Globally, COVID-19 cases have surpassed 119.4 million with more than 2.6 million deaths. In the United States, the total number of cases stands at 29,269,590 and deaths at 532,355.

If you have a medical condition or disability that increases your risk of getting sick with COVID-19, or live or work in high-risk settings, you will be eligible for vaccination starting March 15th. Find out how to check your eligibility HERE.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) has released their Morbidity and Mortality Weekly Report (MMWR) for March 10. It was found that disparities in COVID-19 incidence were substantial during January-April and generally decreased during May-December, largely because of a greater increase in incidence among White persons. The largest persistent disparities involved Native Hawaiian and Pacific Islander, American Indian or Alaska Native (AIAN), and Hispanic persons. From January 1-April 30, 2020, AIAN were 4.62 times more likely to get COVID-19 than non-Hispanic Whites. The full report is available HERE.

The National Indian Health Board (NIHB) is hosting an important All Tribes Call on COVID-19 Vaccines to open up discussion around challenges and best practices of the Covid vaccine rollout for Indian Health Service facilities and Tribal clinics. The call will take place March 19, 2021 from 3:00-4:30 PM EST. Register HERE.
INDIAN HEALTH SERVICE CALIFORNIA AREA

73,162 Tribal or Urban Indian Health Program patients in the California Area have been tested for COVID-19 as of 3/13/2021.

Of these, 7,648 patients have tested positive for COVID-19 and 61,875 have tested negative for COVID-19.
### Counties with most reported cases

- **Los Angeles**: 1,172,100
- **San Bernardino**: 283,791
- **Riverside**: 281,332
- **San Diego**: 265,468
- **Orange**: 247,656

### Counties with most reported deaths

- **Los Angeles**: 22,476
- **Orange**: 4,460
- **Riverside**: 3,845
- **San Diego**: 3,452
- **San Bernardino**: 3,996

**As of 3/15/2021. Source: CDPH**
American Indians and Alaska Natives account for 0.5% percent of the population, 0.3% of COVID-19 cases, and 0.4% of deaths in California. This includes a total of 9,262 cases and 192 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.
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.

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

- % Cases
- % Deaths

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<td>Age 65+ (16%)</td>
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Note: Percentages may not add up to 100% due to rounding. 2% of cases and 1% of deaths are of unknown gender. As of 3/15/2021. Source: CDPH

California COVID-19 threat level: Medium risk

**DAILY NEW CASES**
- 8.5 PER 100K
- COVID NOT CONTAINED, BUT AT LOW LEVELS

**INFECTION RATE**
- 0.82
- ACTIVE CASES ARE DECREASING

**POSITIVE TEST RATE**
- 2.2%
- INDICATES WIDESPREAD TESTING

As of 3/15/2021. Source: COVID Act Now
California Department of Public Health reports COVID-19 data on American Indian and Alaska Native (AIAN) people that only identify in one racial category. Below is a comparison using CDC’s data on AIAN cases and deaths in California by racial classification, using a more restrictive definition (AIAN alone) versus a more comprehensive definition (AIAN in combination with other races/ethnicities).

### Positive COVID-19 cases among AIAN people in California by Age Group and Gender

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### Cases and Deaths

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<td>AIAN alone</td>
<td>4,968</td>
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<td>AIAN in combination</td>
<td>22,021</td>
<td>348</td>
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As of 3/1/2021. 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.

Number of positive cases identified by region

**GREATER LOS ANGELES**
- Positive: 58
- Negative: 595

**INLAND DESERT**
- Positive: 2,327
- Negative: 18,061

**DELTA AND GOLD COUNTRY**
- Positive: 781
- Negative: 6,907

**CENTRAL COAST**
- Positive: 1,067
- Negative: 7,528

**CENTRAL VALLEY**
- Positive: 640
- Negative: 6,357

**NORTH COAST AND CASCADES**
- Positive: 2,524
- Negative: 20,076

**SAN FRANCISCO BAY AREA**
- Positive: 115
- Negative: 685

**As of 3/10/2021. Source: IHS**
Two sources for tracking American Indian and Alaska Native (AIAN) vaccinations administered in California

Data from California Department of Public Health (CDPH) does not include vaccines administered by Federal entities such as Indian Health Service, Department of Defense, U.S. Federal Bureau of Prisons, and Veterans Affairs.

12,172,948
Administered

15,702,230
Delivered

As of 3/15/2021. Source: CDPH

Racial distribution of people with at least one dose of vaccine administered in California

Note: “Other” means those who don’t fall under any race or ethnicity. “Unknown” includes those who declined to state or whose race and ethnicity information is missing. As of 3/15/2021. Source: CDPH

Data from the Indian Health Service (IHS) shows the total number of vaccine doses (Pfizer, Moderna, and Johnson & Johnson/Janssen) distributed and administered by IHS Area to date

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As of 3/8/2021. 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 1,925
AIAN Deaths 42
AIAN Tested 8,381

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

San Bernardino County
AIAN Cases 2,253
AIAN Deaths 19

San Diego County
AIAN Cases 784
AIAN Deaths 13
AIAN Tested 8,272

Riverside County
AIAN Cases 951
AIAN Deaths 24

Sacramento County
AIAN Cases 363
AIAN Deaths 9

San Francisco County
AIAN Cases 96
AIAN Deaths 0

Alameda County
AIAN Cases 163
AIAN Deaths na

TRIBAL STATE OF EMERGENCY AND SHELTER IN PLACE DECLARATIONS

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. Habematol Pomo of Upper Lake Tribe
28. Hoopa Valley Tribe
29. Ipai 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 Luiseño Indians
34. Lone Pine Paiute-Shoshone Tribe
35. Los Coyotes Band of Cahuilla and Cupëno 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. Palu Band of Mission Indians
45. Pauma Band of Luiseño Indians
46. Pechanga Band of Luiseño Indians
47. Pикayune 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 Luiseño Indians
54. Robinson Rancheria
55. Round 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 Luiseño 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 Palms Band of Mission Indians
71. Viejas 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

Tribes Issuing Shelter in Place Order
28. Hoopa Valley Tribe
74. Wiyot Tribe

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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. Winnebago Winns Casino

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