MI COVID RESPONSE DATA AND MODELING UPDATE

NOTE: All data as of Dec. 12 unless otherwise noted

December 15, 2020

Executive summary

Michigan has recorded the 13th highest number of cases (\downarrow 6), 5th highest number of deaths (\downarrow 1), 38th highest case rate (\downarrow 13), and 8th highest death rate (\leftrightarrow) in the last 7 days (source: CDC COVID Data Tracker)

Michigan has the 12th highest hospitalization rate as a percent of total beds (↓6), and 8th highest number of COVID patients in the ICU (↓1) (source: Becker's Hospital Review)

Case rates (559.8), and coronavirus like illness (CLI) are decreasing for the past 3 or more weeks but percent positivity (12.3%) has plateaued for the past 4 weeks but recently appears to be declining

More than 18.5% of available inpatient beds are filled with COVID patients and state trends for hospitalizations for COVID has plateaued for last week

There were **791 deaths** (†131) during the week of Nov 29-Dec 5 and the state death rate is **11.3 deaths/million/day**

Daily diagnostic tests dropped to an average of 53.8K per day (↑2.0K) over the last week and the state rate is 5,613.5 tests/million/day

Comparison across states: Summary 12/14

What we see today:

- 34 states seeing increasing 2 week case trends (stable vs. 33 last week)
- 48 states (stable) with significant outbreaks (high/increasing cases, increasing/high positivity increasing/high hospitalizations over 2 weeks (>100 per M))
- Nevada, Arizona, South Dakota, Pennsylvania, <u>Indiana</u> have highest per capita <u>hospitalized</u> patient numbers
- Most rapid 2 week <u>case</u> growth: ME, NH, CA, GA, SC
- Midwest:
 - Wisconsin showing continued decline in hospitalizations (249/M), declining cases (649/M)
 - Indiana dropped to #5 in hospitalized per capita (462/M), cases high but slowing growth (930/M)
 - Illinois showed slight decline in hospitalizations (400/M), cases down (690/M)
 - Ohio with slowing growth in hospitalizations (441/M), cases remain high and growing at 900/M
 - Michigan with slow decline in hospitalizations (350/M), decline in cases ~550/M

COVID-19 Spread

Positivity appears to be in a state of plateau statewide

- Testing dropped following the Thanksgiving holiday but is starting to increase again
- Test turn around time has increased

Cases continue to decrease for third straight week

- Decreases are seen among most age groups, races, and ethnicities
- Fewer cases have race and ethnicity documented
- Current case rates remain some of the highest to date during the pandemic
- Number of active outbreaks is down ~2% from previous week

The increasing rate of deaths has slowed from previous weeks

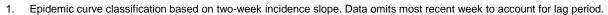
- In the last 30 days, 10% deaths occur among those younger than 60
- Death rate highest for white residents but peaks among Native American is concerning

Confirmed and probable case indicators

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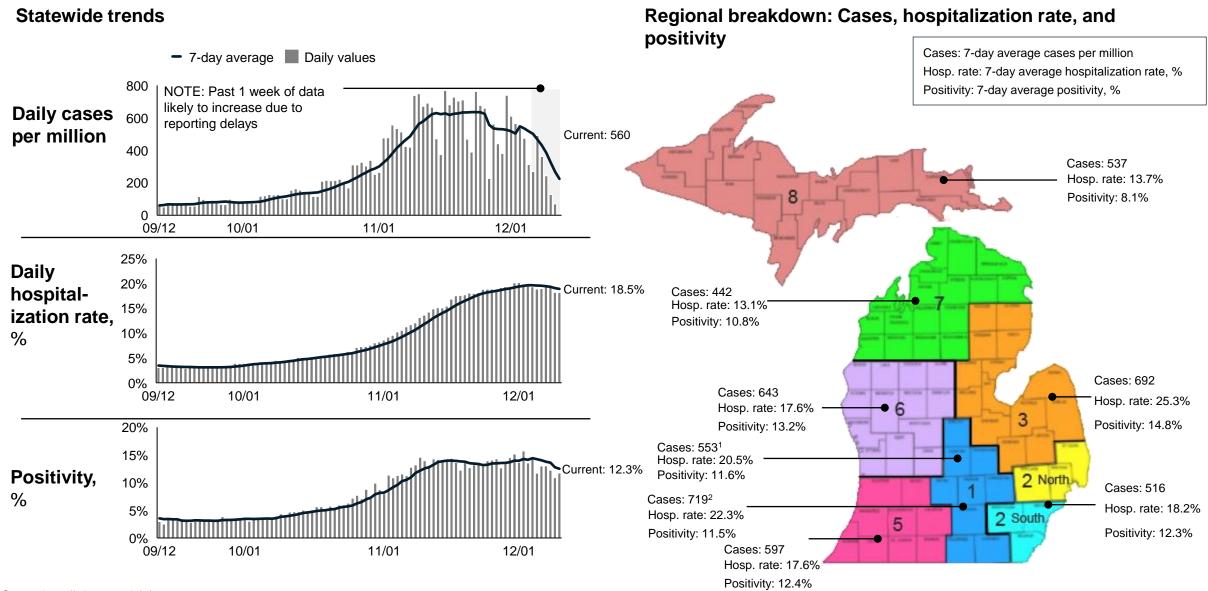
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	MERC Region Number	Public Health Region	Overall Risk Level	Absolute cases (per million)	CDC Case Trend	Average percent positivity	Positivity trend	Tests per million	Weekly % CLI cases	Weekly % CLI cases trend	occupied by COVID-19 cases	Absolute deaths (per million)	Death trend
Detroit	1	2N + 2S	E	516.5	decline [18 days]	12.3	Decrease - 1wk	5369.6	0.9	Decrease - 2wk	18.2	8.6	Increase - 11wk
Grand Rapids	2	6	Е	642.8	decline [24 days]	13.2	Increase - 2wk	5964.9	1.3	Decrease - 2wk	17.6	14.1	Decrease - 1wk
Kalamazoo	3	5	E	596.6	decline [24 days]	12.4	Decrease - 1wk	5631.5	1.1	Decrease - 2wk	17.6	10.6	Increase - 1wk
Saginaw	4	3	E	691.9	decline [23 days]	14.8	Increase - 1wk	5273.2	0.8	Decrease - 1wk	25.3	28.0	Increase - 4wk
Lansing	5	1	Е	552.7	decline [23 days]	11.6	Increase - 1wk	4535.0	0.7	Increase - 1wk	20.5	11.0	Increase - 4wk
Traverse City	6	7	E	442.2	decline [17 days]	10.8	Increase - 3wk	4244.6	1.3	Decrease - 1wk	13.1	10.7	Decrease - 1wk
Jackson	7	1	E	719.4	decline [18 days]	11.5	Increase - 7wk	8105.0	0.5	Decrease - 2wk	22.3	9.0	<20 wkly deaths
Upper Peninsula	8	8	Е	537.5	decline [27 days]	8.1	Increase - 1wk	5654.1	1.0	Decrease - 4wk	13.7	18.3	Decrease - 1wk
Michigan			Е	559.8	decline [22 days]	12.3	Increase - 2wk	5613.5	0.9	Decrease - 2wk	18.5	11.3	Increase - 11wk
Cases	Low:	A: 7-	B: 20-	C: 40-	E:		Positiv	ity Lov	w: A: 3-	B: 7- 10%	10- % D: 15- 20%	E: >=20%	



Positivity Trend calculated on Tuesdays.

