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

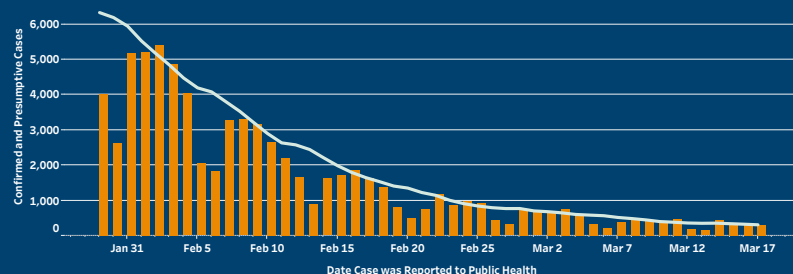| Daily Data Update	Case and Testing	Hospital Capacity	Emergency Department

Data Current as of 12:01am 03/18/2022

Statewide Numbers from 3/17/2022

New Cases	7 Day Daily Average of Cases	Cases Per 100k in Previous 7 Days	COVID-19 Patients Hospitalized†	Tests Reported	Test Positivity	New Deaths
289 ▼	310.4	50.91	213 ▼	17,676	1.9%	11

Arrows indicate an increase or decrease from the previous day. †Hospitalization data from Oregon's Hospital Capacity Web System (HOSCAP).
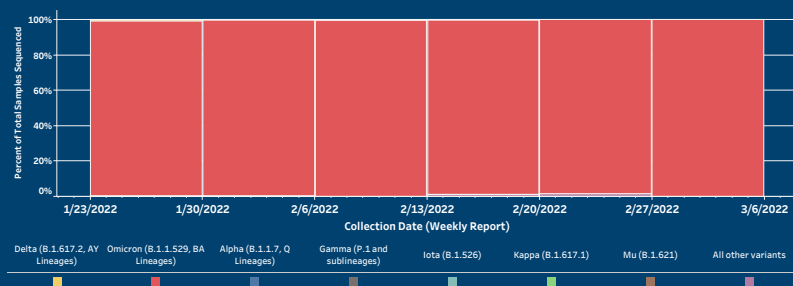
Daily Cases and 7 Day Moving Average over the Previous Six Weeks

March 12, 2022 COVID-19 Variant Cumulative Case Counts**

Variants of Concern

Delta (B.1.617.2, AY Lineages)	19,707
Omicron (B.1.1.529, BA Lineages)	8,922

Variants of Interest

There are no Variants of Interest at this time.

Variants Being Monitored

Alpha (B.1.1.7, Q Lineages)	3,115	Iota (B.1.526)	427
Beta (B.1.351 and sublineages)	233	Kappa (B.1.617.1)	1
Gamma (P.1 and sublineages)	1,173	B.1.617.3	0
Epsilon (B.1.427/B.1.429)	1,294	Mu (B.1.621)	56
Eta (B.1.525)	9	Zeta (P.2)	7

Variant Prevalence Past Six Weeks⬥

Delta (B.1.617.2, AY Lineages) ■   Omicron (B.1.1.529, BA Lineages) ■   Alpha (B.1.1.7, Q Lineages) ■   Gamma (P.1 and sublineages) ■   Iota (B.1.526) ■   Kappa (B.1.617.1) ■   Mu (B.1.621) ■   All other variants ■

