Globally, COVID-19 cases have surpassed 112.2 million with more than 2.4 million deaths.

In the United States as of February 24, the total number of cases stands at 28,065,327 and deaths at 501,181.

Dear Tribal Leaders, Public Health Officials, and Indian Country Professionals, on behalf of the White House Covid Response Team, please join us for a White House Tribal Covid-19 Update on February 26th 2021 at 5:00 PM EST. Register HERE.

The California Department of Public Health has released new guidance for youth and adult recreational sports which will go into effect February 26. It shows which sports will be allowed to return to play in which tiers, based on level of contact and risk of coronavirus transmission. Read the guidance HERE.

Get notified when it’s your turn to get the COVID-19 vaccine at myturn.ca.gov.

CRIHB has launched its #CovidVaccineSavesLives campaign. The campaign includes posters, public service announcements, and informational flyers. These posters include Tribal community member from across California. You are welcome to download the posters HERE. Our COVID vaccine informational flyers can be found HERE. Our existing COVID-related PSAs can be found on our YouTube channel HERE.

COVID-19: U.S. at a Glance* (as of 2/24/21)

- Total cases: 28,065,327
- Total deaths: 501,181
- Jurisdictions reporting cases: 55 (50 states, District of Columbia, Guam, Puerto Rico, the Northern Mariana Islands, and the U.S. Virgin Islands)

*A 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.

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 (as of 2/24/21)

- Total tests reported: 327,376,516
- Positive tests reported: 29,514,223
- Percent of positive tests: 9%
CALIFORNIA

69,044 Tribal or Urban Indian Health Program patients in the California Area have been tested for COVID-19 as of 2/23/2021.

Of these, 7,291 patients have tested positive for COVID-19 and 58,239 have tested negative for COVID-19.

As of February 24, 2021, there were a total of 3,460,326 positive cases and 50,991 deaths in California.

Ages of all confirmed positive cases:
- Age 0-17: 444,547
- Age 18-49: 1,983,548
- Age 50-64: 660,785
- Age 65 and older: 369,313
- Unknown/Missing: 2,133

Lab tests reported statewide: 47,814,160

Numerous public health labs in California are testing for COVID-19 samples. Click HERE to find your nearest testing site.

INDIAN HEALTH SERVICE CALIFORNIA AREA

2
CONFIRMED CASES AND DEATHS BY COUNTY

Counties with most reported cases

- Los Angeles: 1,150,322
- San Bernardino: 280,583
- Riverside: 278,293
- San Diego: 258,293
- Orange: 244,743

Counties with most reported deaths

- Los Angeles: 20,987
- Orange: 3,848
- Riverside: 3,707
- San Diego: 3,230
- San Bernardino: 2,673

For an interactive version of this map online, click HERE.

3,460,326 Cases in California

50,991 Deaths in California

New Confirmed Cases in California by Date

- April 2020: 12,807
- January 2021: 4,965
- February 2021: 53,711

New Confirmed Deaths in California by Date

Note: Today’s death count includes a backlog of 806 deaths from LA County that were not initially recorded as COVID-19 deaths. The majority of these deaths occurred during the surge between December 3, 2020 and February 3, 2021.

As of 2/25/2021. Source: CDPH
American Indians and Alaska Natives account for 0.5% percent of the population, 0.3% of COVID-19 cases, and 0.3% of deaths in California. This includes a total of 8,770 cases and 167 deaths among American Indian and Alaska Native people in California.

California Department of Public Health has nearly complete data on race and ethnicity for COVID-19 deaths, and are reporting the following trends: Latinos, African Americans and Native Hawaiians and Pacific Islanders are dying at disproportionately higher levels.

Note: 23% of cases and 2% of deaths are of unknown race/ethnicity. As of 2/25/2021. Source: CDPH
Two sources for tracking American Indian and Alaska Native (AIAN) cases reported in California

Data from the Indian Health Service (IHS) include positive cases reported by Tribal and Urban Indian Health Programs.