Recent statewide trends

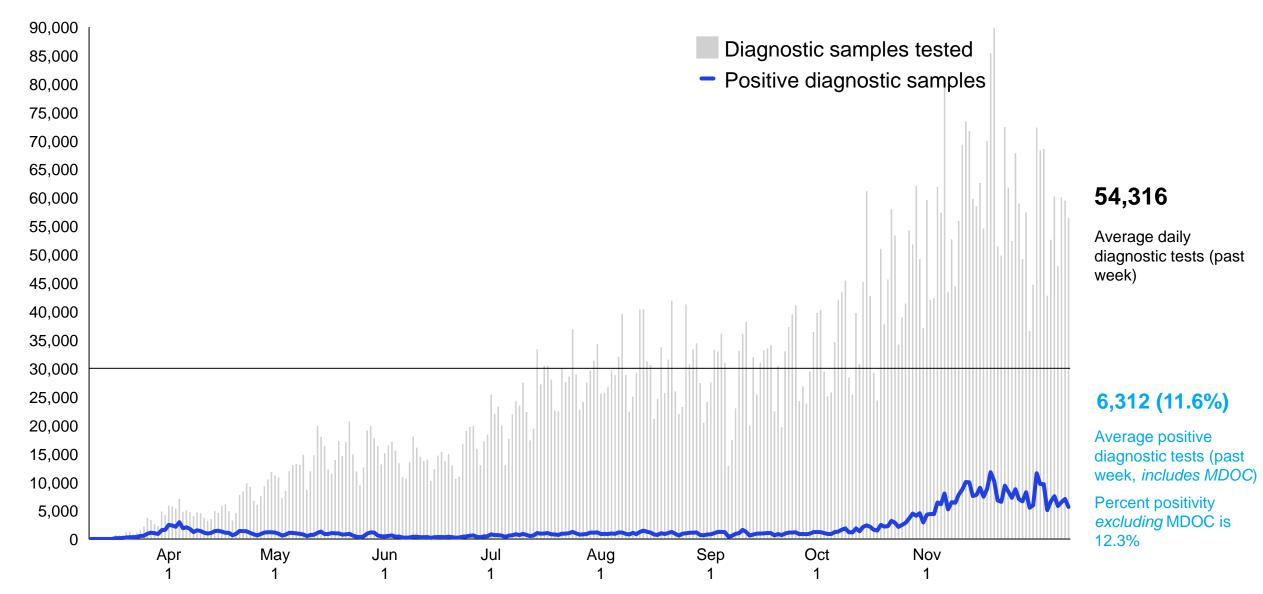


Source: https://mistartmap.info/

Represents Lansing portion of region 1

Represents Jackson portion of region 1

Daily diagnostic tests and positive diagnostic tests, by message date



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Testing Turn Around Time: Collection to report

Summary

- Last two weeks nearly 800K tests, ~68% from commercial laboratories
- Less than a day transport time (from test collection to receipt by the laboratory)
- Average turn around time 3.36 days

Estimated Turnaround Times for COVID-19 Diagnostic Testing Results Received at MDHHS During Last 14 Calendar Days (through 12/09/2020)

Lab Type	Test Count	Transport Time (Days)	Total Turn Around Time (Days)
Commercial	534,829	0.97	4.18
Hospital	245,784	0.42	1.78
Public Health	5,916	0.64	3.06
State Total	786,579	0.7	3.36

Lab Type	Test Count	Transport Time (Days)	Total Turn Around Time (Days)
Region 1	74,707	0.51	2.51
Region 2N	159,963	0.66	4.29
Region 2S	179,694	0.50	3.28
Region 3	73,298	0.62	4.25
Region 5	71,723	0.39	3.95
Region 6	113,713	0.66	2.32
Region 7	23,710	0.79	3.35
Region 8	20,701	1.01	3.33

Daily tests

Avg. daily te
264.2K
190.9K
103.3K
96.5K
62.3K
57.5K
51.6K
49.4K
48.2K
43.1K
35.2K
35.2K
32.2K
30.9K
27.3K
24.7K
23.6K
23.3K
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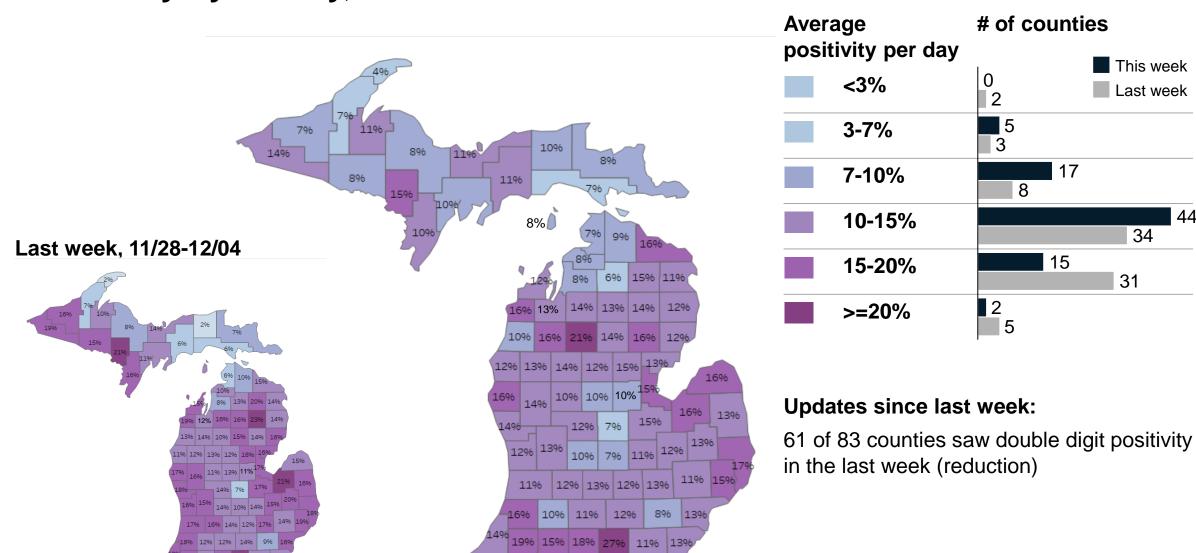
Weekly % of pop. tested

State	Weekly % tested
1. Alaska	9.96%
2. Connecticut	6.91%
3. New York	6.87%
4. District of Columbia	6.78%
West Virginia	5.77%
6. Illinois	5.33%
California	4.68%
8. New Mexico	4.57%
9. Maine	4.44%
nge from 10. Oregon	4.11%
11. New Jersey	4.06%
-1 12. Michigan	4.03%
13. Washington	3.97%
14. Ohio	3.73%
15. Kentucky	3.51%
16. Louisiana	3.51%
17. North Carolina	3.30%
18. South Carolina	3.21%
19. Arkansas	3.21%
20. Tennessee	3.17%
21. Oklahoma	3.15%
22. Montana	3.13%
23. Virginia	2.88%
24. Rhode Island	2.52%
25. Texas	2.49%
26. Minnesota	2.37%
27. Massachusetts	2.36%
28. Delaware	2.23%

Percent positive

	State	% positive
	1. Maine	3.9%
	2. District of Columbia	4.0%
	3. New York	5.2%
	4. Oregon	6.1%
	5. Alaska	6.4%
	6. Washington	6.5%
	7. Vermont	6.6%
	8. Connecticut	6.8%
	9. West Virginia	8.4%
	10. Illinois	9.5%
	11. New Jersey	9.9%
	12. California	10.0%
	13. Louisiana	10.6%
	14. Virginia	10.8%
	15. North Carolina	11.2%
Change from	ຸ 16. South Carolina	11.3%
last week	17. New Mexico	12.4%
↓ -2	18. Michigan	12.5%
	19. Georgia	12.8%
	20. Texas	13.8%
	21. Kentucky	14.6%
	22. Arkansas	15.0%
	23. Maryland	16.1%
	24. Oklahoma	17.2%
	25. Montana	17.3%
	26. Tennessee	18.8%
	27. Florida	19.0%
	28. Ohio	19.5%

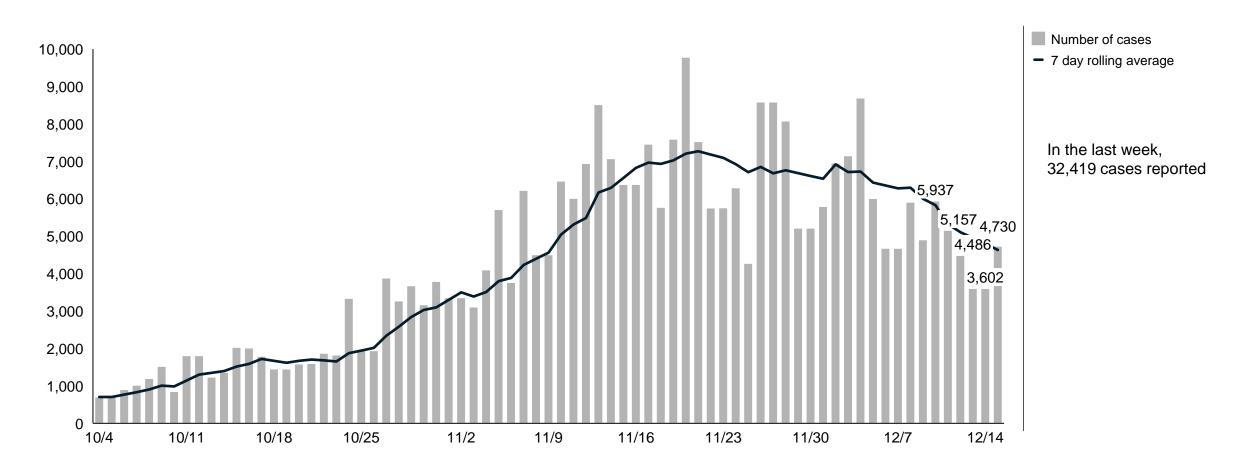
Positivity by county, 12/05-12/11



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Confirmed COVID-19 cases by report date: State of Michigan

