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## **COVID-19 Situation Report**

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### **CURRENT INITIATIVES AND UPDATES**

- **Surge of COVID-19 Cases in L.A. County** – Cases have nearly doubled over the last week. To view the latest case numbers in Manhattan Beach, click here to view the [Manhattan Beach COVID-19 Dashboard](#).
- **Holiday Tips for a Healthy Holiday** – The CDC is working with the state and local public health officials to monitor the spread of the newest variant, Omicron, that is highly contagious. Although the exact impact is difficult to know, it is recommended by public health officials to continue to take these five steps to prevent the spread of COVID-19.
  - Get vaccinated, and get a booster if it has been 6+ months since you received the vaccine.
  - Wear a face covering indoors.
  - Get tested if you have any symptoms, regardless of your vaccination status.
  - Keep your hands clean and wash them frequently.
  - Stay home if you feel sick, have symptoms, and distance yourself from others.
- **Plan to travel abroad for the holidays?** – Testing is required before air travel to the US. All air passengers 2 years or older with a flight departing to the US from a foreign country will need to get a COVID-19 viral test (regardless of vaccination status or citizenship) no more than 1 day before traveling by air into the United States. Proof of a negative result must be shown to the airline before you board your flight.
- **Health Officer Order Mega Events Update** - Updated to align with the State Public Health Officer's requirement that beginning December 15, 2021, all persons attending an Indoor or Outdoor Mega Event, who cannot provide proof of full vaccination against COVID-19, must present proof of a pre-entry negative COVID-19 test result from either an antigen test within one day or a PCR test conducted two days prior to entry. For Indoor Mega Events children under 2 years of age are exempt from the pre-entry testing requirement for entry. For Outdoor Mega Events children under 5 years of age are exempt from the pre-entry testing requirement for entry.
- **L.A. County Daily Briefing Statistics on COVID-19** – Public Health confirmed 24 new deaths and 8,633 new cases of COVID-19. There are 770 people with COVID-19 currently hospitalized, 22% of these people are in the ICU. Testing results are available for nearly 9,880,000 individuals,

with 15% of people testing positive. To view Statewide case statistics and demographics, including positive cases, deaths, and testing results, visit [COVID-19 California Case Statistics](#).

## LATEST NUMBERS ON COVID-19

AREA	CONFIRMED CASES (CHANGE)	DEATHS (CHANGE)
United States <sup>1</sup>	51,574,787 (+250,120)	809,300 (+1,903)
California <sup>2</sup>	4,969,615 (+15,485)	75,383 (+102)
Los Angeles County <sup>3</sup>	1,585,313 (+8,633)	27,512 (+24)
Manhattan Beach <sup>4</sup>	2,460 (+45)	19 (0)

The change reflects daily increases, not increases from the prior situation report. The case numbers and deaths reported today may reflect delays in weekend and holiday reporting.

COVID-19 WEEKLY UPDATE	MANHATTAN BEACH		LOS ANGELES	
	NEW CASES	NEW DEATHS	NEW CASES	NEW DEATHS
December 13 – December 19	69	0	16,988	122
December 6 – December 12	25	0	10,752	91
November 29 – December 5	26	0	10,971	113
November 22 – November 28	14	0	5,741	124
November 15 – November 21	32	0	8,631	156
November 8 – November 14	24	0	8,648	112
November 1 – November 7	24	0	9,506	113
October 25 – October 31	18	0	6,695	81

View daily cases in an infographic via the [Manhattan Beach COVID-19 Dashboard](#).

COVID-19 VACCINATIONS				
AREA	DATA THROUGH	PARTIALLY VACCINATED	FULLY VACCINATED	VACCINATIONS ADMINISTERED
California <sup>5</sup>	12/21/2021	3,071,557 (+81,160)	26,550,039 (+71,244)	63,219,988 (+263,463)
Los Angeles County <sup>6</sup>	12/16/2021	7,585,967 (+38,628)	6,793,315 (+44,251)	15,579,688 <sup>7</sup> (+210,642)
Manhattan Beach <sup>8</sup>	12/16/2021	30,588* (+102)	Data Not Available	Data Not Available

<sup>1</sup> Source: December 22, 2021, <https://covid.cdc.gov/covid-data-tracker>

<sup>2</sup> Source: December 22, 2021, <https://update.covid19.ca.gov/>

<sup>3</sup> Source: December 23, 2021, <http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/media/Coronavirus/>

<sup>4</sup> Source: December 23, 2021, <http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/media/Coronavirus/locations.htm>

<sup>5</sup> Source: December 23, 2021, [Vaccines - Coronavirus COVID-19 Response \(ca.gov\)](https://vaccines.ca.gov/coronavirus/)

<sup>6</sup> Source: December 23, 2021, <http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/media/Coronavirus/vaccine/vaccine-dashboard.htm>

<sup>7</sup> Source: December 23, 2021, [Vaccines - Coronavirus COVID-19 Response \(ca.gov\)](https://vaccines.ca.gov/coronavirus/)

<sup>8</sup> Source: December 23, 2021, [COVID-19 Locations & Demographics - LA County Department of Public Health](#)

\* Los Angeles County and Manhattan Beach vaccination progress are not updated regularly on the source websites; the table reflects data currently available. Additionally, data may be revised according to the sources indicated within the report. View the State's vaccination progress via the [California COVID-19: Vaccine Dashboard](#). View vaccinations in the [United States](#).

On November 10, 2021, the California Department of Public Health updated the vaccines administered population denominator to include people 5 and older.

LOS ANGELES COUNTY HOSPITALIZATIONS		
EVER	CURRENT	% IN ICU
110,330	770	22%