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 3/17/2022

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	1	1	23.7	0.0%	0	3,204	46
Benton	1	5	33.8	0.4%	0	14,976	65
Clackamas	22	27	44.8	2.5%	3	59,674	565
Clatsop		3	50.7	2.2%	0	4,564	41
Columbia	5	4	50.7	6.3%	0	7,526	78
Coos	3	6	61.6	3.1%	0	10,596	146
Crook	2	2	46.9	1.9%	0	6,029	77
Curry	1	1	43.5	0.5%	1	3,320	46
Deschutes	29	22	77.7	5.2%	0	45,682	260
Douglas	7	9	54.2	4.1%	0	19,656	378
Gilliam			0.0	0.0%	0	283	5
Grant	3	5	519.5	0.0%	0	1,647	18
Harney	3	1	68.7	16.7%	0	1,599	37
Hood River	3	2	58.5	0.0%	0	3,521	42
Jackson	17	16	51.5	1.9%	1	42,462	503
Jefferson	3	2	49.8	10.2%	0	7,189	86
Josephine	8	10	84.3	5.8%	1	16,250	318
Klamath	6	6	64.6	1.8%	2	14,054	206
Lake	2	1	99.1	9.4%	0	1,396	25
Lane	25	30	55.3	1.3%	1	56,882	490
Lincoln	2	2	31.1	1.3%	0	6,984	79
Linn	5	9	50.3	1.9%	0	26,314	243
Malheur	1	1	15.6	2.8%	0	8,194	105
Marion	15	23	46.7	1.5%	1	68,572	685
Morrow	3	1	31.2	5.7%	0	2,950	32
Multnomah	76	66	55.7	1.6%	0	112,182	1,108
Polk	4	5	40.6	1.5%	0	15,198	127
Sherman	1	0	55.7	0.0%	0	317	4
Tillamook	3	1	37.7	7.4%	0	3,622	59
Umatilla		3	23.3	1.2%	0	22,289	206
Union		0	7.5	2.6%	0	5,009	74
Wallowa	2	1	111.7	0.0%	0	1,249	15
Wasco	3	2	62.3	1.5%	0	5,102	58
Washington	27	38	42.4	1.3%	0	84,800	538
Wheeler			0.0	0.0%	0	243	3
Yamhill	6	5	34.1	2.7%	1	17,663	203

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.
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.

†The cumulative cases by county list does not include cases whose county of residence is unknown.

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| Daily Data Update | Case and Testing | Hospital Capacity | Emergency Department |

Data Current as of 12:01am 03/18/2022

Oregon COVID-19 Testing Results as Reported to OPERA†

| Total Cases | 701,198 | Total Deaths | 6,971 |

Cumulative COVID-19 Electronic Lab Reports (ELR) Testing in Oregon

Positive	924,739
Negative	9,798,276
Total Tests	10,723,015

Testing at Oregon State Public Health Lab (OSPHL)

Specimens received	259
Test results released	561
Specimens pending as of 8:00 PM Jan. 30	284
Grand Total Results Released	115,898

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

Cases by Age Group

9 and younger	56,016 (8.0%)
10 to 19	92,130 (13.1%)
20 to 29	133,437 (19.0%)
30 to 39	122,950 (17.5%)
40 to 49	101,804 (14.5%)
50 to 59	81,849 (11.7%)
60 to 69	58,181 (8.3%)
70 to 79	33,389 (4.8%)
80+	19,895 (2.8%)
Not Available	1,547 (0.2%)
Grand Total	701,198 (100.0%)

Cases by Sex (as reported to OHA)

Female	357,536 (51.0%)
Male	323,292 (46.1%)
Non-binary	83 (0.0%)
Not Available	20,287 (2.9%)
Grand Total	701,198 (100.0%)

Hospitalized During Illness?

Yes	28,194 (4.0%)
No	252,767 (36.0%)
Not available	420,237 (59.9%)
Grand Total	701,198 (100.0%)

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

Cases by Race

White	359,198 (51.2%)
Black	15,494 (2.2%)
Asian	17,697 (2.5%)
American Indian/Alaska Native	10,500 (1.5%)
Pacific Islander	2,633 (0.4%)
Other	86,182 (12.3%)
Multiracial	7,717 (1.1%)
Not available	201,777 (28.8%)
Grand Total	701,198 (100.0%)

Health Care Worker?

Yes	20,969 (3.0%)
No	178,773 (25.5%)
Not available	501,456 (71.5%)
Grand Total	701,198 (100.0%)

Congregate Setting‡

Yes	25,836 (3.7%)
No	170,895 (24.4%)
Not available	504,467 (71.9%)
Grand Total	701,198 (100.0%)

Cases by Ethnicity

Hispanic	95,791 (13.7%)
Not Hispanic	344,981 (49.2%)
Not Available	260,426 (37.1%)
Grand Total	701,198 (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 labratory 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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Data current as of 9:00am 3/18/2022