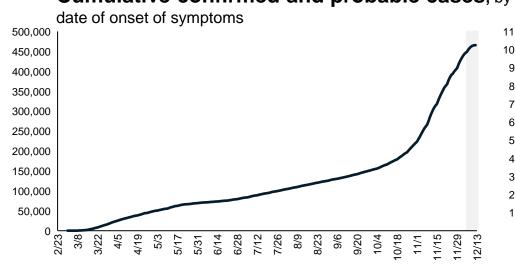
Confirmed cases reported on prior day (7-day rolling average)



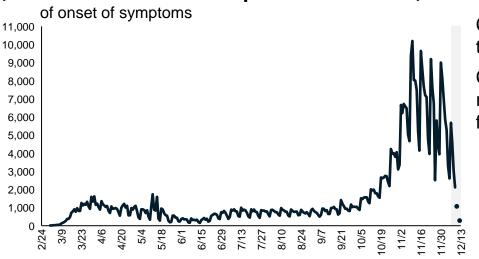
Source: MDHHS – Michigan Disease Surveillance System

COVID-19 cases and deaths by onset date: State of Michigan

Cumulative confirmed and probable cases, by



New confirmed and probable cases, by date

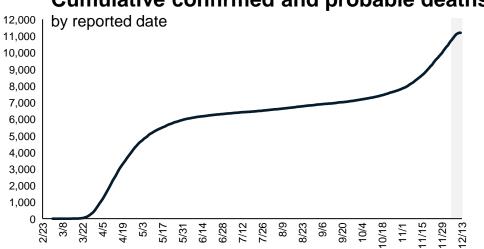


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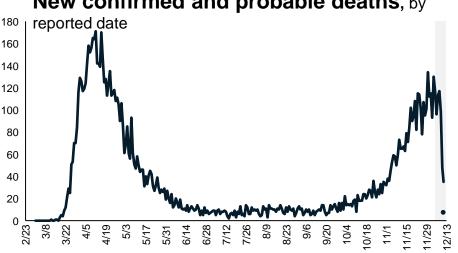
Cases have dropped for the third week in a row

Current daily case rate remains more than 5x the rate from early October

Cumulative confirmed and probable deaths,



New confirmed and probable deaths, by



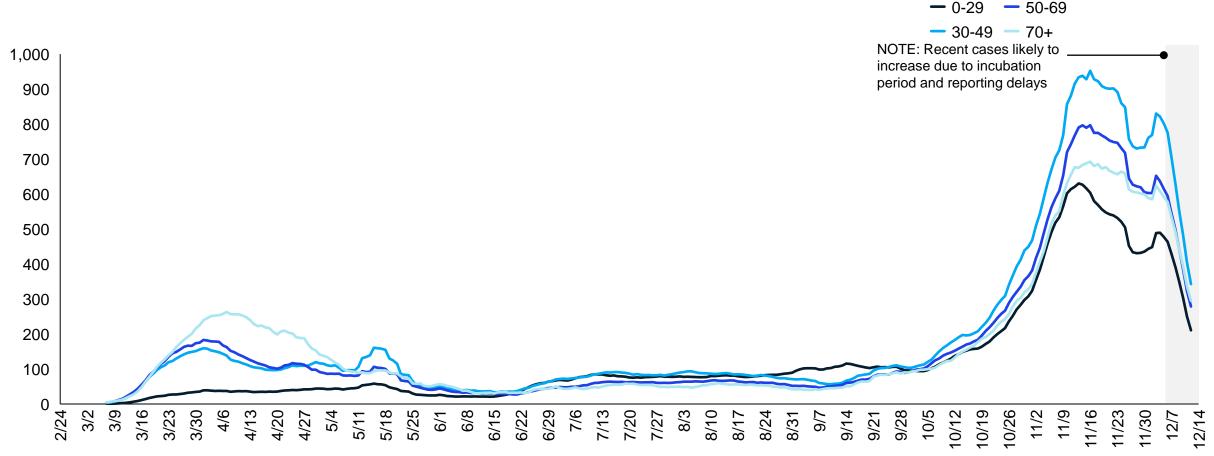
Updates since last week:

Current deaths are a lagging indicator of cases, but the rate of increase continues to slow

The current number of deaths is more than 8x the number of deaths in early October

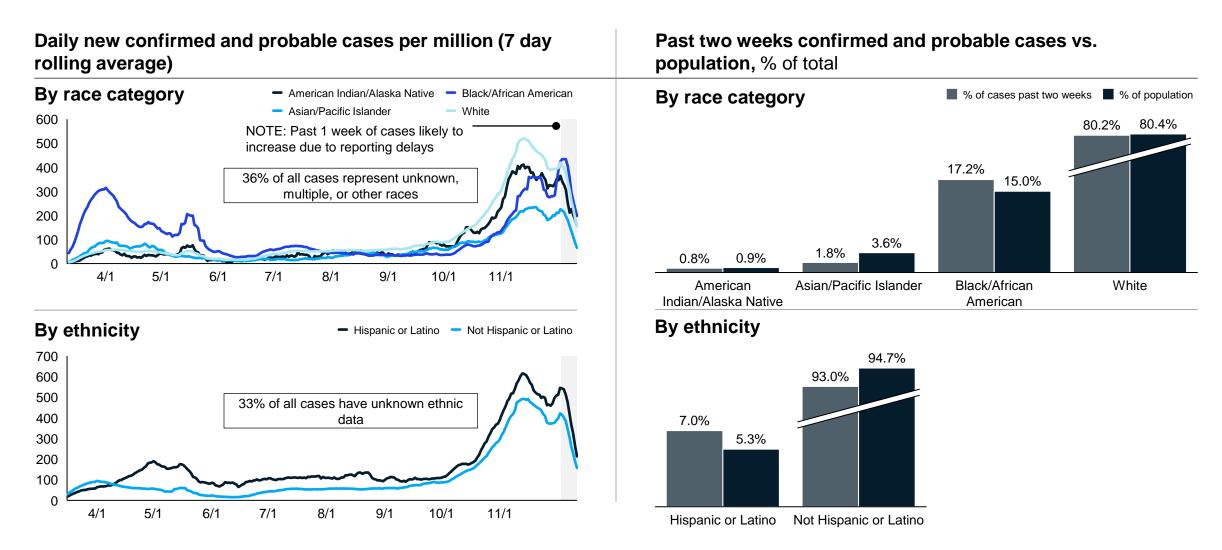
Average daily new cases per million residents, by age group

Daily new confirmed and probable cases per million by age group (7-day rolling average)



30-49 age group continues to have the highest cases per million, though cases per million have decreased for all age groups over the past 5 weeks

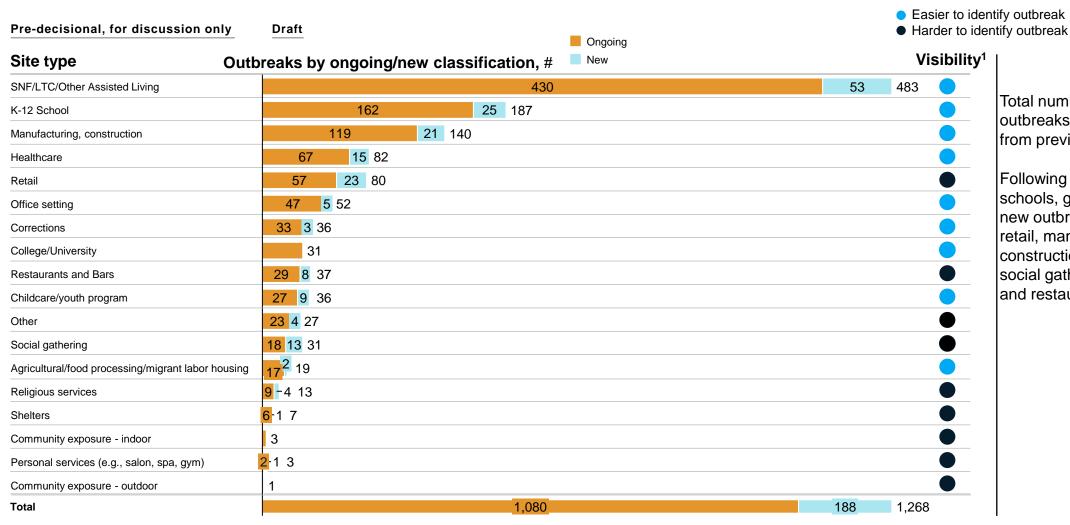
Average daily new cases per million people by race and ethnicity



