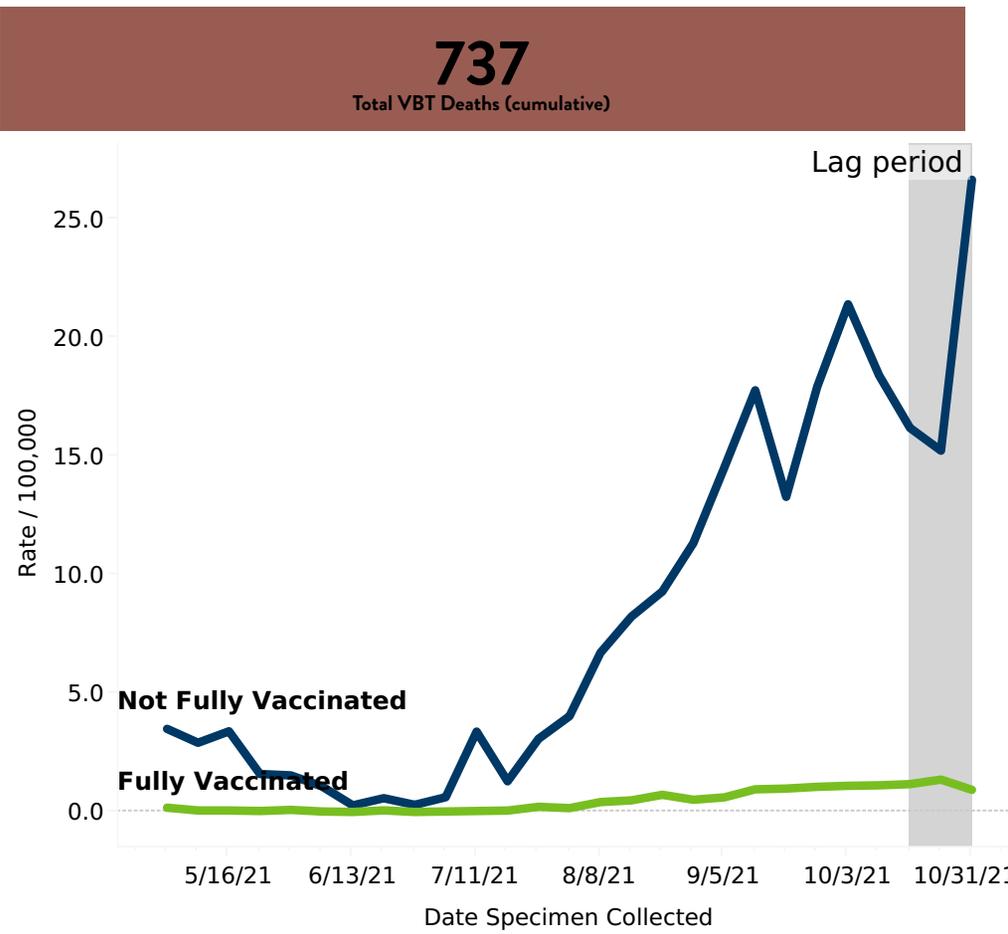
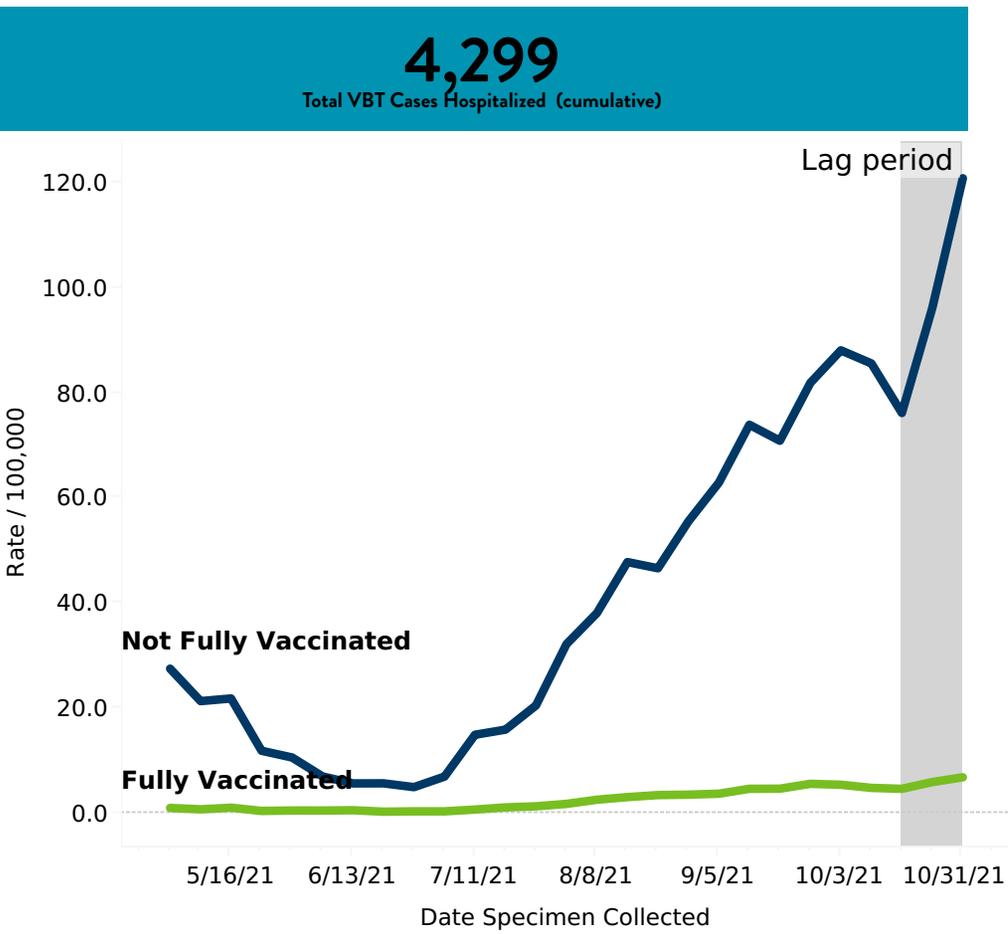
**103,764**  
Total VBT Cases (cumulative)

All VBT data in this report is as of 12/6/21

More information about vaccine breakthrough, and data updated every Monday are available on: [COVID-19 Vaccine Breakthrough Weekly Update \(www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/stats/vbt.html\)](https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/stats/vbt.html)

# VBT Hospitalizations and Deaths

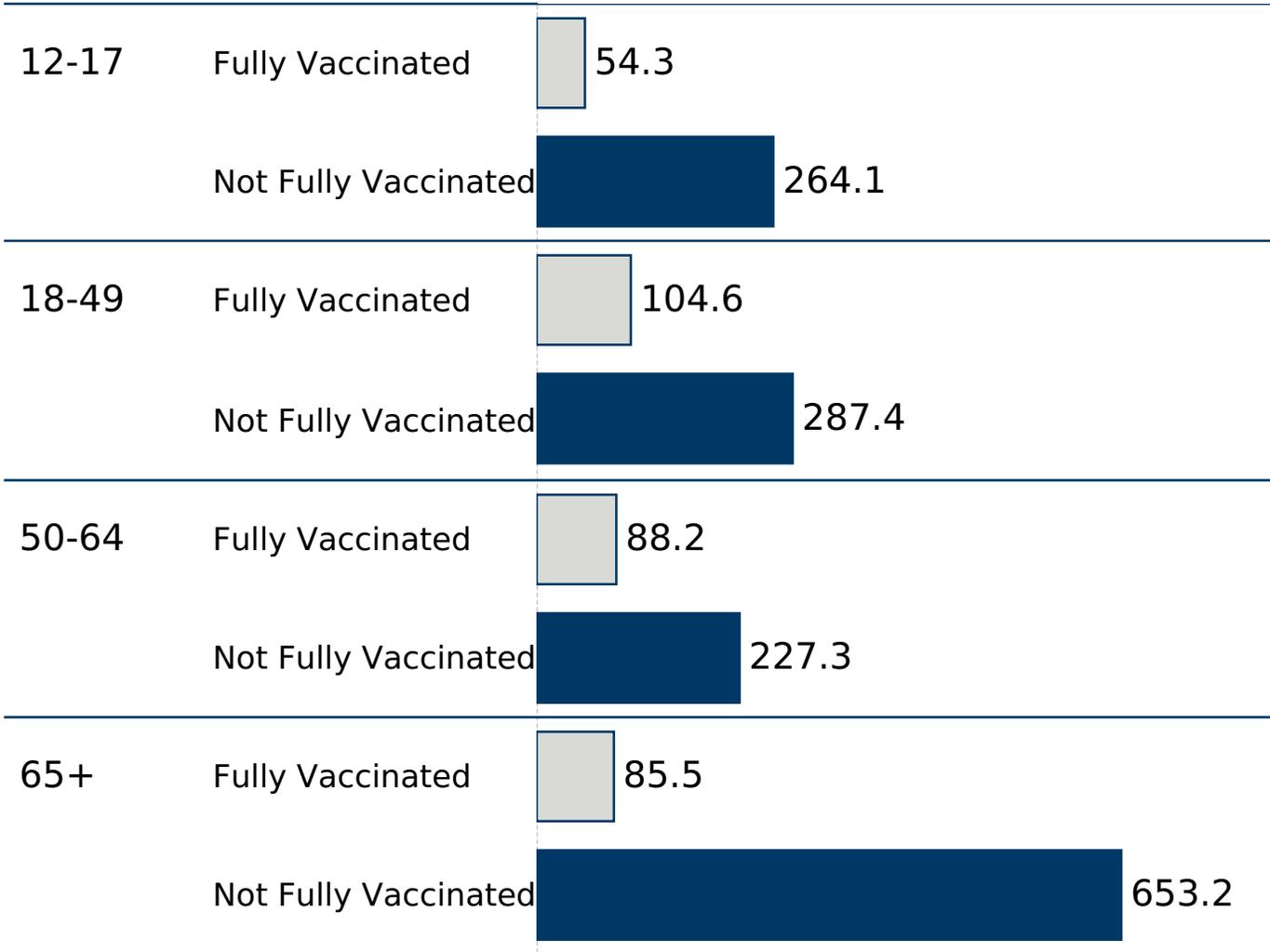
These graphs show the rate of hospitalization and death among vaccinated and unvaccinated COVID-19 cases since vaccine was widely available to the general adolescent and adult population in May 2021. Fully vaccinated is defined as 14 or more days after they have completed all recommended doses of a COVID-19 vaccine.



