

DAILY HIGHLIGHTS

Globally, COVID-19 cases have surpassed 33.84 million with more than 1.01 million deaths.

The total number of cases in the U.S. increased from 7,168,017 as reported on Wednesday 9/30/2020 to 7,213,419 reported today. The number of deaths in the U.S. increased from 205,372 to 206,402.

On the CRIHB hosted statewide COVID-19 Call, the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) will be discussing plans for vaccine distribution for AIAN communities. CDC has released the interim "playbook" for vaccine distribution. CDPH's vaccine allocation plan is due to CDC by October 16, 2020. This would be an opportunity to provide feedback and input to CDPH. This call is to be held on Tuesday, October 6th from 3:30 – 4:30 pm/PST. To join the Zoom meeting, click HERE or call (669) 900-6833 (access code: 87035921237#).

With more than a million deaths worldwide, the COVID-19 death toll has surpassed the 1968 H3N2 flu pandemic's death toll, making it one of the top 10 deadliest pandemics of all time.

On Thursday, September 24, U.S. Department of Health and Human Services (HHS) Deputy Secretary Hargan sent a Dear Tribal Leader Letter (DTLL) announcing the initiation of Tribal Consultation to seek input from Tribal Leaders on COVID-19 vaccination planning for Indian Country. This Tribal Consultation complements the state planning process that began last week with the publication of the CDC's COVID-19 Vaccination Program Interim Playbook for Jurisdiction Operations. Tribal Leaders will have several forums to discuss vaccination planning for distribution and allocation. Please see the following details to join the call: October 1, 2020; 3:00 PM – 4:00 PM ET: HHS Region 9 (Dial-In: (415) 527-5035; Passcode: 199 650 2728). In addition to feedback during conference calls, Tribal leaders can provide input and recommendations in writing by submitting comments to consultation@hhs.gov. The deadline for written comments on this Tribal Consultation is Friday, October 9, 2020.

UNITED STATES

COVID-19: U.S. at a Glance*

- Total cases: 7,213,419
- Total deaths: 206,402
- Jurisdictions reporting cases: 55 (50 states, District of Columbia, Guam, Puerto Rico, the Northern Mariana Islands, and the U.S. Virgin Islands)

*As of April 14, 2020, CDC case counts and death counts include both confirmed and probable cases and deaths. This change was made to reflect an interim COVID-19 position statement issued by the Council for State and Territorial Epidemiologists on April 5, 2020. The position statement included a case definition and made COVID-19 a nationally notifiable disease.

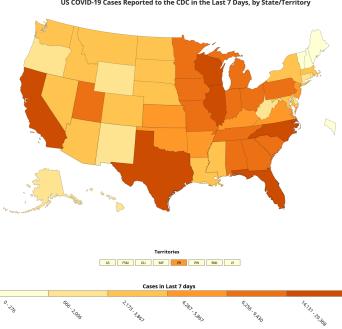
A confirmed case or death is defined by meeting confirmatory laboratory evidence for COVID-19.

A probable case or death is defined by:

i) meeting clinical criteria AND epidemiologic evidence with no confirmatory laboratory testing performed for COVID-19; or ii) meeting presumptive laboratory evidence AND either clinical criteria OR epidemiologic evidence; or iii) meeting vital records criteria with no confirmatory laboratory testing performed for COVID19. State and local public health departments are now testing and publicly reporting their cases. In the event of a discrepancy between CDC cases and cases reported by state and local public health officials, data reported by states should be considered the most up to date.

National Laboratory Testing Data

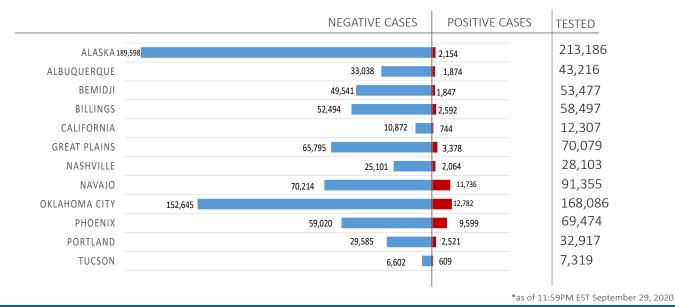
- Total tests reported: 114,474,881
- Positive tests reported: 8,855,897
- Percent of positive tests: 8%



US COVID-19 Cases Reported to the CDC in the Last 7 Days, by State/Territory







CALIFORNIA

As of September 30, 2020, there were a total of 813,687 positive cases and 15,888 deaths in California.