Note: Cases information sourced from MDHHS and reflects date of onset of symptoms; note that Multiple Races, Other, and Unknown race/ethnicity are not included in calculations

Source: MDHHS – Michigan Disease Surveillance System

Number of outbreak investigations by site type, week ending Dec 10



Total number of active outbreaks is down ~2% from previous week

Following LTCs and K-12 schools, greatest number of new outbreaks reported in retail, manufacturing/ construction, healthcare, social gatherings, childcare, and restaurants/bars

NOTE: Many factors, including the lack of ability to conduct effective contact tracing in certain settings, may result in significant underreporting of outbreaks. This chart does not provide a complete picture of outbreaks in Michigan and the absence of identified outbreaks in a particular setting in no way provides evidence that, in fact, that setting is not having outbreaks.

Source: LHD Weekly Sitreps

^{1.} Based on a setting's level of control and the extent of time patrons/residents spend in the particular setting, different settings have differing levels of ability to ascertain whether a case derived from that setting

K-12 school outbreaks, recent and ongoing, week ending Dec 10

Region	Number of reported cases, #	# Ongoing - Excluding New # New	Number of outbreaks	Range of cases per outbreak
Region 1	106 18 124		27	2-11
Region 2n	68 17 85		25	2-9
Region 2s	52 ¹³ 65		16	2-11
Region 3	151 24 175		30	2-18
Region 5	13 <mark>-</mark> -14 27		10	2-4
Region 6	604 -2	629	47	2-79
Region 7	59 1 60		14	1-11
Region 8	150 2 152		19	2-28
Total	1,203	114 1,	317 188	1-79

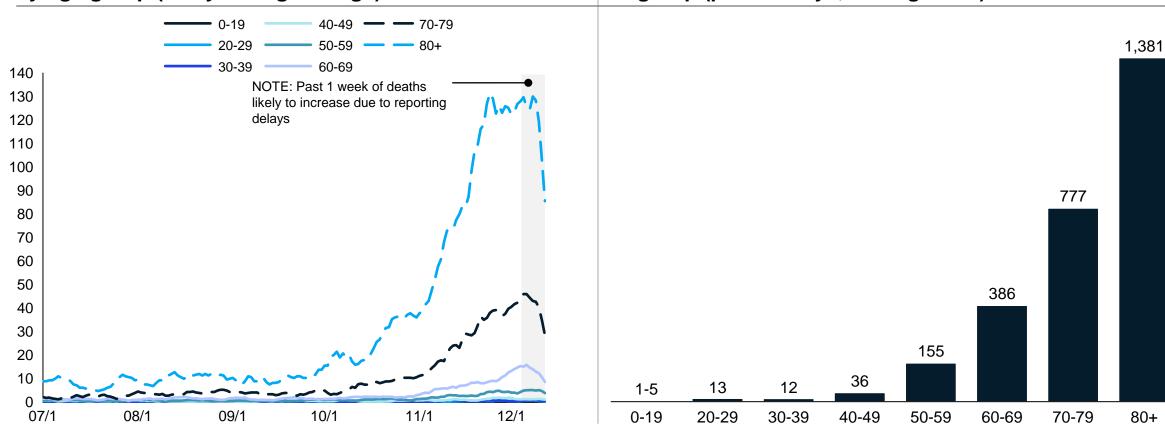
Grade level	Number of reported cases, #	# Ongoing - Excluding New	# New	Number of outbreaks	Range of cases per outbreak	
Pre-school - elem.	277 68 345			75	1-18	
Jr. high/middle school	174 18 192			34	1-16	
High school	727	14 741		68	2-79	
Administrative	25 -14 39			7	1-6	
Total		1,203	114 1,31	7 188	1-79	

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Average and total new deaths, by age group

Daily new confirmed and probable deaths per million by age group (7 day rolling average) Total new confirmed and probable deaths by age group (past 30 days, ending 12/12)

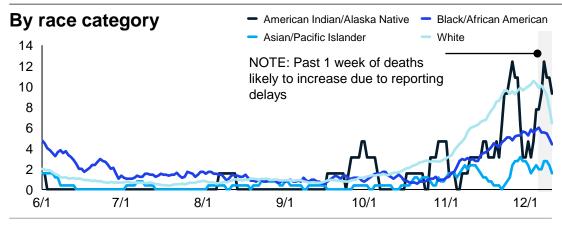


Note: Cases information sourced from MDHHS and reflects date of report

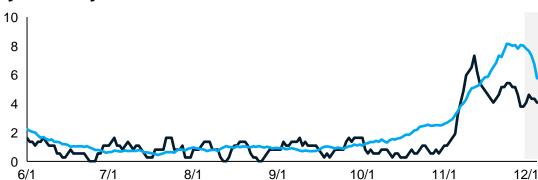
Source: MDHHS – Michigan Disease Surveillance System

Average daily new deaths per million people by race and ethnicity

Daily new confirmed and probable deaths per million (7 day rolling average)



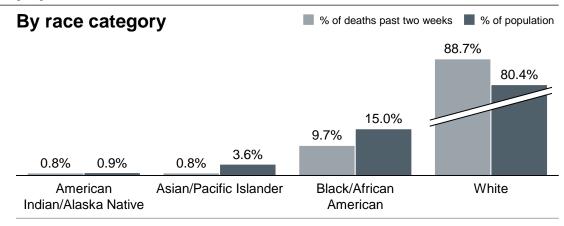
By ethnicity



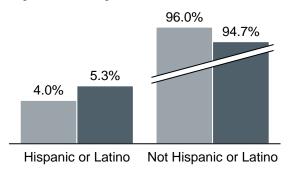
Hispanic or Latino
 Not Hispanic or Latino

Note: Multiple Races, Other, and Unknown race/ethnicity are not included in calculations Source: MDHHS – Michigan Disease Surveillance System

Past two weeks confirmed and probable deaths vs. population, % of total



By ethnicity



COVID-19 and Healthcare Capacity

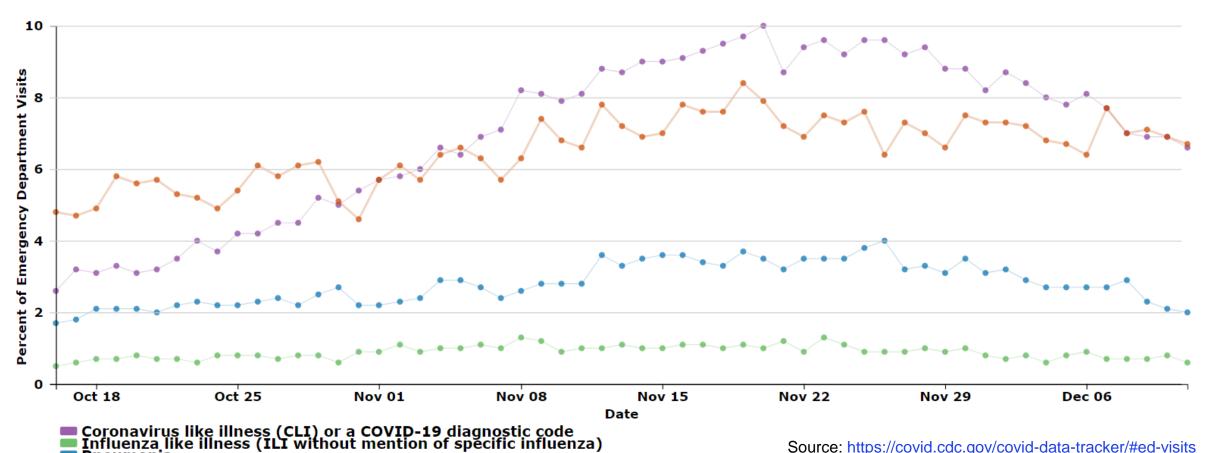
COVID-19-like illness decreased over the past three week and is now around 6%