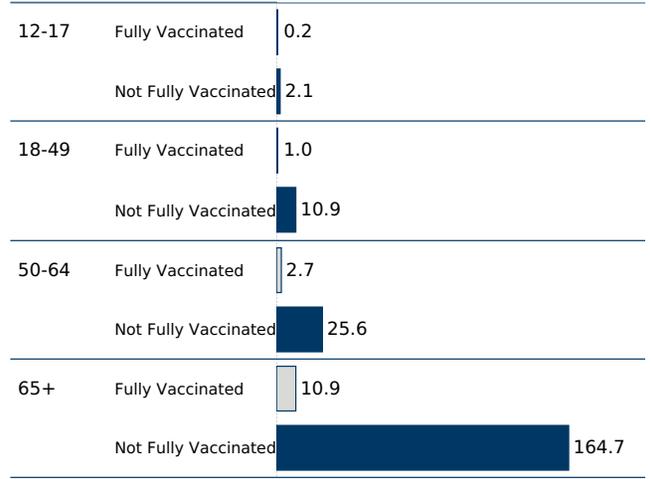
# VBT Cases, Hospitalizations, and Deaths by Age Group

These graphs show vaccine breakthrough cases stratified by age to better illustrate the impact of COVID-19 across different age groups. Fully vaccinated is defined as 14 or more days after they have completed all recommended doses of a COVID-19 vaccine.

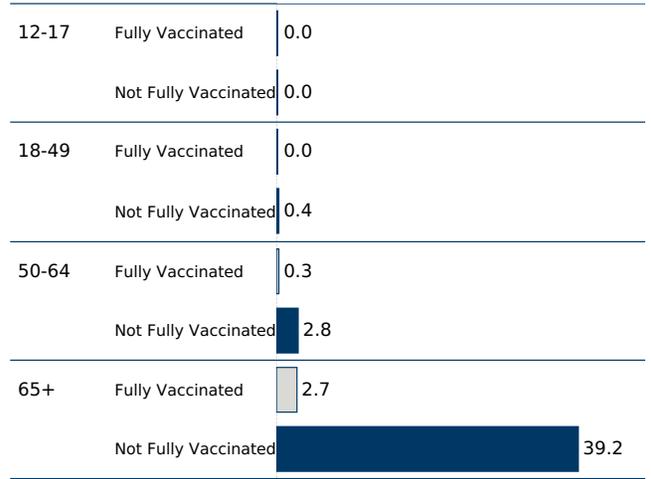
## Cases: Rate by age group per 100,000 Week starting: 5/2/2021 to 10/31/2021



## Hospitalizations: Rate by age group per 100,000 Week starting: 5/2/2021 to 10/31/2021



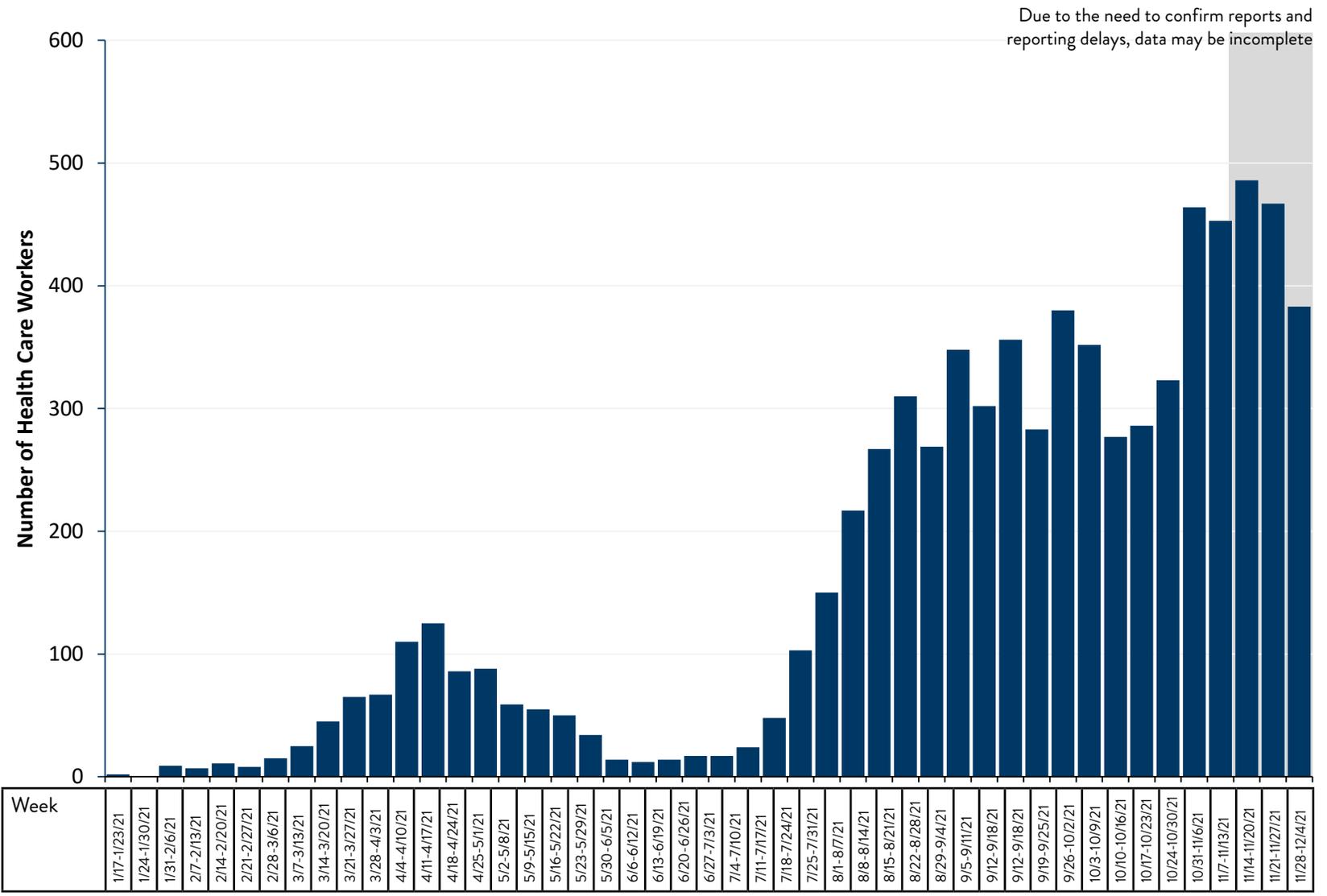
## Deaths: Rate by age group per 100,000 Week starting: 5/2/2021 to 10/31/2021



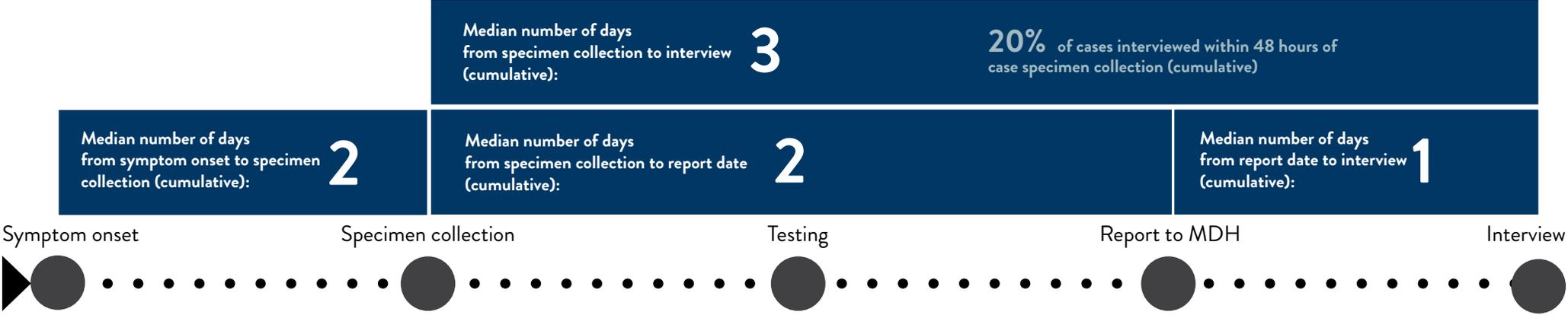
# VBT Cases among Health Care Workers

These data are for all vaccine breakthrough cases who reported their occupation as health care staff in acute care or congregate care facilities. Vaccine breakthrough cases are defined as Minnesota residents with a positive test result (both confirmed and probable) with onset date (or specimen collection date if asymptomatic) 14 or more days post full vaccine series and no positive COVID-19 result in the 90 days prior to their COVID infection.

**7,483**  
VBT Cases among Health Care Workers  
(cumulative)



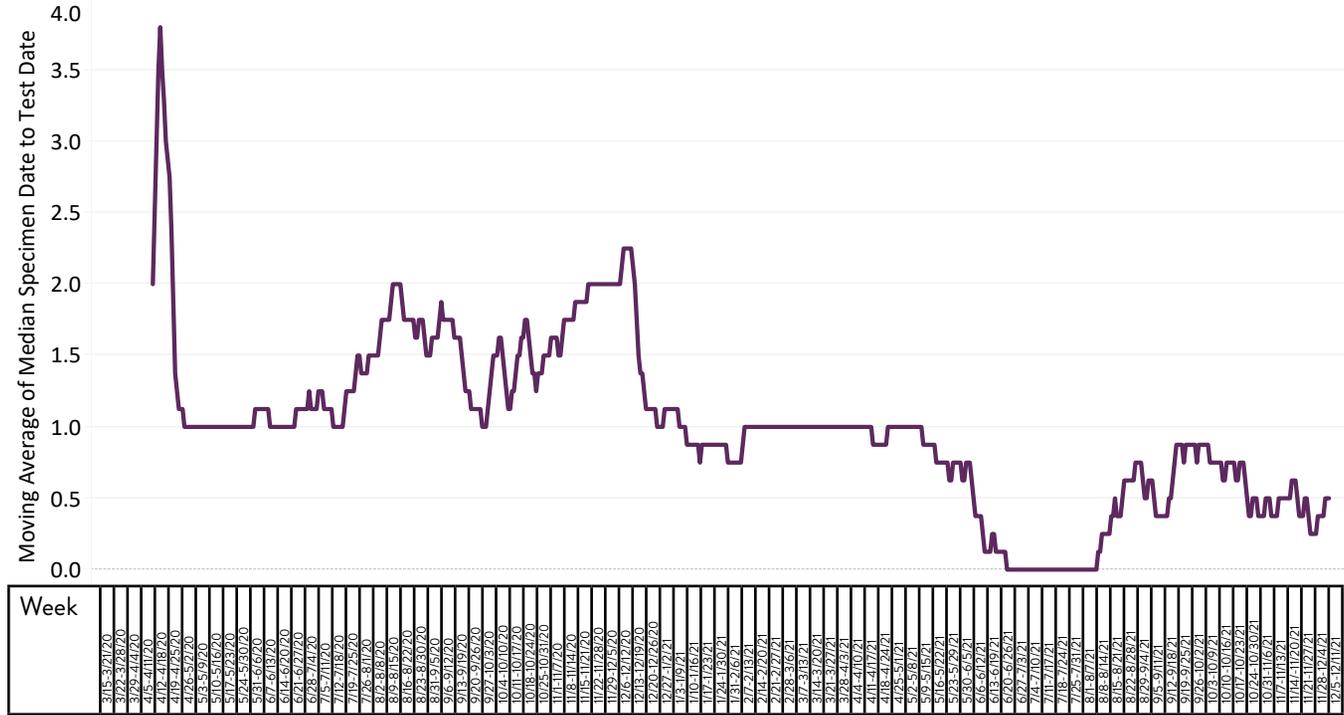
# Response Metrics: Testing and Interview Timing



Median number of days from specimen collection to testing (cumulative): **1**

As of 10/28/21 not all cases are interviewed. Cases prioritized for interview include people under 18 years old, hospitalizations, deaths, and people with vaccine breakthrough or variants.