Ages of all confirmed positive cases:

- Age 0-17: 84,468 cases
- Age 18-49: 487,779 cases
- Age 50-64: 153,584 cases
- Age 65 and older: 86,965 cases
- Unknown/Missing: 891 cases

Lab tests reported statewide: 14,771,851

Gender of all confirmed positive cases:

- Female: 410,433 cases
- Male: 396,552 cases
- Unknown: 6,702 cases

Twenty-five public health labs in California are testing samples for COVID-19. These labs include the California Department of Public Health's Laboratory in Richmond, Alameda, Butte, Contra Costa, Fresno, Humboldt, Imperial, Long Beach, Los Angeles, Monterey, Napa-Solano-Yolo-Marin (located in Solano), Orange, Riverside, Sacramento, San Bernardino, San Diego, San Francisco, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, San Mateo, Santa Clara, Shasta, Sonoma, Tulare and Ventura County public health laboratories. The Richmond Laboratory will provide diagnostic testing within a 48hour turnaround time. This means California public health officials will get test results sooner, so that patients will get the best care.

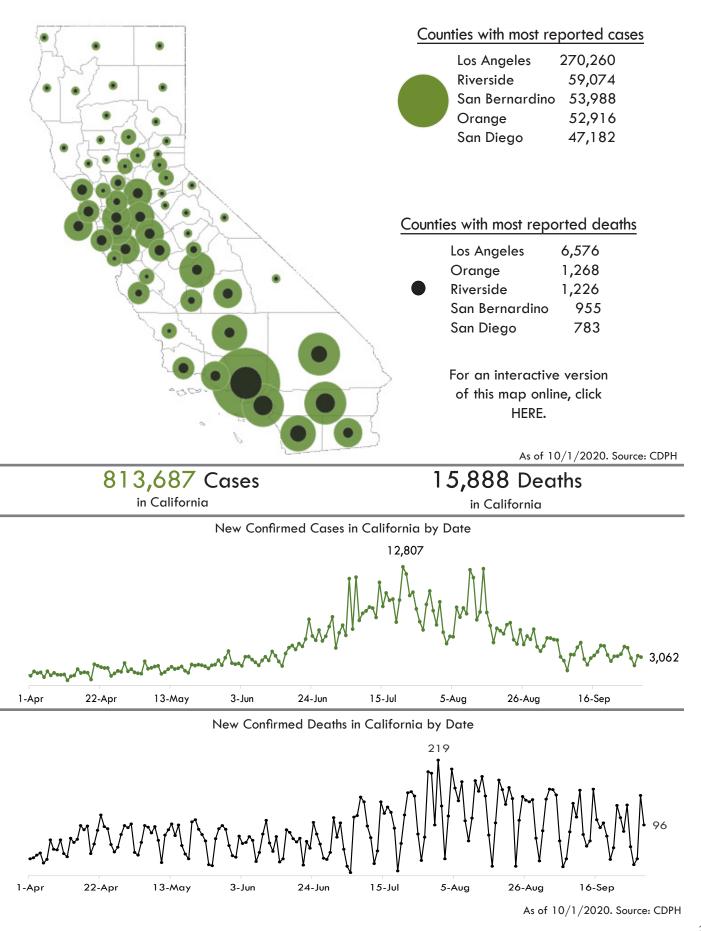
Click <u>HERE</u> to find your nearest testing site.

INDIAN HEALTH SERVICE CALIFORNIA AREA

12,307 Tribal or Urban Indian Health Program patients in the California Area have been tested for COVID-19 as of 9/29/2020.