Hospitalizations and ICU utilization are plateauing or decreasing

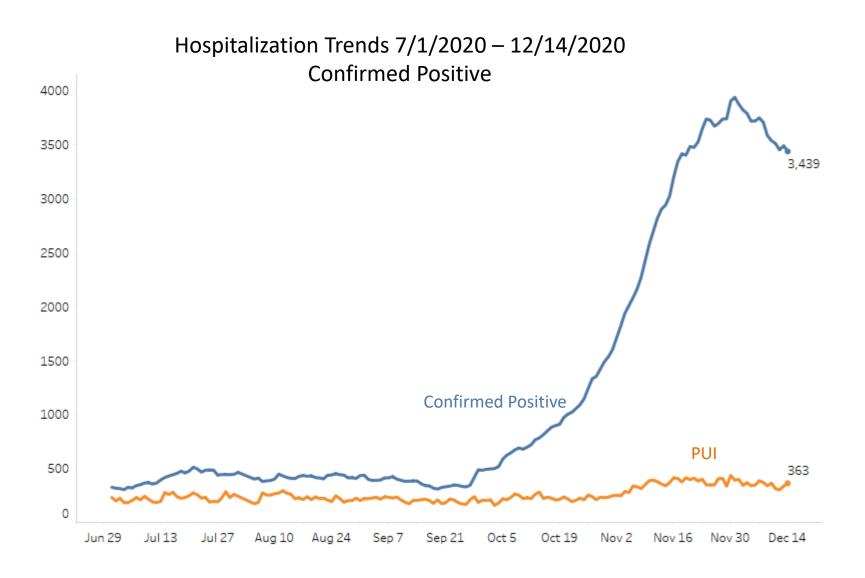
- Hospitalizations declining and now 80% of spring high
- ICU occupancy > 30% but flat over three weeks
- Four regions have >30% of Adult ICU beds with patients positive for COVID

Michigan Trends in Emergency Department Visits for COVID-19-Like Illness (CLI)

Percentage of ED visits by syndrome in Michigan: COVID-19-Like Illness, Shortness of Breath, Pneumonia, and Influenza-Like Illness



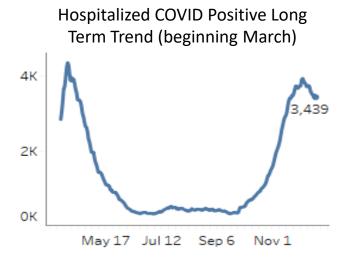
Statewide Hospitalization Trends: Total COVID+ Census



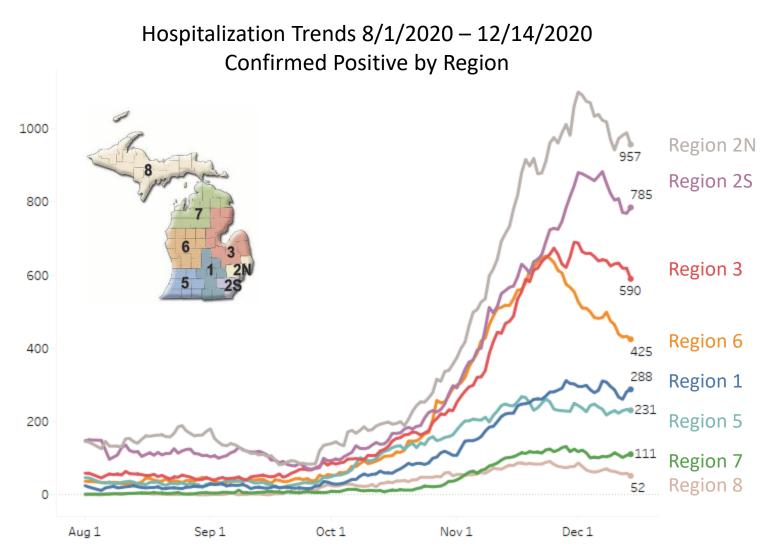
This week, hospital COVID census is down 8% from the previous week and down 13% from the December 1 peak

We are at about 80% of our spring peak levels

New COVID admissions are down approximately 10% vs. the prior week



Statewide Hospitalization Trends: Regional COVID+ Census



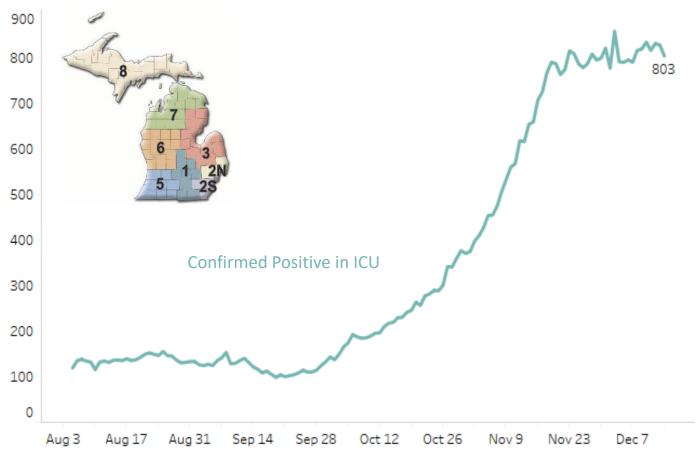
Only Region 7 shows growth in COVID+ hospital census from last week. All other regions show decreasing rates with Region 8 showing the biggest percentage decrease.

Regions 2N and 3 remain the most impacted on a population adjusted basis.

Region	Growth from Last Week	COVID+ Hospitalizations / MM
Region 1	-7%	266/M
Region 2N	-6%	432/M
Region 2S	-11%	352/M
Region 3	-8%	520/M
Region 5	-1%	242/M
Region 6	-12%	290/M
Region 7	6%	222/M
Region 8	-24%	167/M

Statewide Hospitalization Trends: ICU COVID+ Census

Hospitalization Trends 8/1/2020 – 12/14/2020
Confirmed Positive in ICUs



Overall COVID+ census in ICUs has been flat over the past 3 weeks and ~30% of Adult ICU Beds.

Regions 1, 2N, 2S, 7 show some modest growth in ICU census vs. week prior

4/8 regions continue to have >30% of beds occupied with COVID patients

Region	Adult COVID+ in ICU (% Δ from last week)	Adult ICU Occupancy	% of Adult ICU beds COVID+
Region 1	76 (+10%)	93%	39%
Region 2N	176 (+12%)	84%	33%
Region 2S	205 (+7%)	86%	27%
Region 3	146 (-7%)	94%	39%
Region 5	36 (-18%)	86%	24%
Region 6	100 (-6%)	76%	31%
Region 7	50 (+14%)	73%	27%
Region 8	14 (-33%)	69%	24%

Hospital bed capacity updated as of 12/11

Public health capacity

Case investigation and contact tracing increasing although numbers still low relative to goals.

Many jurisdictions continuing to prioritize case investigation due to overwhelming high number of cases

Metrics for cases investigation and contact tracing are all trending in a favorable direction

New Case Investigation Metrics

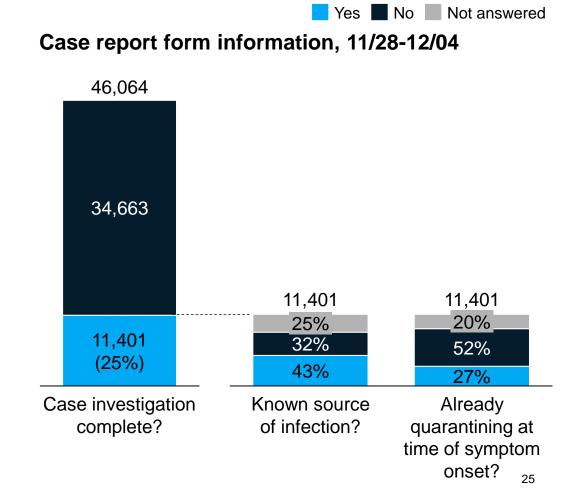
Case report form information, 12/04-12/11

New Communicable Disease metrics slightly increased since last week:

- 42% of investigated cases having a known source (43% last week, 38% week prior)
- 27% of investigated cases noting that they were quarantining before symptoms (27% last week)

onset?