## Seven day moving average of median days from specimen collection to testing



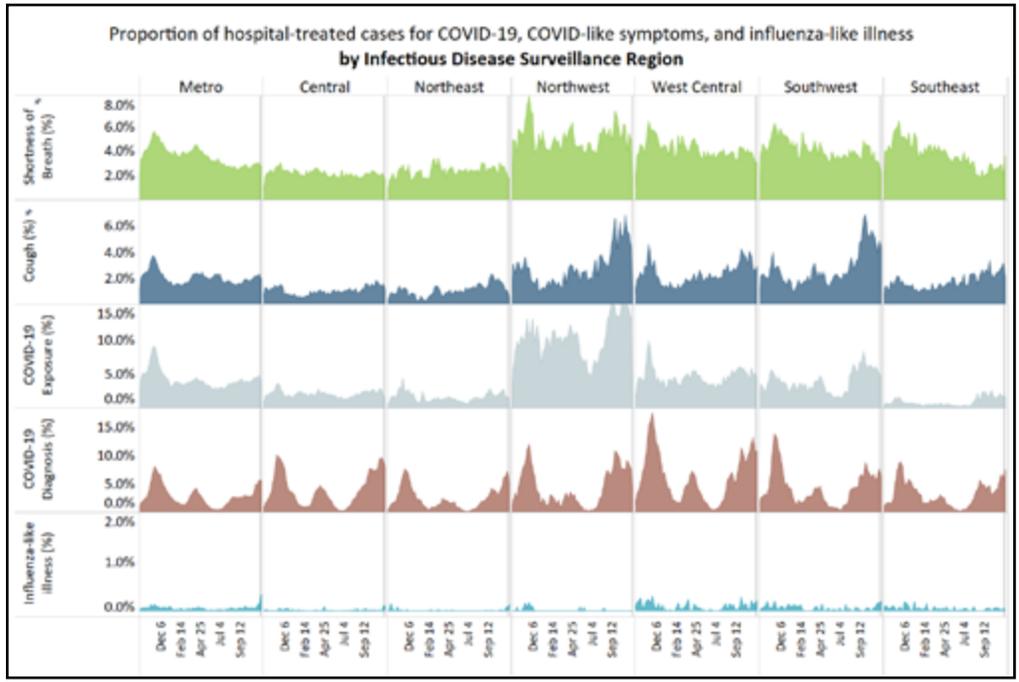
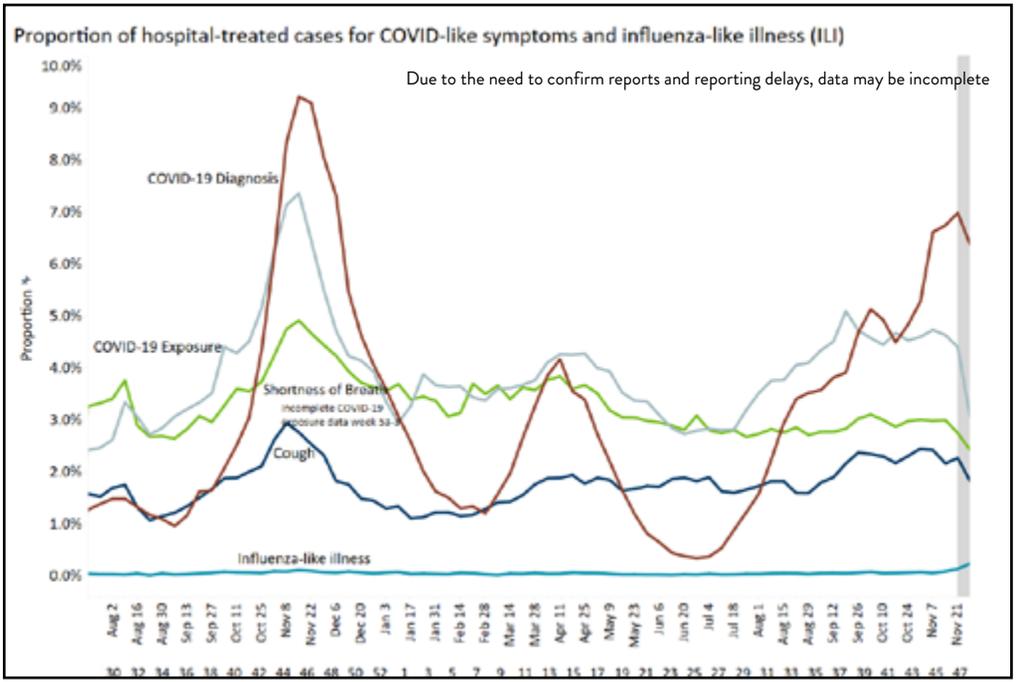
# Syndromic Surveillance

These syndromic surveillance data come from the Encounter Alert Service (EAS), which is utilizing an existing service to support and leverage the development of this activity. These data provide situational awareness to help inform public health decision making, resource allocation, and other actions.

Syndromic surveillance is a type of public health surveillance that uses near real-time data to help identify unusual activity that might need further investigation. These data help public health officials detect, monitor, and respond quickly to local public health threats and events of public health importance. The Minnesota Department of Health is currently using data on COVID-19-related symptoms and chief complaints reported during emergency department and inpatient hospital visits to identify trends. This data can provide an early signal that something is happening in a community with the outbreak even if case counts are not increasing at that time.

Data include emergency-department and inpatient hospital visits for COVID-like illness through December 4, 2021. Categories are based upon discharge diagnosis codes. Beginning with the November 27, 2020 Weekly COVID-19 report, conditions are reported from week 30 (July 20, 2020) forward due to a transition in data sources. The gray bar indicates a one week lag period in the data.

Through December 4, 2021, these data represent all patients from about 130 hospitals in Minnesota, covering approximately 88% of the hospital beds statewide. Efforts are underway to expand hospitals to more fully represent the state.

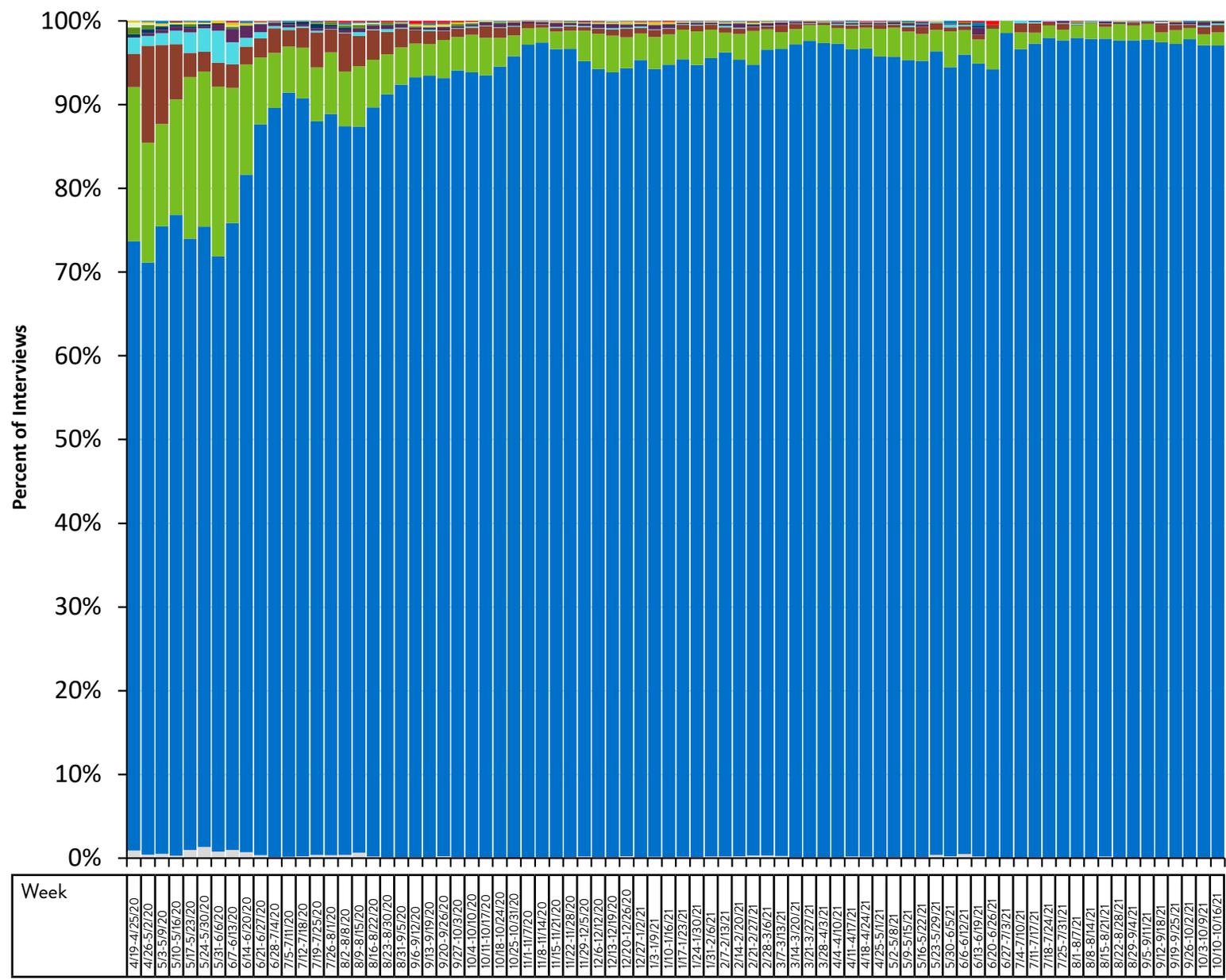


Map of Counties and Infectious Disease Surveillance Regions can be found on: [Field Services Epidemiologists \(https://www.health.state.mn.us/about/org/idepc/epis.html\)](https://www.health.state.mn.us/about/org/idepc/epis.html)

# Demographics: Interview Language (Archived)

Language needs for cases interviewed by specimen collection date week. It is assumed that any interview recorded as not needing an interpreter was conducted in English.