Data from California Department of Public Health (CDPH) include all positive cases of AIAN diagnosed in California.

As of 2/25/2021. Source: CDPH

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

Note: Percentages may not add up to 100% due to rounding. 2% of cases and 1% of deaths are of unknown gender. As of 2/25/2021. Source: CDPH

California COVID-19 threat level: At risk of outbreak

DAILY NEW CASES

\[ 15.7 \text{ PER 100K} \]

VERY LARGE NUMBER OF NEW CASES

INFECTION RATE

\[ 0.75 \]

ACTIVE CASES ARE DECREASING

POSITIVE TEST RATE

\[ 3.7\% \]

INDICATES ADEQUATE TESTING

As of 2/25/2021. Source: COVID Act Now
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.

Number of positive cases identified by region

- GREATER LOS ANGELES
  - Positive: 56
  - Negative: 581

- INLAND DESERT
  - Positive: 2,210
  - Negative: 17,052

- DELTA AND GOLD COUNTRY
  - Positive: 761
  - Negative: 6,639

- NORTH COAST AND CASCADES
  - Positive: 2,383
  - Negative: 19,358

- SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA
  - Positive: 109
  - Negative: 676

- CENTRAL VALLEY
  - Positive: 622
  - Negative: 5,969

- CENTRAL COAST
  - Positive: 1,042
  - Negative: 7,216

As of 2/23/2021. Source: IHS
American Indian and Alaska Native (AIAN) COVID-19 cases reported by local public health departments in selected California counties

Los Angeles County*
AIAN Cases 1,924
AIAN Deaths 37
AIAN Tested 8,132

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

San Bernardino County
AIAN Cases 2,195
AIAN Deaths 13

San Diego County
AIAN Cases 745
AIAN Deaths 10
AIAN Tested 8,272

Riverside County
AIAN Cases 930
AIAN Deaths 18

Sacramento County
AIAN Cases 354
AIAN Deaths 9

San Francisco County
AIAN Cases 95
AIAN Deaths 0

Alameda County
AIAN Cases 154
AIAN Deaths na

Tribes do not need to issue a state of emergency to access FEMA resources.

Emergency Declarations (n=76)

1. Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians
2. Augustine Band of Cahuilla Indians
3. Barona Band of Mission Indians
4. Bear River Band of Rohnerville Rancheria
5. Berry Creek Rancheria of Maidu Indians of California
6. Big Lagoon Rancheria
7. Big Pine Paiute Tribe
8. Big Valley Band of Pomo Indians
9. Bishop Paiute Tribe
10. Blue Lake Rancheria
11. Buena Vista Rancheria
12. Cabazon Band of Mission Indians
13. Cachil DeHe Band of Wintun Indians of the Colusa Indian Community
14. Cahto Tribe
15. Cahuilla Band of Indians
16. Chemehuevi Indian Tribe
17. Cher-Ae Heights Indian Community of the Trinidad Rancheria
18. Chicken Ranch Rancheria of Me-Wuk Indians of California
19. Colorado River Indian Tribes
20. Coyote Valley Band of Pomo Indians
21. Dry Creek Rancheria Band of Pomo Indians
22. Elk Valley Rancheria
23. Enterprise Rancheria
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
26. Fort Mojave Indian Tribe
27. Habematolot Pomo of Upper Lake Tribe
28. Hoopa Valley Tribe
29. Ipay Nation of Santa Ysabel
30. Jamul Indian Village
31. Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria
32. Karuk Tribe
33. La Jolla Band of Luiseno Indians
34. Lone Pine Paiute-Shoshone Tribe
35. Los Coyotes Band of Cahuilla and Cupeno Indians
36. Manchester Point Arena Band of Pomo Indians
37. Manzanita Band of Diegueno Mission Indians
38. Mechoopda Indian Tribe
40. Middletown Rancheria of Pomo Indians of California
41. Moorpark Rancheria
42. Morongo Band of Mission Indians
43. North Fork Rancheria of Mono Indians of California
44. Pala Band of Mission Indians
45. Pauma Band of Luiseno Indians
46. Pechanga Band of Luiseño Indians
47. Piscayune Rancheria of the Chukchansi Indians
48. Pit River Tribe
49. Quechan Tribe of the Fort Yuma Indian Reservation
50. Ramona Band of Cahuilla
51. Redding Rancheria
52. Resighini Rancheria
53. Rincon Band of Luiseno Indians
54. Robinson Rancheria
55. Roan Valley Indian Tribes
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
60. Shingle Springs Band of Miwok Indians
61. Soboba Band of Luiseno Indians
62. Susanville Indian Rancheria
63. Sycuan Band of the Kumeyaay Nation
64. Table Mountain Rancheria
65. Tachi Yokut Tribe
66. Tolowa Dee-Ni’ Nation
67. Torres Martinez Desert Cahuilla Indians
68. Tule River Tribe
69. Tuolumne Band of Me-Wuk Indians
70. Twenty-Nine Palm Band of Mission Indians
71. Yosie Band of Kumeyaay Indians
72. Washoe Tribe of Nevada and California
73. Wilton Rancheria
74. Wiyot Tribe
75. Yoche Dehe Wintun Nation
76. Yurok Tribe