32,387 20,883 11,504 11.504 19% 25% 11,504 34% 53% (36%)42% 27% Case investigation Known source Already complete? of infection? quarantining at time of symptom



Testing, case investigation, and contact tracing: Current state

	Testing			Case investigation and contact acquisition			Initial tra	Ongoing contact monitoring still occurring through texting	
Goal	2K tests per million per day	3% test positivity, excluding MDOC	Fast test to result turnaround time ⁶	90% calls attempted in one day	75% calls completed in one day	50% with contacts in one day	90% calls attempted in one day	75% calls completed in one day	and calls
Performance	5.4K	12.8%	3.36 days	31.8%1	22.9% ²	22.1% ³	96.8%4	62.7%5	73.9%
Trend since last week	Favorable	Unfavorable	Favorable	Favorable	Favorable	Favorable	Stable	Stable	
								I of contacts successfully te intake within five day:	6

^{1. %} of cases documented as "attempted" within one day

^{2. %} of cases documented as "successful" within one day

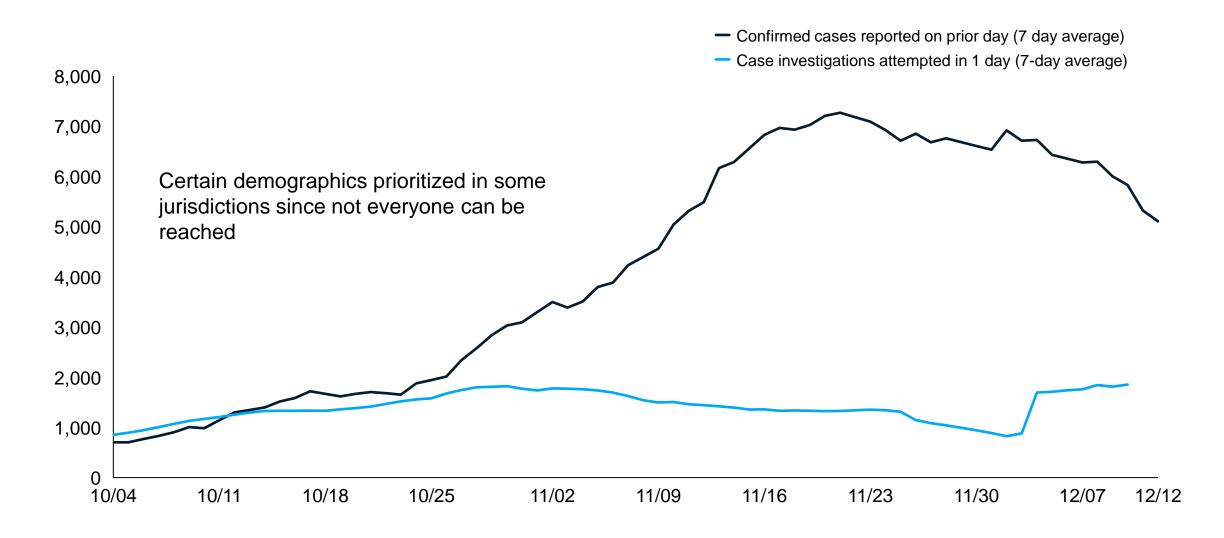
^{3. %} of cases with at least one contact documented within one day

^{4.} Weighted average of % of cases documented as "attempted" within one day in OMS, LHD survey, and Traceforce

^{5.} Average of % of cases documented as "successful" within one day (Traceforce-only due to data accuracy concerns in other systems)

^{6.} Sourced from weighted average of all lab turnaround times

Cases vs. Attempted Case Investigations

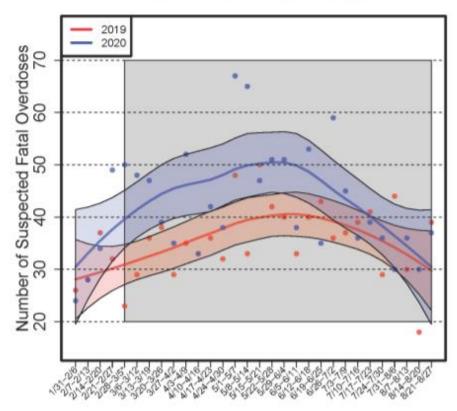


Indirect Impacts

Fatal overdoses are 15.0% higher and EMS naloxone administrations are 28.8% higher than in 2019 Provisional suicide deaths from January 2019 to July 2020 do not appear to have significantly fluctuated Proportion of injury-related ED visits in 2020 has been comparable to previous years' data

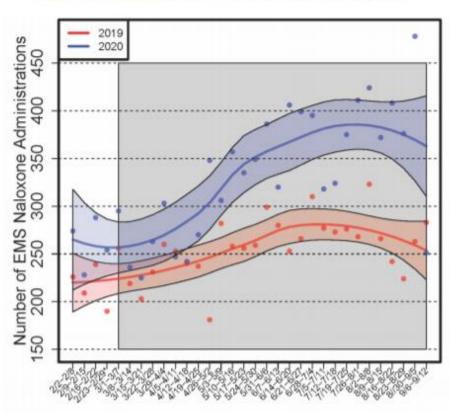
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FIGURE 1. SUSPECTED FATAL OVERDOSES BY WEEK IN 2019 VS. 2020



Counts of suspected fatal overdoses from counties with available data, by week, with the smoothed trajectory (line) and pointwise 95% confidence interval (shaded region) superimposed *: Date range excludes 2/29 in 2019

FIGURE 2. STATEWIDE EMS NALOXONE ADMINISTRATIONS BY WEEK IN 2019 VS. 2020

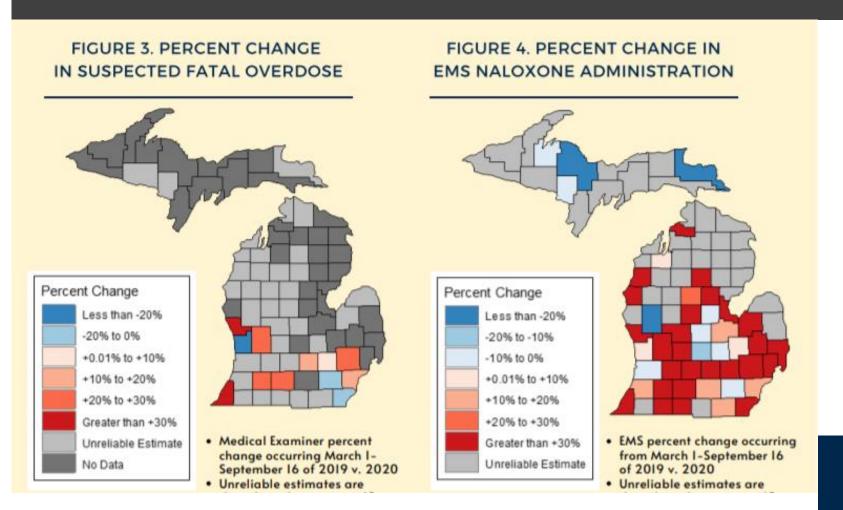


Counts of statewide EMS naloxone administrations, by week, with the smoothed trajectory (line) and pointwise 95% confidence interval (shaded region) superimposed

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Changes from 2019 to 2020 in both data sources varied across both time and space