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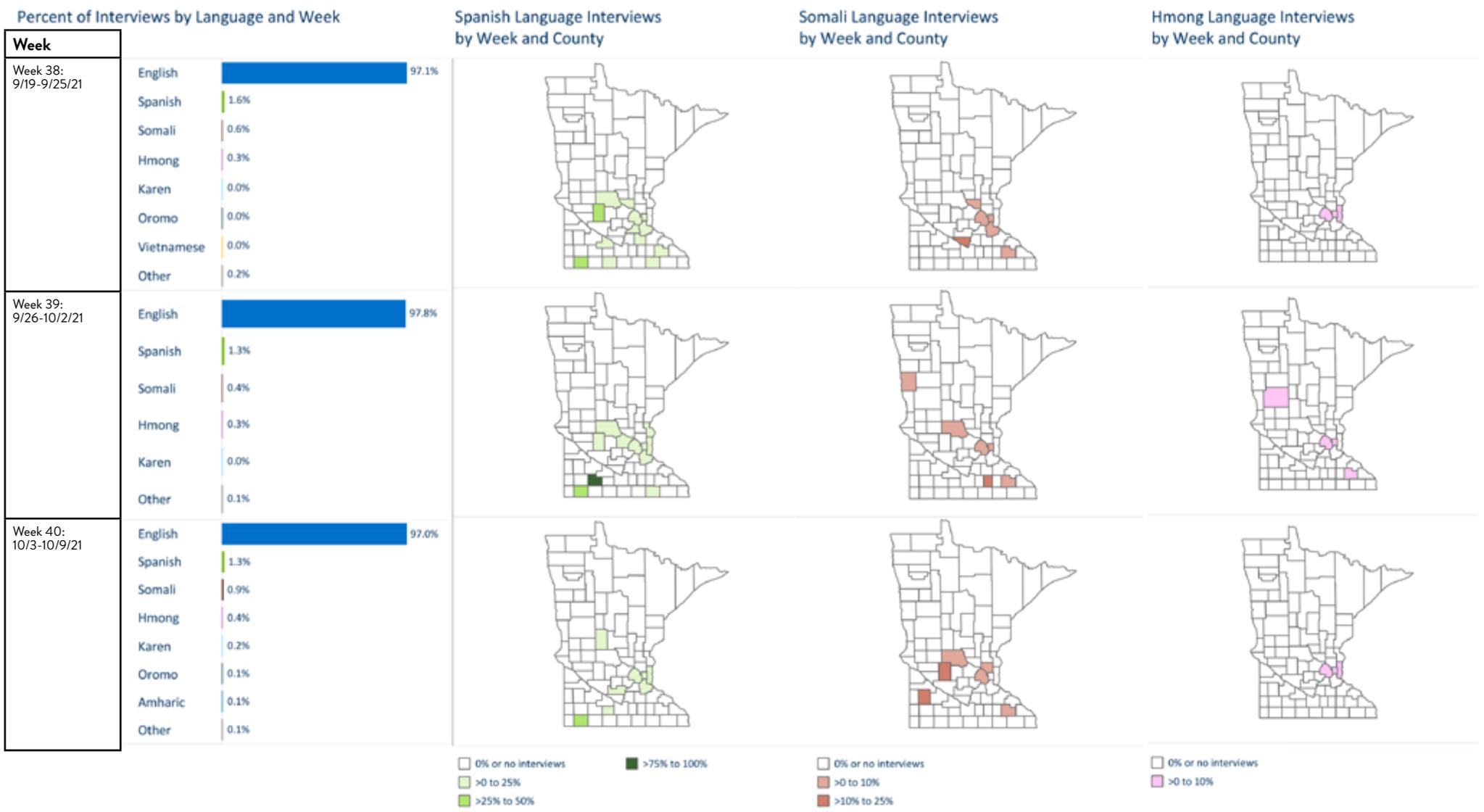


Language	Total % of Interviews
Mandarin	<1%
Cantonese	<1%
Russian	<1%
Arabic	<1%
Vietnamese	<1%
Laotian	<1%
Amharic	<1%
Oromo	<1%
Hmong	<1%
Karen	<1%
Somali	1%
Spanish	4%
English	94%
Other	<1%

# Interview Language by County of Residence (Archived)

Percent of interviews by language and week of specimen collection by county of residence.

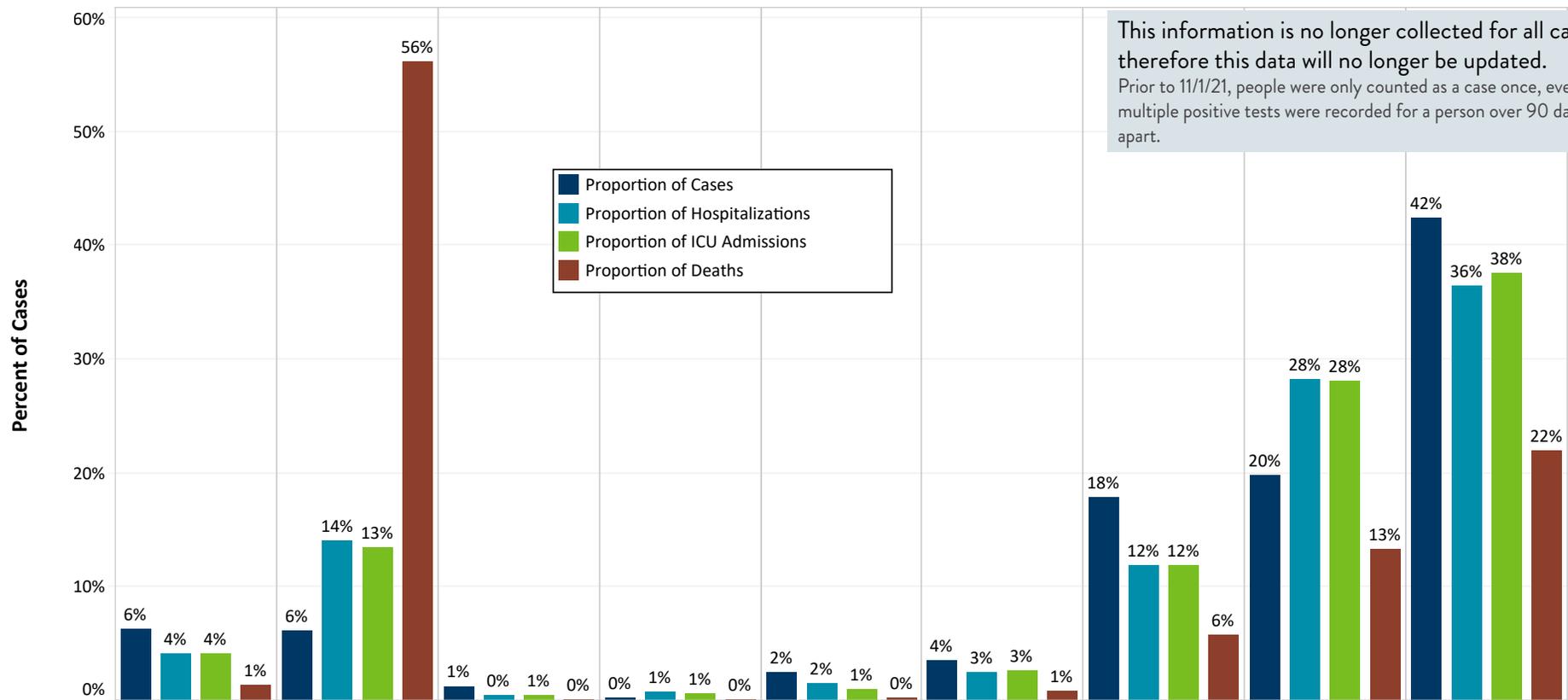
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# Likely Exposure (Archived)

Likely exposure for confirmed and probable cases. Exposure data is collected at case interview. Cases are categorized according to a hierarchy following the order of exposure type: outbreak, travel, LTC staff and residents, corrections, homeless shelter, acute health care, community-exposure with known contact, community-no known exposure.

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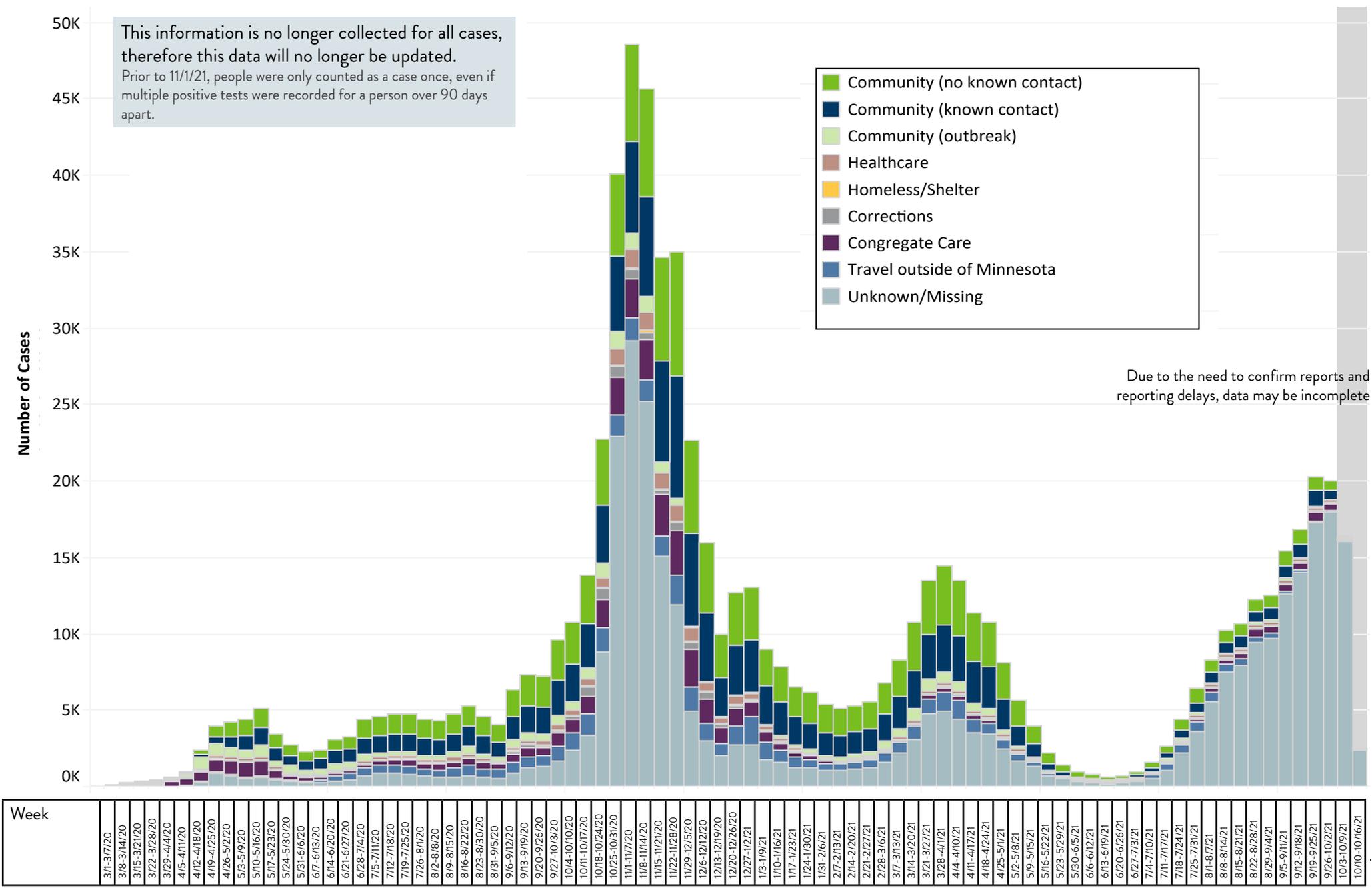