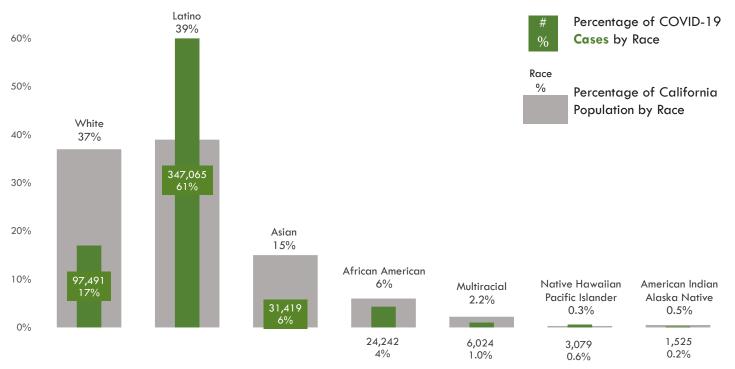
Of these, 744 patients have tested positive for COVID-19 and 10,872 have tested negative for COVID-19.

CONFIRMED CASES AND DEATHS BY COUNTY

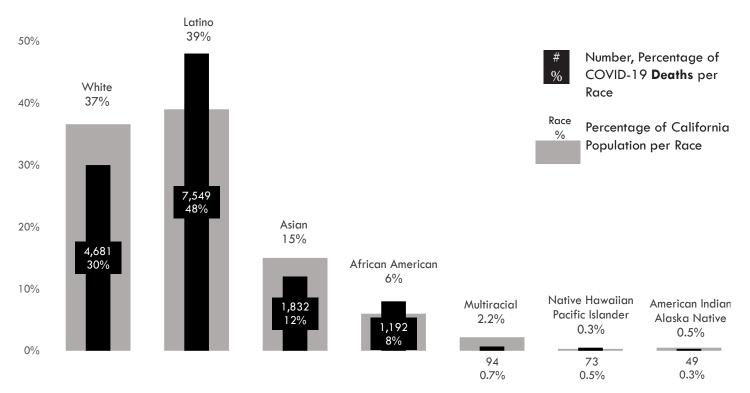


Racial distribution of confirmed COVID-19 cases and deaths in California

American Indians and Alaska Natives account for 0.5% percent of the population, 0.2% of COVID-19 cases, and 0.3% of deaths in California. This includes a total of 1,525 cases and 49 deaths among American Indian and Alaska Native people in California.

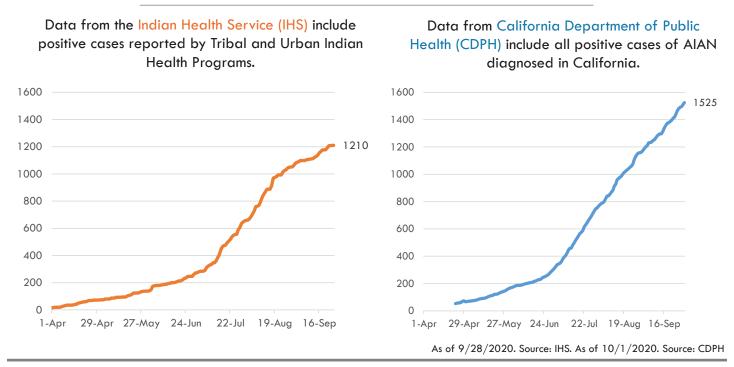


Latinos and African Americans are dying at disproportionately high rates in California. The proportion of COVID-19 deaths in Latinos is 1.3 times their population representation across all adult age categories.

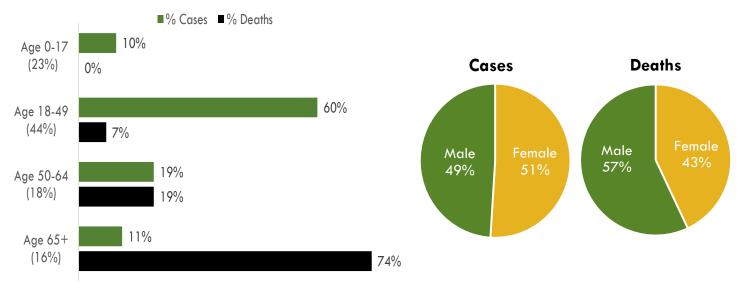


Note: 30% of cases and 1% of deaths are of unknown race/ethnicity. As of 10/1/2020. Source: CDPH