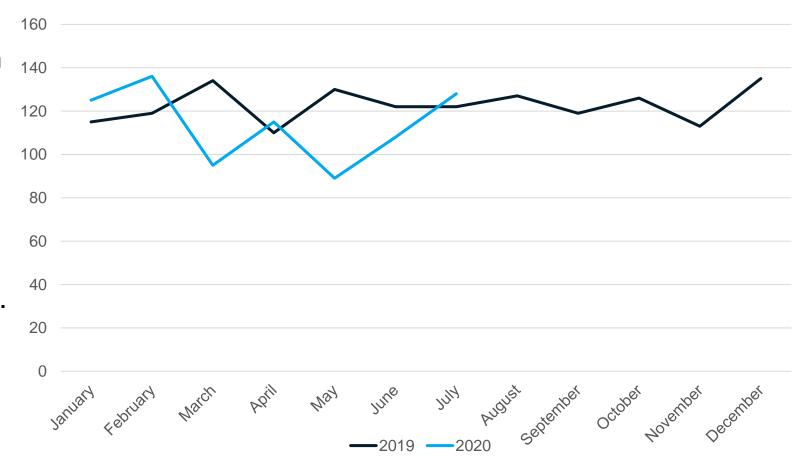




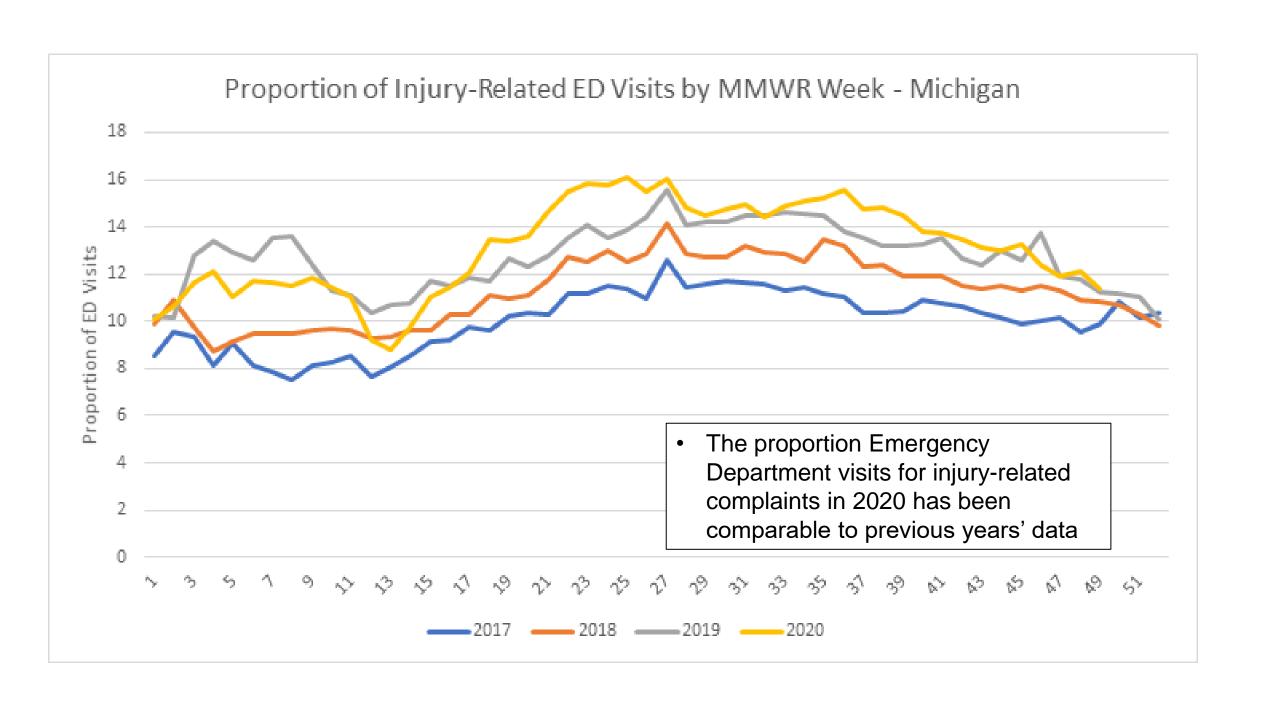
Michigan Suicide Deaths by Month, 2019 and 2020

The number of suicide deaths in Michigan from January 2019 to July 2020 do not appear to have significantly fluctuated.

2020 data are provisional and not final.



Note that 2020 data are preliminary. Data after July 2020 are too recent to provide due to under-ascertainment.

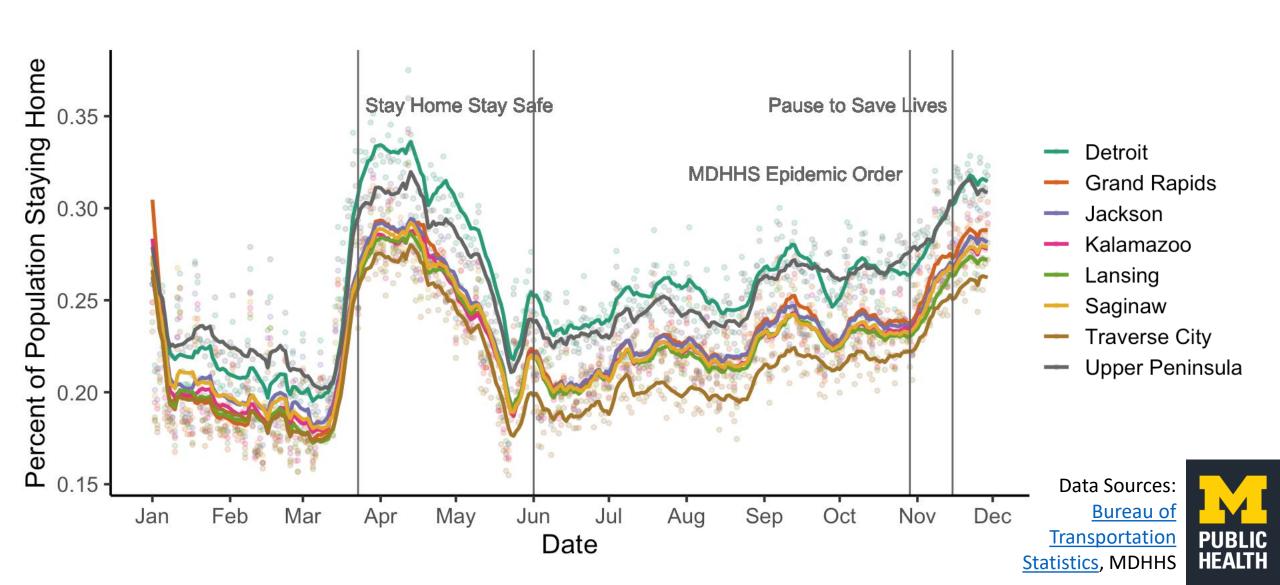


Science Round Up

Mobility data show that Michiganders are staying home including over the Thanksgiving holiday

Waste water surveillance systems can inform public health response in congregate and community settings

Regional patterns in percent staying home



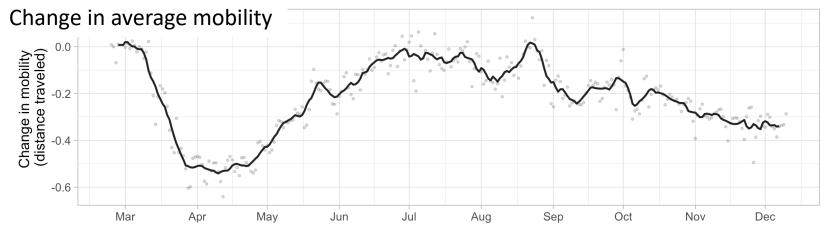
Unacast mobility patterns show declines for MI

Particularly pronounced decline in encounter density, but consistent across all three metrics

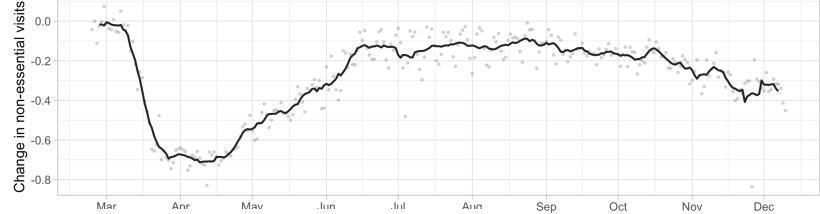


unacast social distancing scoreboard

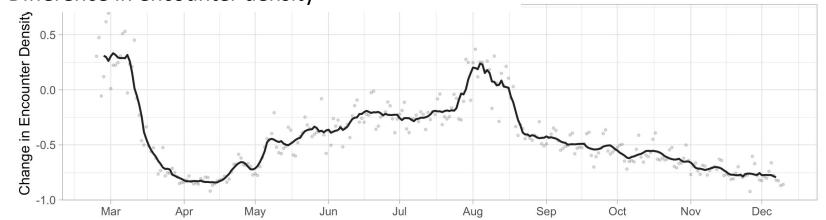
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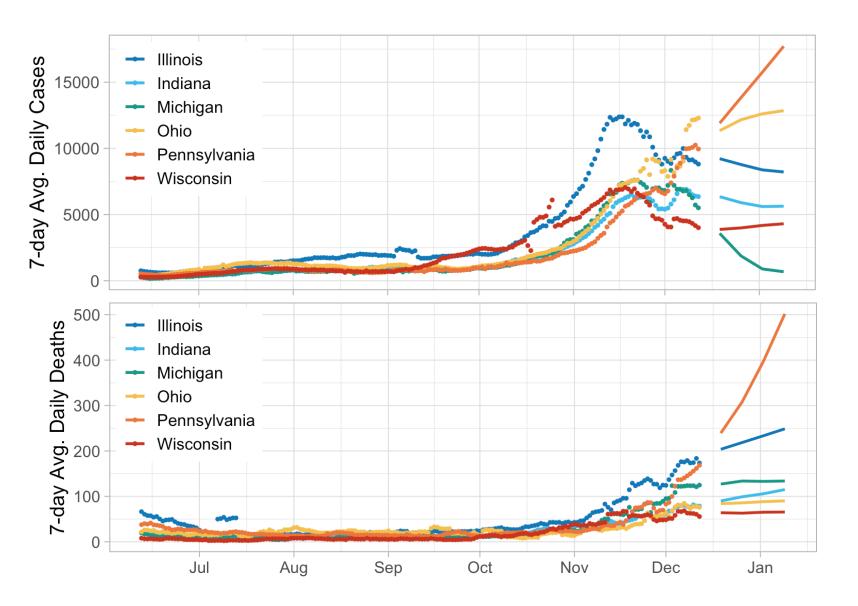
Change in non-essential visits