Likely Exposure	Travel (outside MN)	Congregate Care	Corrections	Homeless/Shelter	Health Care	Community (outbreak)	Community (known contact)	Community (no known contact)	Unk./missing	Total
All Cases	48,385	47,534	9,494	1,633	18,857	26,998	137,408	152,229	325,574	768,112
Hospitalizations	1,685	5,664	196	318	620	1,021	4,791	11,383	14,684	40,362
ICU Hospitalizations	342	1,098	45	51	82	217	973	2,308	3,071	8,187
Deaths	117	4,901	14	15	25	69	467	1,095	1,812	8,515

- Community (outbreak): Case was exposed to a known outbreak setting in Minnesota that is not also a congregate living setting (e.g., long-term care, corrections, shelter) or health care setting. This includes restaurant/bars, sports, worksites that are not living settings, etc.
- Travel: Case traveled outside of Minnesota in the 2 weeks before illness.
- Congregate Care Setting: Residents, and staff who are not part of a non-congregate care setting outbreak and did not have an exposure to a positive household member. Congregate care settings include long-term care facilities (LTCF), assisted living facilities, group homes, or residential behavioral health (RBH) facilities.
- Corrections: Inmates who were exposed while incarcerated, and staff of a jail/prison setting who are not part of a non-corrections outbreak and did not have an exposure to a positive household member.
- Homeless/Shelter: Residents/guests, and staff who are not part of a non-shelter outbreak and did not have an exposure to a positive household member.
- Health Care: Patients who were part of nosocomial outbreaks, and staff who are not part of a non-acute health care setting outbreak and did not have an exposure to a positive household member.
- Community (known contact with confirmed case): Case has a known exposure to a positive case and does not fit into any of the previous categories.
- Community (unknown contact with confirmed case): Case has no known exposure to a positive case and does not fit into any of the previous categories.

# Cases by Likely Exposure and Specimen Collection Date (Archived)

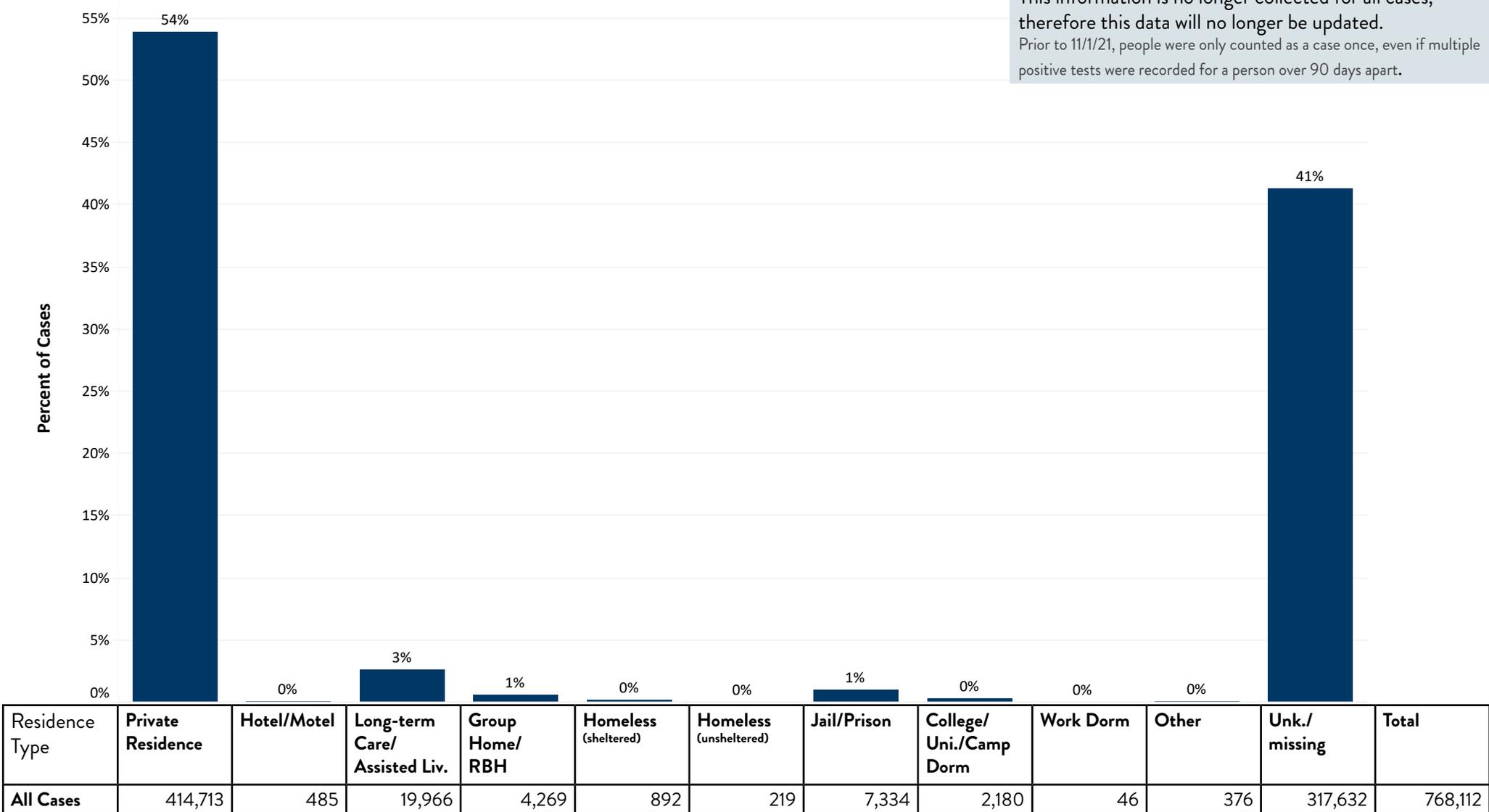
Cases by likely exposure by specimen collection date. This chart shows how exposure to COVID-19 has changed over time during the pandemic in Minnesota. Numbers include confirmed and probable cases.



# Residence Type (Archived)

Cases by residence type. Residence type is collected during case interview and is self-reported. Numbers include confirmed and probable cases.

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Residence Type	Private Residence	Hotel/Motel	Long-term Care/ Assisted Liv.	Group Home/ RBH	Homeless (sheltered)	Homeless (unsheltered)	Jail/Prison	College/ Uni./Camp Dorm	Work Dorm	Other	Unk./missing	Total
All Cases	414,713	485	19,966	4,269	892	219	7,334	2,180	46	376	317,632	768,112

# Cases among Health Care Workers (Archived)

This data is for all cases who reported their occupation as health care staff in acute care or congregate care facilities. Not all cases who are health care workers were exposed at work. Numbers include confirmed and probable cases.

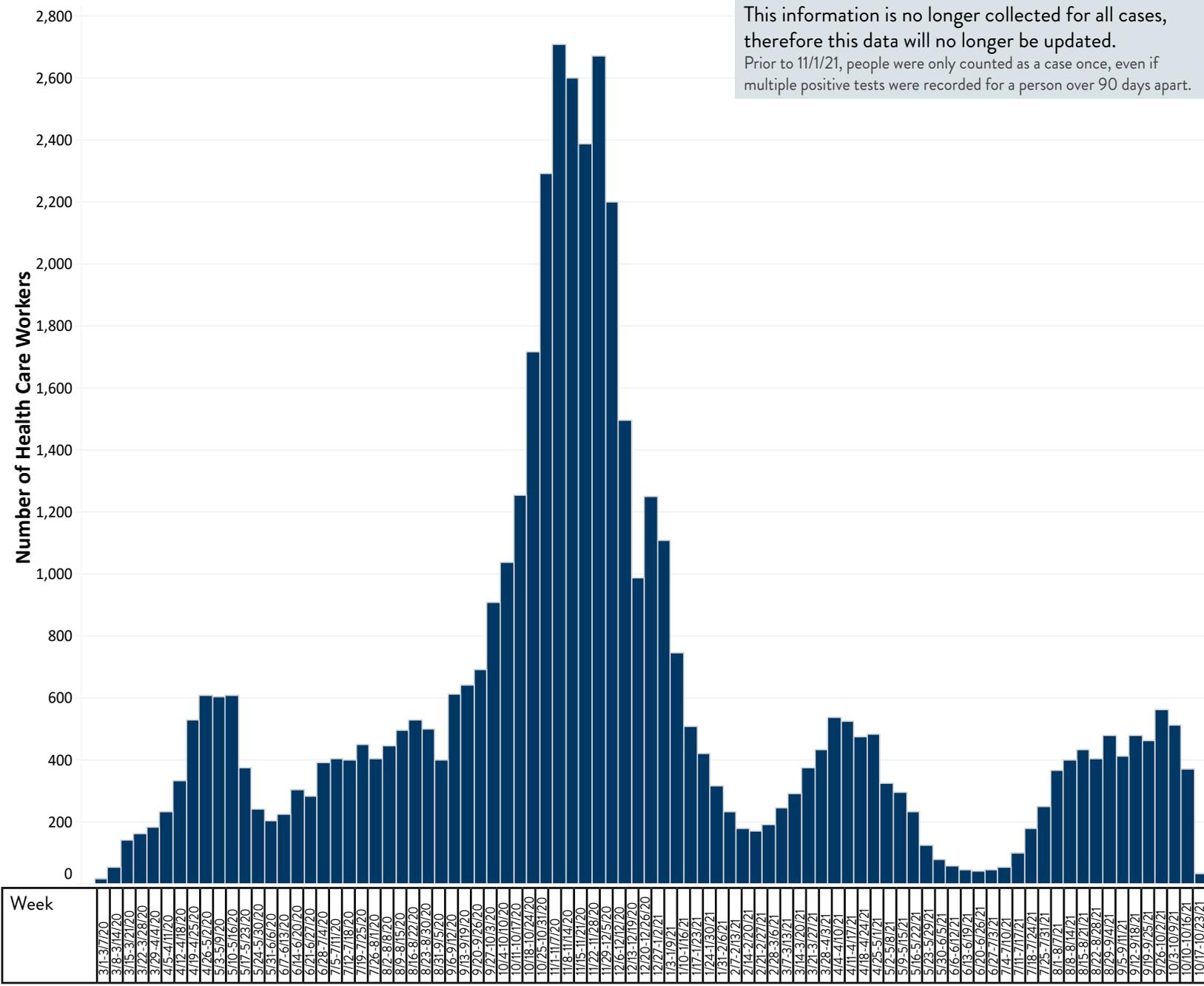
**48,946**  
Total Health Care Workers  
(cumulative)

**1,247**  
Total Health Care Staff Hospitalized  
(cumulative)

**207**  
Total Health Care Staff Hospitalized in ICU  
(cumulative)

**47**  
Total Health Care Staff Deaths  
(cumulative)

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# High Risk Exposures in Health Care Workers (Archived)

MDH works with health care facilities to monitor health care workers who have had high-risk exposures with known positive patients/residents, co-workers, or social contacts. This data shows high-risk exposures experienced by health care workers in Minnesota who have been in contact with individuals with confirmed COVID-19 and the percent of exposures that lead to a positive test within 14 days of high-risk exposure (coworker, household/social, patient or resident). This data does not capture the exposures of all health care workers who become COVID-19 cases.