Two sources for tracking American Indian and Alaska Native (AIAN) cases reported in California



Age and gender distribution of confirmed COVID-19 cases and deaths in California



Note: Demographic percentages may not add up to 100% due to rounding. As of 10/1/2020. Source: CDPH

California COVID-19 threat level: Slow disease growth

DAILY NEW CASES



INFECTION RATE



COVID IS STILL SPREADING, BUT SLOWLY

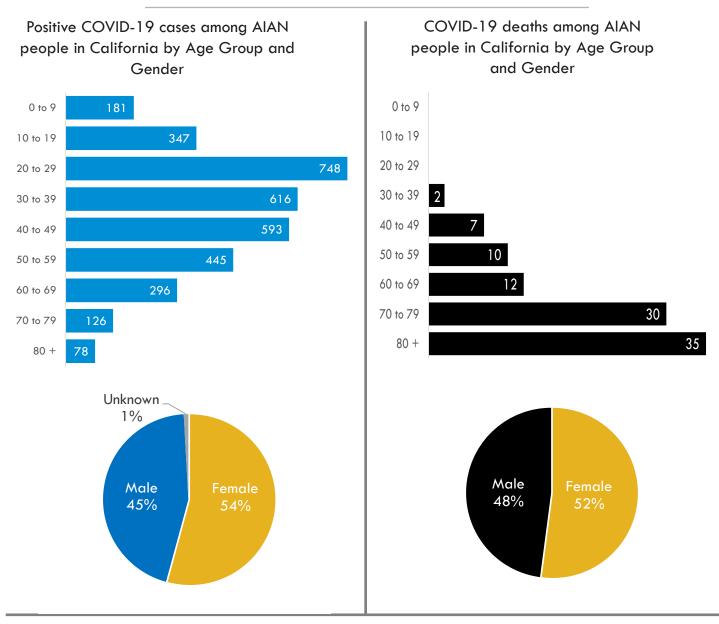
POSITIVE TEST RATE

2.8%

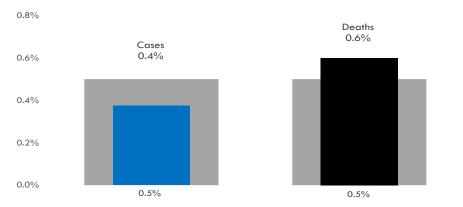
INDICATES WIDESPREAD TESTING

As of 10/1/2020. Source: COVID Act Now

American Indian and Alaska Native (AIAN) data reported by California to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)



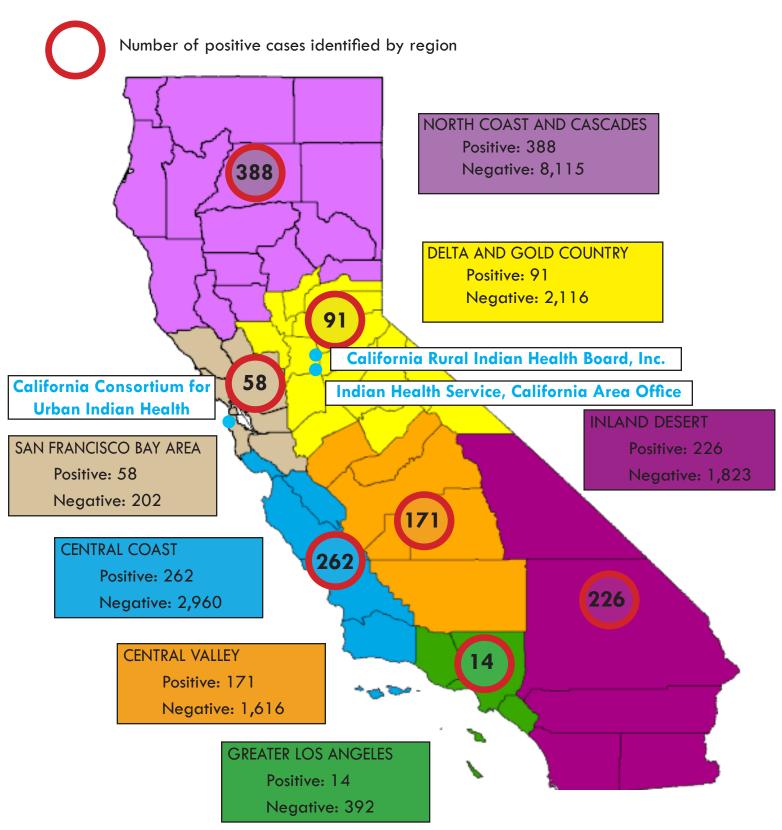
CDC data show that AIAN in California are testing positive for COVID-19 at rates lower than their proportion of California's population and dying at rates that are higher. This includes a total of 3,432 cases and 96 deaths.