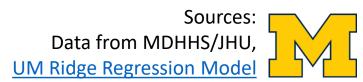
Difference in encounter density



Model projections if current trends continue



- If current stay at home and mobility behavior continues:
- Projected case declines for MI, mixed trends for neighboring states
- Deaths in MI projected to plateau (may decline if projected case declines continue)
- Circles indicate data for 7-day average daily cases, line is the ridge regression model projection
- Ridge regression model 'learns' patterns based on previous case, death, and mobility data



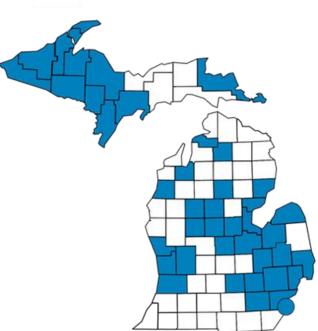
Waste Water Surveillance System

- Statewide system description
- Using waste water sampling to detect clusters of COVID-19, examples from:
 - University of Michigan
 - Wayne State University
- Using waste water surveillance in communities

COVID-19 Waste Water Surveillance

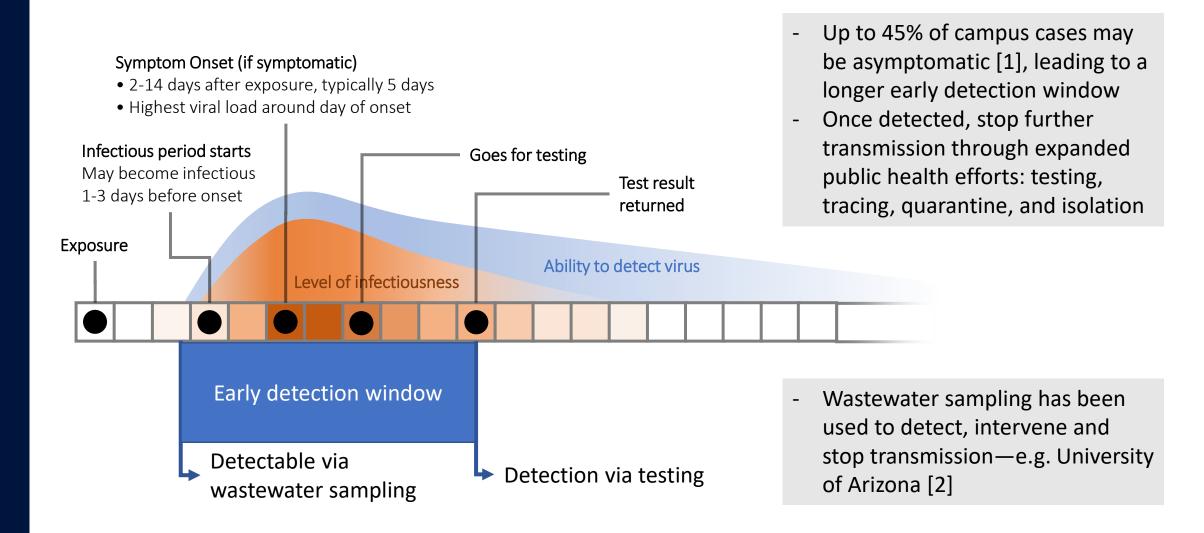
- SARS-CoV-2 shed in human feces can be detected in samples from sewers and treatment plants
 - · Detect virus from infected but asymptomatic people, before they know they are ill
 - Detect virus in system up to 7 days before clinical cases reported
 - Increase in virus over time can predict when clinical cases may be increasing
 - Detect possible outbreaks in communities and at congregate living facilities, such as college dorms and long-term care facilities, before clinical cases are identified
- Public health agencies can be alerted and use this data, along with corresponding clinical case data, to inform public health decisions to prevent further spread within a community
- Coordinated network of wastewater monitoring systems across MI
 - 20 local projects funded from October-December 2020
 - 29 local health department and tribal nations, 19 labs, and 125 university, municipal, and other partners across MI
 - Over 270 testing sites throughout 41 counties and the City of Detroit







Wastewater sampling can detect clusters early





Environmental surveillance of wastewater for SARS-CoV-2 on campus and off campus

- Wastewater-based epidemiology can provide an early warning system to target interventions before extensive spread
- Adjustable spatial scale from building to community
- Daily sampling needed to gain early warning advantage



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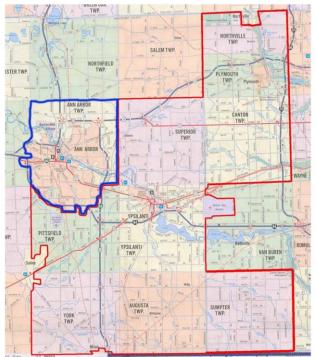
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Environmental surveillance: from building to community scale

- Building-level (Xi Team/UM EH&S)
 - Six residence halls, including quarantine and isolation housing as a positive control
 - Michigan League, School of Public Health, campus gym
- Community level
 - Ann Arbor (Wigginton/Bakker Team)
 - Ypsilanti broader area(Wigginton/Bakker Team)
 - Hamburg Township (Xi Team)

Sample type	N samples	N positive samples	% positive samples	Locations of positive samples
Sewage	220	39	17.7%	Northwood III, Stockwell, Mosher Jordan, Couzens, Baits II, Michigan League, CCRB,







Dorm-level Wastewater monitoring for SARS CoV-2 material: a process-based approach to inform early-warning and control (Wayne State U., Detroit MI)

PI and CO-Pis: Shuster, Bill; Ram, Jeffrey; Miller, Carol. Senior Investigators: Fitzgerald, B, Fernandez-Valdivia, R; Gable, L; Kato, I; Levy, P; McElmurry, S; Pellett, P; Zhang, Y. Detroit Water and Sewer, Detroit Health Department





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нн	Harper Hospital - Alexandrine Street	1 +	ND	++++	:ND	ND	+++	
UC	University Towers - Canfield	+++	ND	++++	ND	ND	++++	
UL	University Towers - Loading Dock	1++++	ND	++++	ND	ND	ND	
AC	Atchison Courtyard	ND	ND	++++	.ND	ND	++	
TG	Towers Residence Alley	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	ND	
AS :	South Courtyard by Manoogian Hall	:	:		:ND	ND	ND :	
WG	Anthony Wayne South	ND	ND	++++	ND	ND	ND	
WH	Anthony Wayne Health Center	++++	ND	****	+++		****	
NTC :	No template control	: ND	ND	ND	:ND	ND	: ND	

Relative intensity of signal: ND, none detectable; +, near threshold of detection; ++, 2-10 x threshold; ++++, 100 - 1,000 x threshold; threshold is estimated at 10- 100 copies per 100 mL but will be re-calibrated.

Blank means sample was not assayed.

"PMMoV is consistently found in human feces and is a measure of relative amount of feces in the sample

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Towers Residential							
Suites	393	<mark>1</mark>	<mark>0</mark>		<mark>0</mark>	<u>:</u> :	(
Anthony Wayne Drive							
Apartments	374		1		<mark>3</mark>		
University Towers	556	1	0		0	: : : :	(
Ghafari - closed						-	
Thompson - closed	:	:	:	Decrease		:	

Surveillance at Community Wastewater Treatment Plants