**16,816**  
Total High Risk Health Care Worker Exposures (cumulative)

The data shown here summarizes high-risk exposures that occurred from March 6, 2020 –October 20, 2021.

Health care workers had 16,816 documented high-risk exposures

52% exposures happened at home or in the community

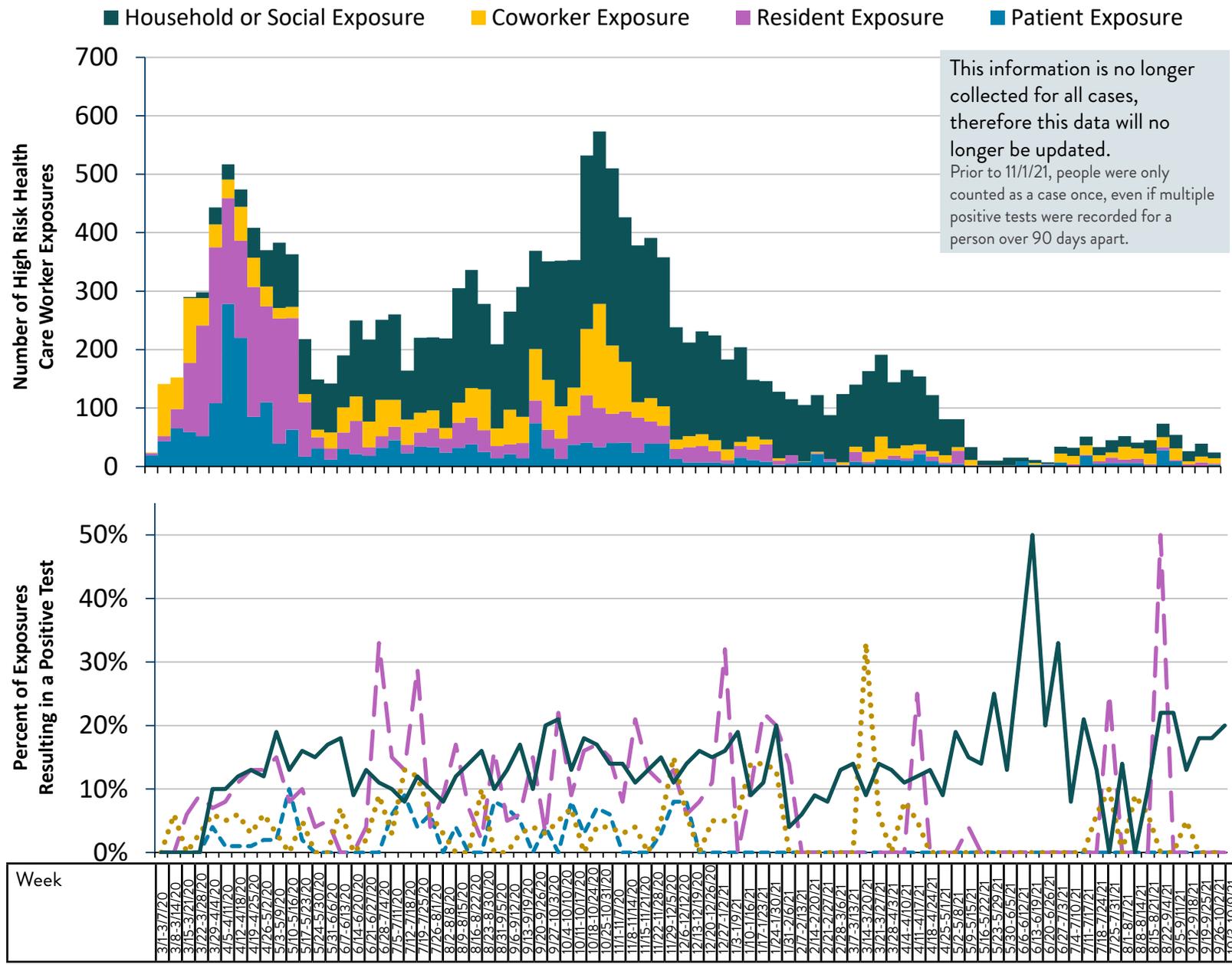
48% of exposures occurred at work

**1,667**  
Total High Risk Health Care Worker Exposures Resulting in a Positive Test (cumulative)

Risk of infection was highest after exposure at home or in the community

13% HCW tested positive after exposure to a positive household member or social contact

6% HCW tested positive after an exposure at work



# Staff with Potential Exposure in Child Care Settings (Archived)

Cases of COVID-19 with potential exposure in child care settings by specimen collection date. Cases included staff that attended a child care program while infectious, or who test positive and attended a child care program that reported a confirmed case in the past 28 days. Child care programs included: licensed child care centers, certified centers, summer day camps, and school-age care during peacetime emergency. Does not include in-home child cares. Cases by week are by specimen collection date. Numbers include confirmed and probable cases.

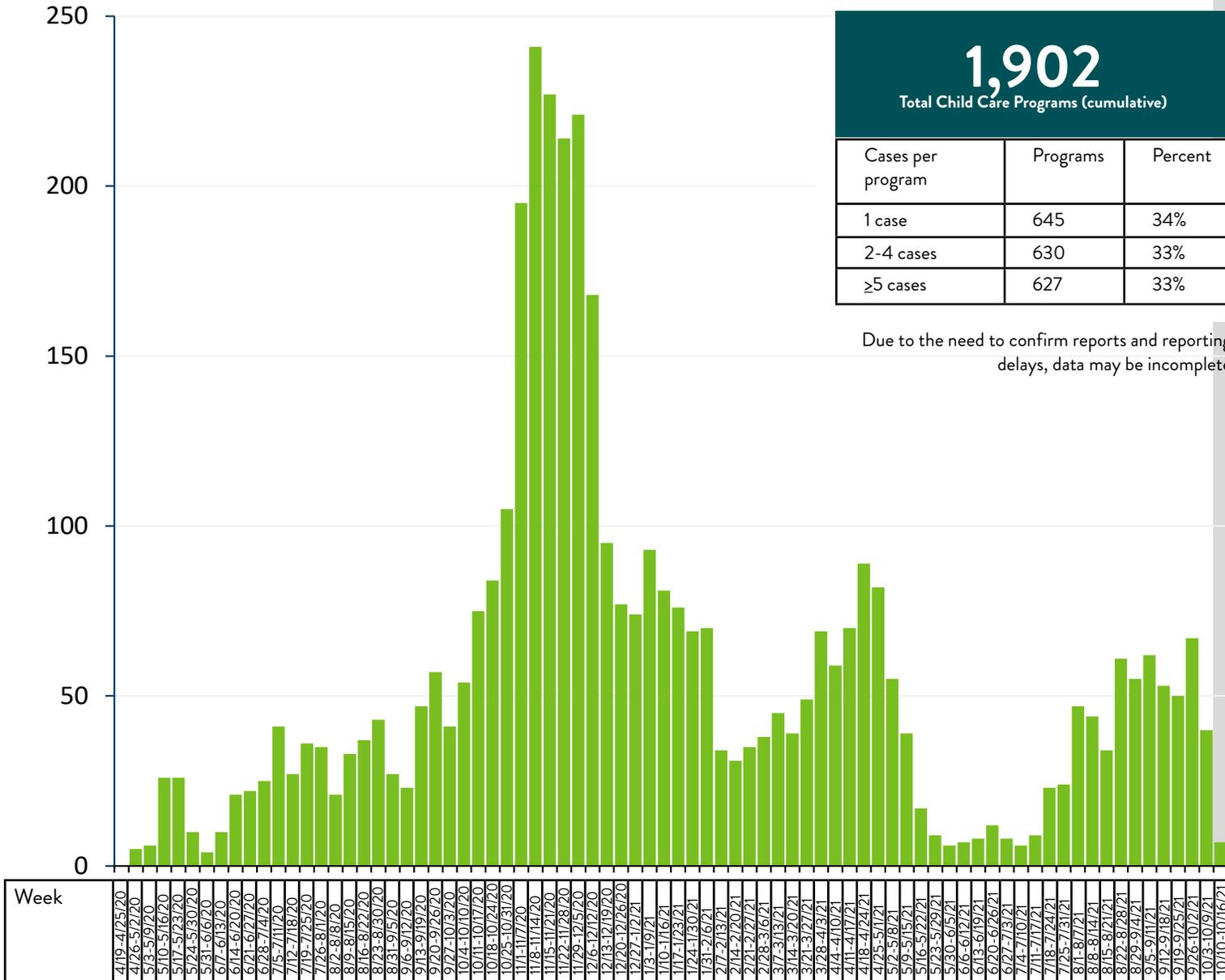
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**4,083**  
Total Child Care Staff (cumulative)

**90**  
Total Hospitalized Child Care-affiliated Staff Cases (cumulative)

**7**  
Total ICU Hospitalized Child Care-affiliated Staff Cases (cumulative)

**0**  
Total Child Care-affiliated Staff Deaths (cumulative)



**1,902**  
Total Child Care Programs (cumulative)

Cases per program	Programs	Percent
1 case	645	34%
2-4 cases	630	33%
≥5 cases	627	33%

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# Staff Cases Associated with Pre-K through Grade 12 School Buildings (Archived)

Cases of COVID-19 associated with school staff working in school at a prekindergarten through grade 12 building while they were able to spread COVID-19. These numbers include cases exposed in a school setting, cases exposed in other settings, and cases where the exposure setting was not confirmed. All Minnesota schools are represented including public, nonpublic, and tribal schools. Numbers include confirmed and probable cases.