As of 9/28/2020. Source: CDC

COVID-19 testing information from patients seen at a Tribal or Urban Indian Health Program in California

Note: This map shows patients by the regional location of the clinic where they were tested and NOT by the residence of the patients.



American Indian and Alaska Native (AIAN) COVID-19 cases reported by local public health departments in selected California counties

Los Angeles	County*
AIAN Cases	245
AIAN Deaths	12
AIAN Tested	1,492

*Note: Data do not include the Cities of Long Beach and Pasadena.

San Bernardi	no County
AIAN Cases	221
AIAN Deaths	7
San Diego County	
AIAN Cases	164
AIAN Deaths	1
AIAN Tested	2,592
Riverside County	

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AIAN Cases	115
AIAN Deaths	7

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Sacramento AIAN Cases

AIAN Deaths

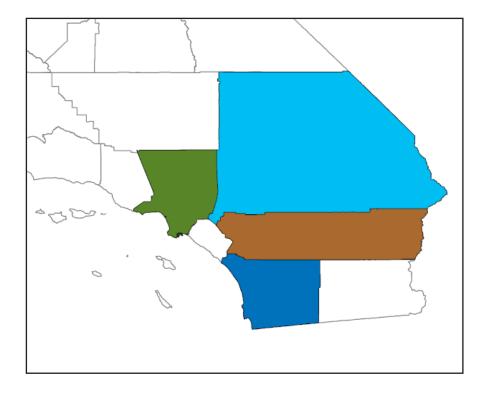
AIAN Cases

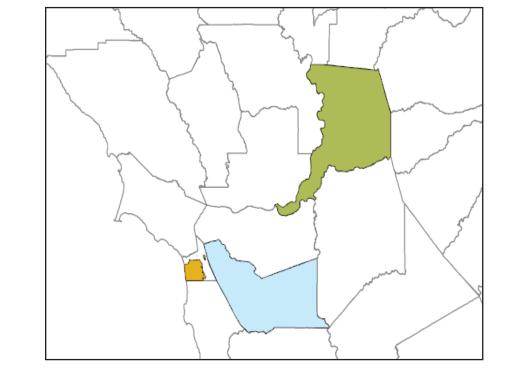
AIAN Deaths

Alameda AlAN Cases

AIAN Deaths

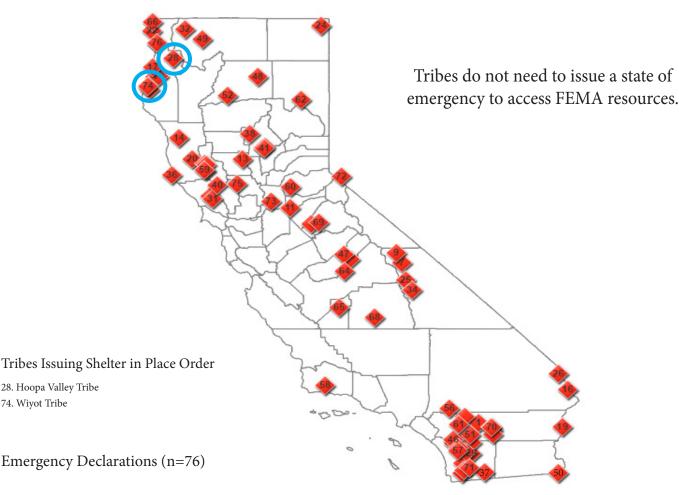
San Francisco





As of 10/1/2020. Source: County of Los Angeles Public Health, San Bernardino County Department of Public Health, San Diego County Communicable
Disease Registry, Riverside University Health System-Public Health, Sacramento County Public Health, DataSF, and Alameda County Department of Public
Health.