Updated 2/25/2021
OPENINGS AND CLOSURES: TRIBAL CASINOS

Casino Closures (n=2)
1. Robinson Rancheria Resort and Casino
2. Redwood Hotel Casino

Casino Openings (n=65)
1. Agua Caliente Casino Palm Springs
2. Agua Caliente Resort Casino Spa Rancho Mirage
3. Augustine Casino
4. Barona Valley Ranch Resort and Casino
5. Bear River Casino
6. Black Oak Casino
7. Blue Lake Casino
8. Cache Creek Casino Resort
9. Cahuilla Casino
10. Casino Pauma
11. Cher-Ae Heights Bingo and Casino
12. Chicken Ranch Bingo and Casino
13. Chukchansi Gold Resort & Casino
14. Chumash Casino Resort
15. Colusa Casino Resort
16. Coyote Valley Casino
17. Desert Rose Casino
18. Diamond Mountain Casino
19. Eagle Mountain Casino
20. Elk Valley Casino
21. Fantasy Springs Resort and Casino
22. Feather Falls Casino
23. Garcia River Casino
24. Gold Country Casino and Hotel
25. Golden Acorn Casino
26. Graton Resort & Casino
27. Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Sacramento at Fire Mountain
28. Harrah's Northern California
29. Harrah's Resort Southern California
30. Havasu Landing Resort and Casino
31. Hidden Oaks Casino
32. Jackson Rancheria Casino
33. Jamul Casino
34. Konocti Vista Casino and Bingo
35. Lucky 7 Casino
36. Lucky Bear Casino
37. Mono Wind Casino
38. Morongo Casino, Resort & Spa
39. Paiute Palace Casino
40. Pala Casino Resort and Spa
41. Pechanga Resort and Casino
42. Pit River Casino
43. Quechan Resort Casino
44. Rain Rock Casino
45. Red Earth Casino
46. Red Fox Casino
47. Redhawk Casino
48. River Rock Casino
49. Rolling Hills Casino
50. Running Creek Casino
51. San Manuel Indian Bingo and Casino
52. San Pablo Lytton Casino
53. Sherwood Valley Casino
54. Soboba Casino
55. Spotlight 29 Casino
56. Sycuan Resort and Casino
57. Table Mountain Casino
58. Tachi Palace Hotel and Casino
59. Thunder Valley Casino Resort
60. Tortoise Rock Casino
61. Twin Pine Casino
62. Valley View Casino
63. Viejas Casino
64. Win-River Casino
65. Winnebunah Winnie Casino

Updated 2/25/2021