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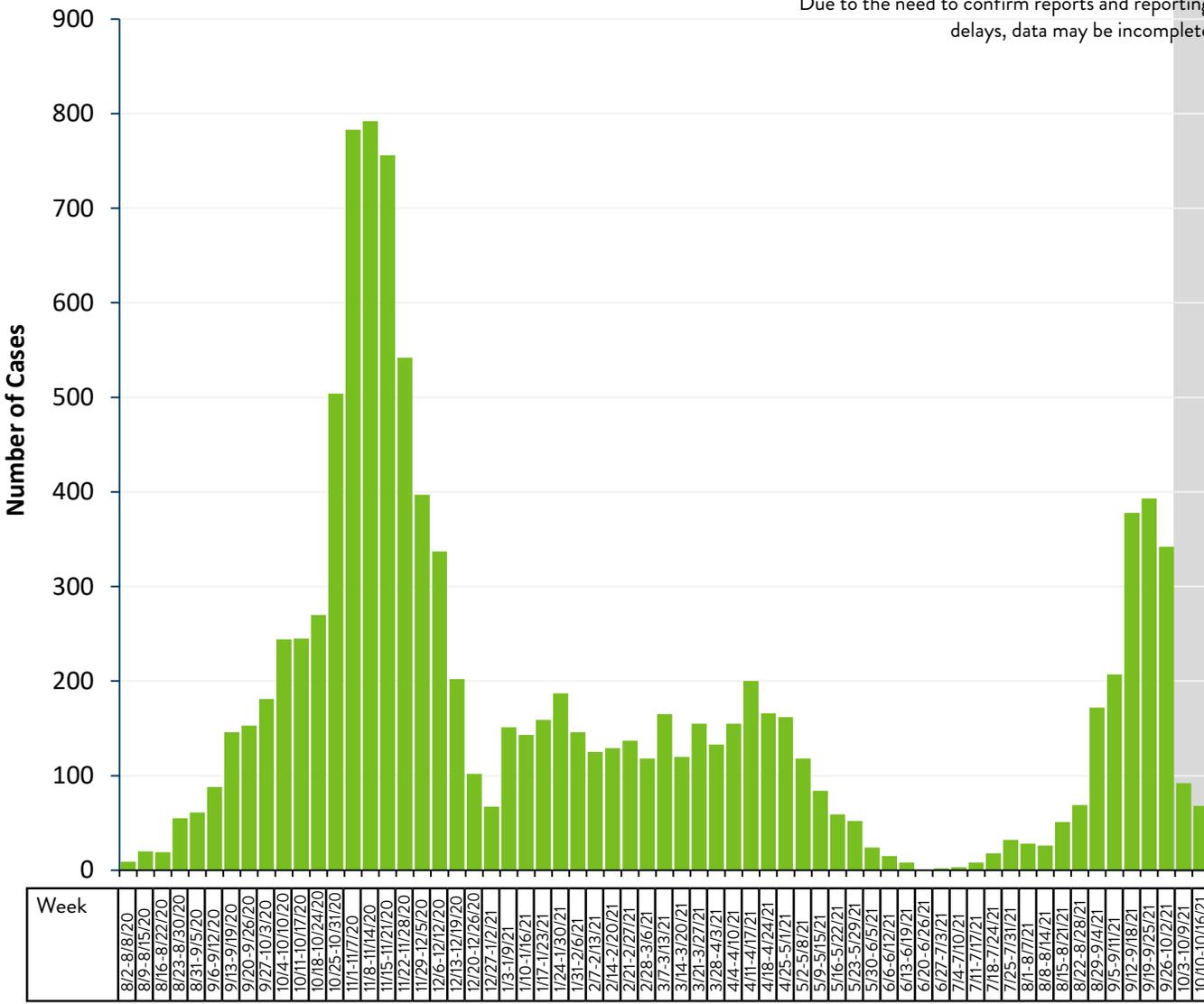
Cases by week are by specimen collection date. Numbers listed as cumulative total are cumulative since Aug. 1, 2020.

**10,773**  
Total PreK-12 School Staff Cases (cumulative)

**235**  
Total Hospitalized PreK-12-affiliated Staff Cases (cumulative)

**47**  
Total ICU Hospitalized PreK-12-affiliated Staff Cases (cumulative)

**13**  
Total PreK-12-affiliated Staff Deaths (cumulative)



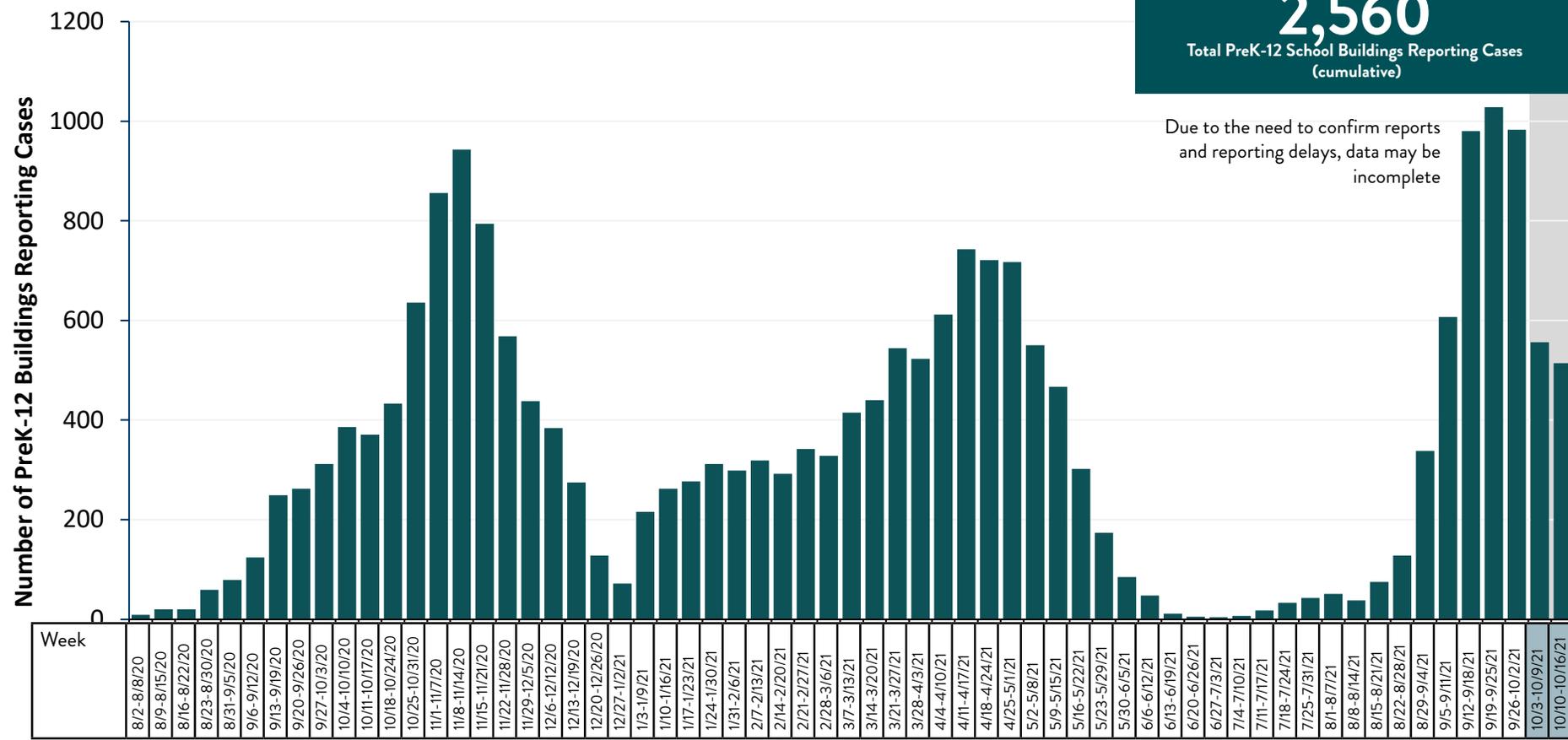
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# PreK-12 School Buildings Reporting Cases (Archived)

Schools included are public, non-public, and tribal schools. Number of school buildings reporting cases by week are by specimen collection date. Numbers listed as cumulative total are cumulative since Aug. 1, 2020. Numbers include confirmed and probable cases.

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**2,560**  
Total PreK-12 School Buildings Reporting Cases (cumulative)



Cases per building	Number of buildings reporting cases 10/3-10/16/21
1 case	405
2-4 cases	324
≥5 cases	99
<b>Total</b>	<b>828</b>

A list of School buildings reporting 5 or more cases of COVID-19 in students who were in the building while infectious during a two-week reporting period by county is available in the [Minnesota Situation Update for Coronavirus Disease 2019 \(https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/situation.html\)](https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/situation.html)

# Cases that have an Affiliation with Institutes of Higher Education (IHE) (Archived)

Cases of COVID-19 affiliated with faculty, staff, and students working or enrolled at a Minnesota Institute of Higher Education (IHE) while they were potentially exposed to or able to spread COVID-19. IHE include colleges, universities, and private career schools. Numbers include confirmed and probable cases.

Cases by week are by specimen collection date. Numbers listed as cumulative total are cumulative since Aug. 1, 2020.

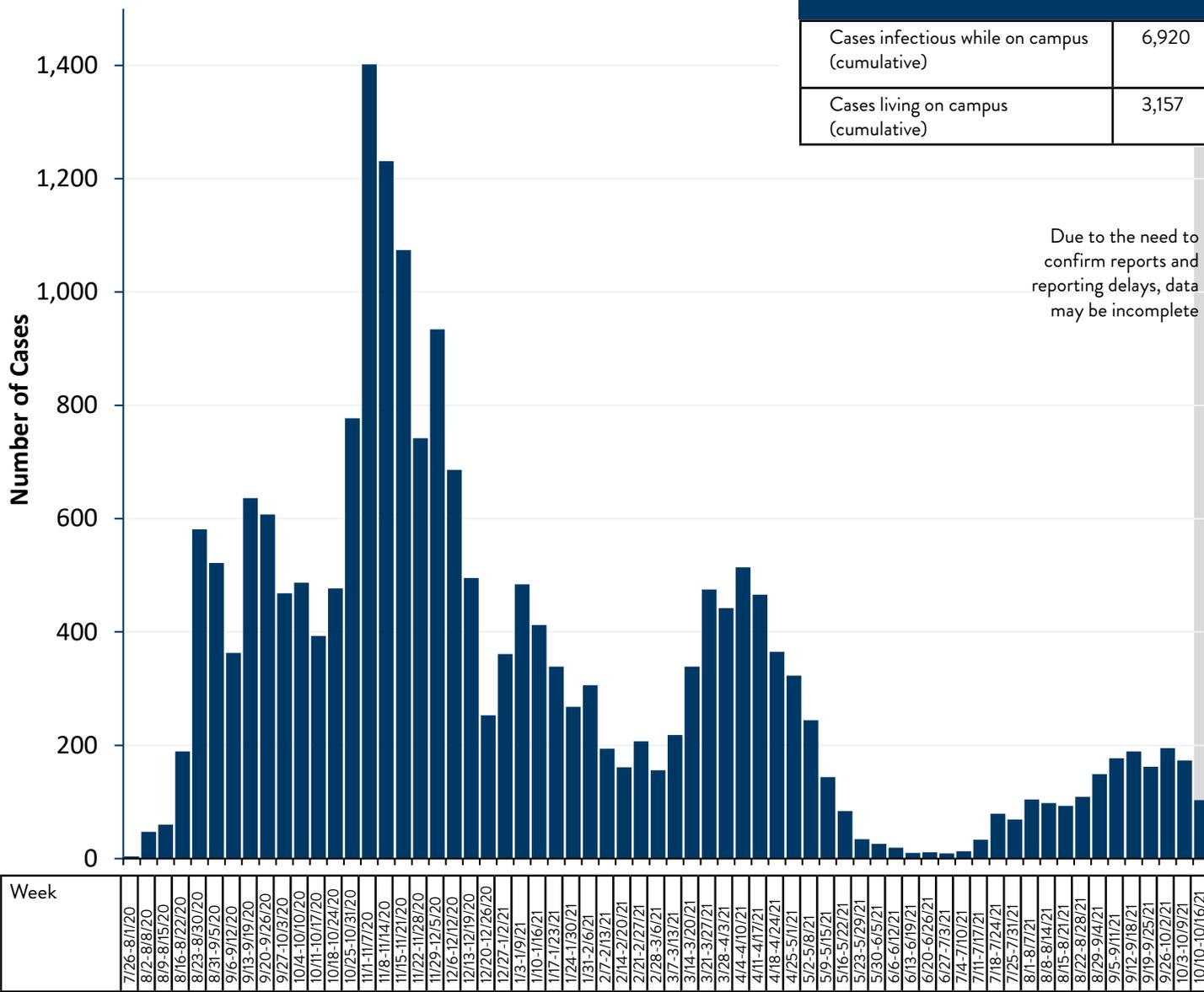
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<b>20,785</b> Total IHE-affiliated Cases (cumulative)	
Cases infectious while on campus (cumulative)	6,920
Cases living on campus (cumulative)	3,157