TRIBAL STATE OF EMERGENCY AND SHELTER IN PLACE DECLARATIONS

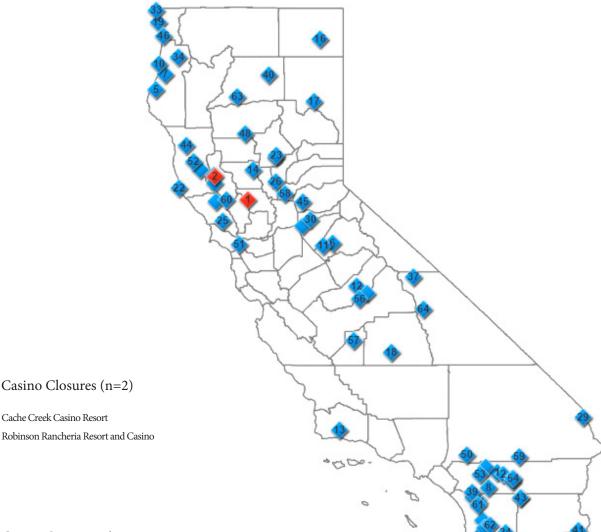


- Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians 1.
- Augustine Band of Cahuilla Indians 2.
- 3. Barona Band of Mission Indians
- Bear River Band of Rohnerville Rancheria 4.
- Berry Creek Rancheria of Maidu Indians of California 5.
- 6. Big Lagoon Rancheria
- 7. Big Pine Paiute Tribe
- Big Valley Band of Pomo Indians 8.
- 9. Bishop Paiute Tribe
- Blue Lake Rancheria 10.
- Buena Vista Rancheria 11.
- Cabazon Band of Mission Indians 12.
- Cachil DeHe Band of Wintun Indians of the Colusa Indian 13. Community
- Cahto Tribe 14
- Cahuilla Band of Indians 15.
- Chemehuevi Indian Tribe 16
- Cher-Ae Heights Indian Community of the 17. Trinidad Rancheria
- Chicken Ranch Rancheria of Me-Wuk 18. Indians of California
- Colorado River Indian Tribes 19.
- Coyote Valley Band of Pomo Indians 20.
- Dry Creek Rancheria Band of Pomo Indians 21.
- 22. Elk Valley Rancheria
- Enterprise Rancheria 23.
- 24. Fort Bidwell Indian Community of the Fort Bidwell Reservation of CA

- 25. Fort Independence Indian Community of Paiute Indians of the Fort Independence Reservation
- Fort Mojave Indian Tribe 26.
- Habematolel Pomo of Upper Lake Tribe 27
- 28. Hoopa Valley Tribe
- Iipay Nation of Santa Ysabel 29.
- 30. Jamul Indian Village
- Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria 31.
- La Jolla Band of Luiseno Indians 32.
- Lone Pine Paiute-Shoshone Tribe 33.
- Los Coyotes Band of Cahuilla and Cupeño Indians 34.
- Karuk Tribe 35.
- Manchester Point Arena Band of Pomo Indians 36.
- Manzanita Band of Diegueno Mission Indians 37.
- Mechoopda Indian Tribe 38
- 39. Mesa Grande Band of Diegueno Mission Indians
- Middletown Rancheria of Pomo Indians of California 40
- Mooretown Rancheria 41.
- Morongo Band of Mission Indians 42
- North Fork Rancheria of Mono Indians of California 43.
- Pala Band of Mission Indians 44
- Pauma Band of Luiseño Indians 45
- Pechanga Band of Luiseno Indians 46.
- Picayune Rancheria of the Chukchansi Indians 47.
- Pit River Tribe 48.
- 49. Quartz Valley Indian Reservation
- 50. Quechan Tribe of the Fort Yuma Indian Reservation