Hospital Capacity and Usage in Oregon as reported to HOSCAP*

Overall Capacity	Available		Total Staffed
Available Adult ICU Beds	99	Staffed Adult ICU Beds	676
Available Adult non-ICU Beds	388	Staffed Adult non-ICU Beds	4,289
Available Pediatric ICU Beds	8	Staffed Pediatric ICU Beds	42
Available Pediatric non-ICU Beds	56	Staffed Pediatric non-ICU Beds	264
Available Neonatal ICU Beds	49	Staffed Neonatal ICU Beds	275

COVID-19 Details	Total COVID-19 patients		Only COVID-19 Positive Patients
All Current COVID Patients	232	All COVID-Positive Patients	213
Patients in ICU Beds	39	Positive Patients in ICU Beds	35
Patients on Ventilators	20	Positive Patients on Ventilators	19

Available Ventilators	874

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

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*"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 Opera due to case reporting and investigation lags and temporary discrepancies in case classification.
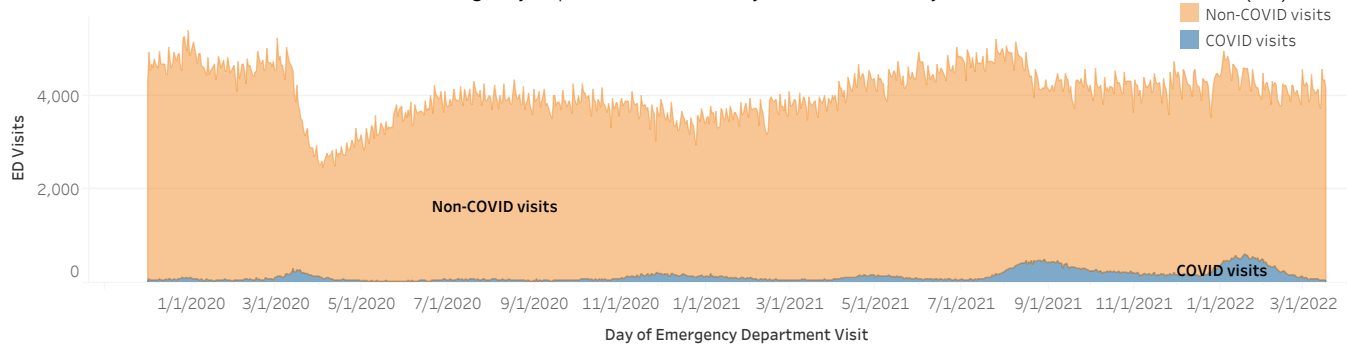
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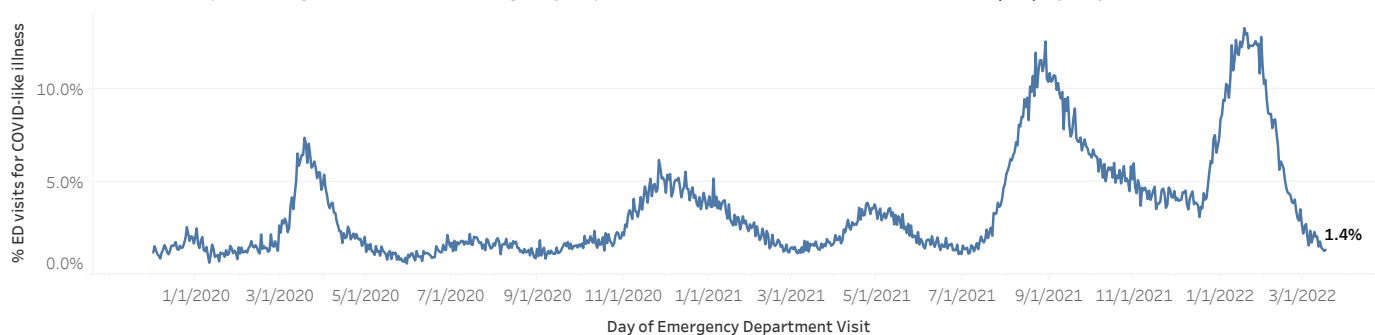**Daily Data Update**   **Case and Testing**   **Hospital Capacity**   **Emergency Department**

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Emergency department visits in Oregon for COVID-19-like Illness peaked in late January 2022 and are declining
This chart shows the number of statewide emergency department visits daily and whether they were for COVID-19-like illness (CLI).

Non-COVID visits
COVID visits

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

Downloadabe 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.
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