**183**  
Total Hospitalized IHE-affiliated Cases  
(cumulative)

**22**  
Total ICU Hospitalized IHE-affiliated Case  
(cumulative)

**7**  
Total IHE-affiliated Deaths  
(cumulative)



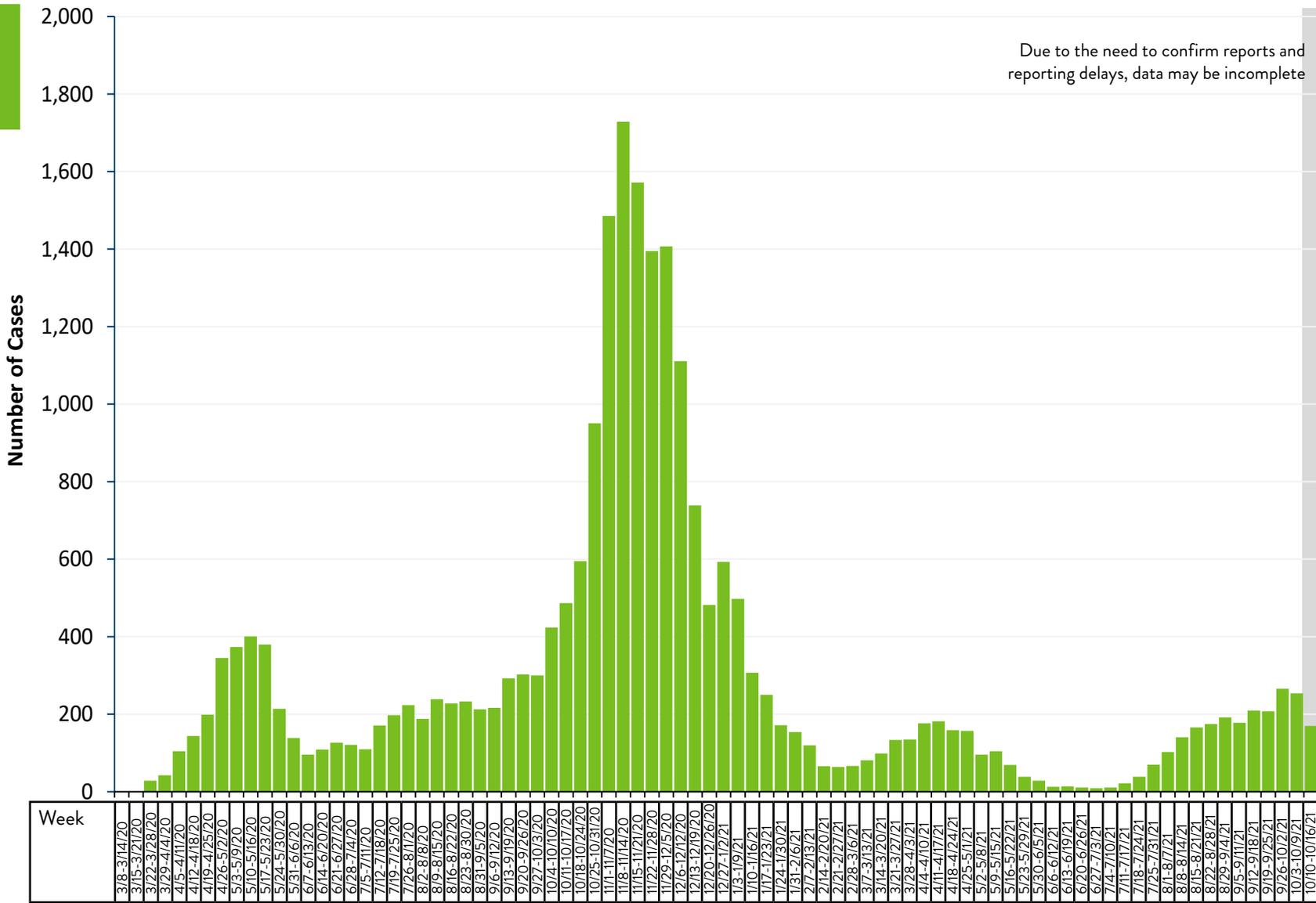
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# Staff Cases Associated with Congregate Care Settings (Archived)

Cases of COVID-19 associated with staff living in congregate settings by specimen collection date. Congregate care settings include nursing homes, assisted living-type facilities, group homes, and other communal-living settings with a healthcare component. Numbers include confirmed and probable cases.

This information is no longer collected for staff in Congregate Care Settings. Prior to 11/1/21, people were only counted as a case once, even if multiple positive tests were recorded for a person over 90 days apart.

**24,127**  
Total Congregate Care Staff  
(cumulative)



# Congregate Care Facility Outbreaks (Archived)

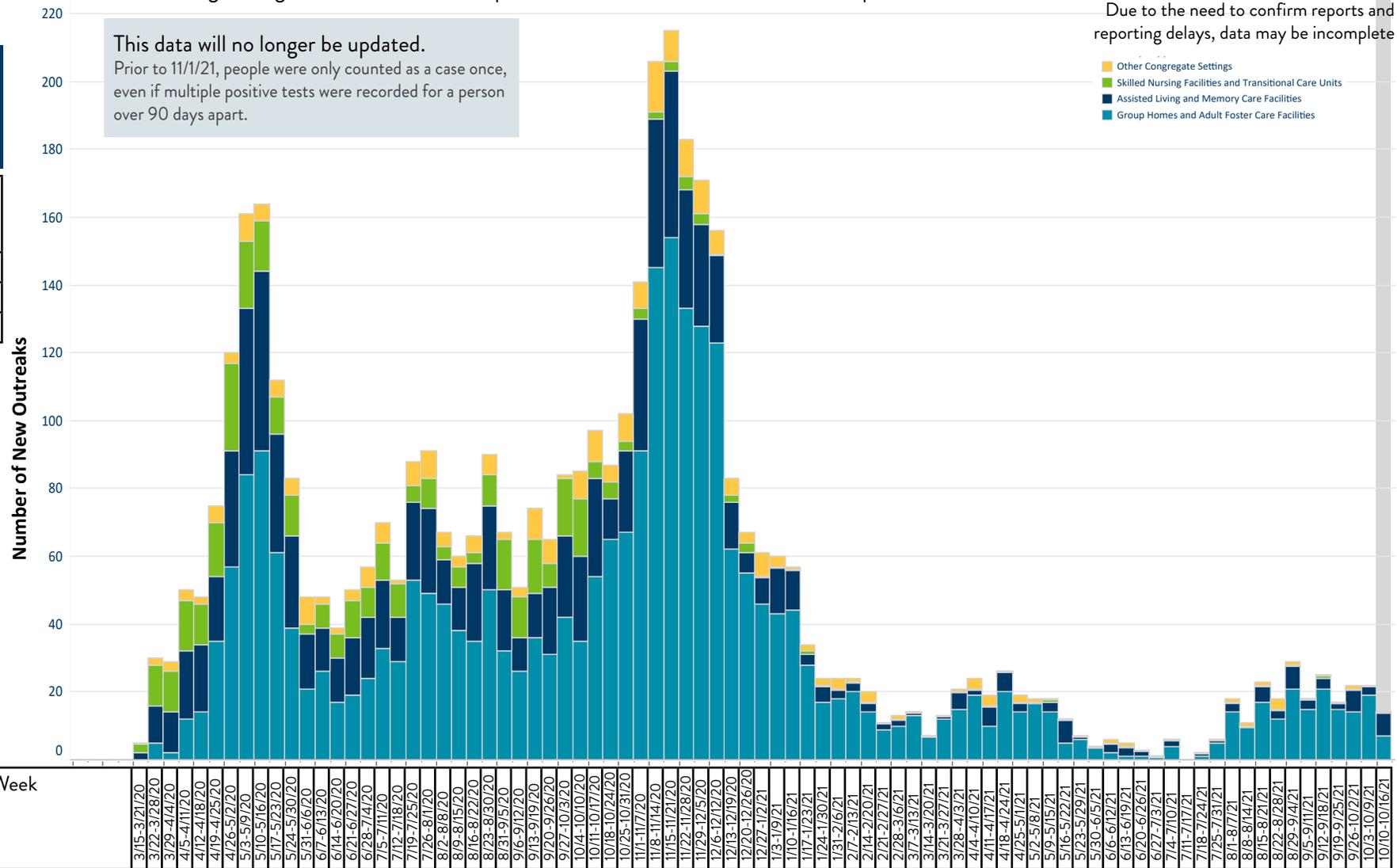
Congregate care facilities with confirmed cases in residents, staff, and visiting providers by specimen date. Congregate care settings include nursing homes, assisted living-type facilities, group homes, and other communal-living settings with a healthcare component. Numbers include confirmed and probable cases.

**4,411**  
Total Congregate Care Facilities  
(cumulative)

Confirmed cases per facility	Number of facilities
1-2 case	1,961
3-20 cases	1,854
≥21 cases	596

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Type of facility	Number of outbreak facilities	Number of resident cases	Number of staff cases	Number of deaths in resident cases	Number of facilities with active outbreaks	Percent of outbreak facilities still experiencing an active outbreak
Skilled Nursing Facilities and Transitional Care Units	368	12,715	12,395	3,110	210	57%
Assisted Living and Memory Care Facilities	1,081	8,758	7,185	1,584	209	19%
Group Homes and Adult Foster Care Facilities	2,738	2,863	4,862	116	136	5%
Other Congregate Care Settings	265	1,648	1,527	24	41	15%

A list of congregated care facilities reporting an exposure in the last 28 days from a case in a resident, staff person, or visiting provider and a cumulative list of long-term care facilities reporting a case in a resident, staff person, or visiting service provider are available on: [COVID-19 Weekly Report \(https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/stats/index.html\)](https://www.health.state.mn.us/diseases/coronavirus/stats/index.html)