- 51. Ramona Band of Cahuilla
- 52. Redding Rancheria
- 53. Resighini Rancheria
- Rincon Band of Luiseno Indians 54
- 55. Robinson Rancheria
- 56. San Manuel Band of Mission Indians
- 57. San Pasqual Band of Mission Indians
- 58. Santa Ynez Band of Chumash Indians
- 59. Scotts Valley Band of Pomo Indians
- Shingle Springs Band of Miwok Indians 60.
- 61. Soboba Band of Luiseno Indians
- 62. Susanville Indian Rancheria
- Sycuan Band of the Kumeyaay Nation
- 63.
- 64. Table Mountain Rancheria Tachi Yokut Tribe 65.
- 66. Tolowa Dee-Ni' Nation
- Torres Martinez Desert Cahuilla Indians 67.
- Tule River Tribe 68.
- 69. Tuolumne Band of Me-Wuk Indians
- Twenty-Nine Palms Band of Mission Indians 70.
- 71. Viejas Band of Kumeyaay Indians
- 72. Washoe Tribe of Nevada and California
- Wilton Rancheria 73.
- Wiyot Tribe 74.
- 75. Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation
- 76. Yurok Tribe

OPENINGS AND CLOSURES: TRIBAL CASINOS



Casino Openings (n=64

- 1. Agua Caliente Casino Palm Springs
- 2. Agua Caliente Resort Casino Spa Rancho Mirage
- 3. Augustine Casino

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- 4. Barona Valley Ranch Resort and Casino
- 5. Bear River Casino
- 6. Black Oak Casino
- 7. Blue Lake Casino
- 8. Cahuilla Casino
- 9. Casino Pauma
- 10. Cher-Ae Heights Bingo and Casino
- 11. Chicken Ranch Bingo and Casino
- 12. Chukchansi Gold Resort & Casino
- 13. Chumash Casino Resort
- 14. Colusa Casino Resort
- 15. Coyote Valley Casino
- 16. Desert Rose Casino
- 17. Diamond Mountain Casino
- 18. Eagle Mountain Casino
- 19. Elk Valley Casino
- 20. Fantasy Springs Resort and Casino
- 21. Feather Falls Casino
- 22. Garcia River Casino

- 23. Gold Country Casino and Hotel
- 24. Golden Acorn Casino
- 25. Graton Resort & Casino
- 26. Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Sacramento at Fire Mountain
- 27. Harrah's Northern California
- 28. Harrah's Resort Southern California
- 29. Havasu Landing Resort and Casino
- 30. Jackson Rancheria Casino
- 31. Jamul Casino
- 32. Konocti Vista Casino and Bingo
- 33. Lucky 7 Casino
- 34. Lucky Bear Casino
- 35. Mono Wind Casino
- 36. Morongo Casino, Resort & Spa
- 37. Paiute Palace Casino
- 38. Pala Casino Resort and Spa
- 39. Pechanga Resort and Casino
- 40. Pit River Casino
- 41. Quechan Resort Casino
- 42. Rain Rock Casino
- 43. Red Earth Casino

- 44. Red Fox Casino
- 45. Redhawk Casino
- 46. Redwood Hotel Casino
- 47. River Rock Casino
- 48. Rolling Hills Casino
- 49. Running Creek Casino
- 50. San Manuel Indian Bingo and Casino
- 51. San Pablo Lytton Casino
- 52. Sherwood Valley Casino
- 53. Soboba Casino
- 54. Spotlight 29 Casino
- 55. Sycuan Resort and Casino
- 56. Table Mountain Casino
- 57. Tachi Palace Hotel and Casino
- 58. Thunder Valley Casino Resort
- 59. Tortoise Rock Casino
- 60. Twin Pine Casino
- 61. Valley View Casino
- 62. Viejas Casino
- 63. Win-River Casino
- 64. Winnedumah Winn's Casino

Beginning in early September 2020, some Tribal early childhood education programs, such as Head Start, will begin reopening either in person, virtually, or in combination of both (i.e. hybrid program). Please check with local school districts, Tribes, or Lead Agencies for start dates.

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