

HIGHLIGHTS

Globally, COVID-19 cases have surpassed 332.6 million with more than 5.5 million deaths.

In the United States, the total number of cases stands at 67,903,759 and deaths at 853,230.

The California Department of Public Health has updated its guidance regarding “mega events”. The new guidelines lowered the threshold for indoor mega events to 500 attendees and outdoor mega event to 5,000 attendees. Proof of vaccination or a negative COVID-19 test is required to attend indoor mega events and is recommended to attend outdoor mega events. Read the updated guidance [HERE](#).

The fast-moving omicron variant may cause less severe disease on average, but COVID-19 deaths in the U.S. are climbing and modelers forecast 50,000 to 300,000 more Americans could die by the time the wave subsides in mid-March. The seven-day rolling average for daily new COVID-19 deaths in the U.S. has been trending upward since mid-November, reaching nearly 1,700 on Jan. 17 — still below the peak of 3,300 in January 2021. COVID-19 deaths among nursing home residents started rising slightly two weeks ago, although still at a rate 10 times less than last year before most residents were vaccinated. Despite signs omicron causes milder disease on average, the unprecedented level of infection spreading through the country, with cases still soaring in many states, means many vulnerable people will become severely sick. Read the full article [HERE](#).

A day ahead of the scheduled rollout of free COVID-19 tests distributed by the Biden administration, some Americans are already placing orders for their free deliveries through a form posted by the U.S. Postal Service. Every household is eligible to order four rapid antigen COVID-19 tests for free, to be delivered by the Postal Service, which will begin shipping tests in late January. The White House also says it plans to launch a hotline that will allow Americans to order their own tests over the phone, if they have difficulty ordering on the website. Order your tests [HERE](#).

UNITED STATES

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

- Total cases: 67,903,759
- Total deaths: 853,230
- 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.

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

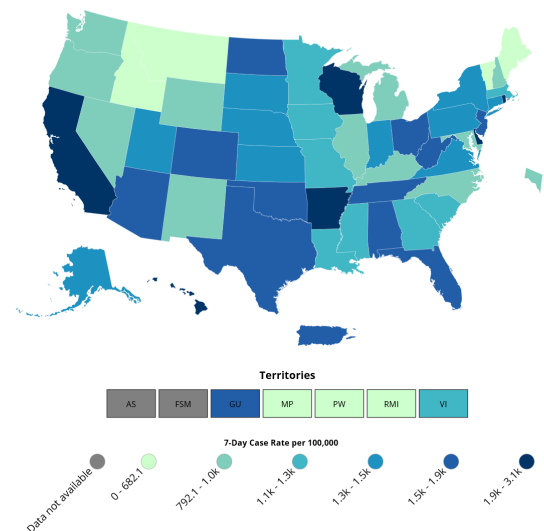
A probable case or death is defined by:

- meeting clinical criteria AND epidemiologic evidence with no confirmatory laboratory testing performed for COVID-19; or
 - meeting presumptive laboratory evidence AND either clinical criteria OR epidemiologic evidence; or
 - meeting vital records criteria with no confirmatory laboratory testing performed for COVID-19.
- 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: 756,112,717
- Positive tests reported: 67,005,369
- Percent of positive tests (7-day): 27.6%

US COVID-19 7-Day Case Rate per 100,000, by State/Territory



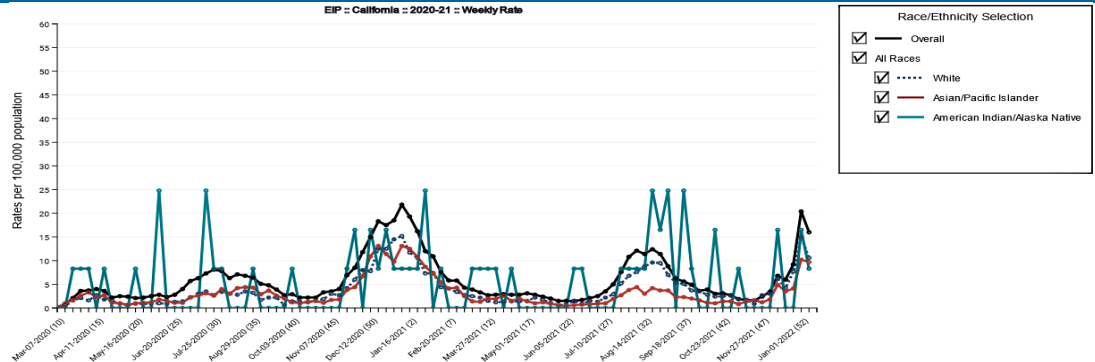


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COVID-19 HOSPITALIZATION BY RACE/ETHNICITY, CALIFORNIA

For the week ending on January 8, 2022, the graph to the right shows that the hospitalization rate among AIAN statewide was 8.3 per 100,000 (vs. 10.6 per 100,000 among Whites).



COVID-19 CASES BY INDIAN HEALTH SERVICES AREA

	NEGATIVE CASES	POSITIVE CASES	TESTED
ALASKA	778,943	32,657	929,293
ALBUQUERQUE	100,312	11,196	131,089
BEMIDJI	238,288	22,895	262,030
BILLINGS	125,035	10,767	139,959
CALIFORNIA	125,357	14,601	146,528
GREAT PLAINS	194,597	20,518	215,882
NASHVILLE	121,984	13,383	138,957
NAVAJO	303,175	54,099	420,041
OKLAHOMA CITY	757,432	121,481	892,725
PHOENIX	225,968	36,758	264,194
PORTLAND	181,379	15,331	197,408
TUCSON	54,578	5,578	60,264

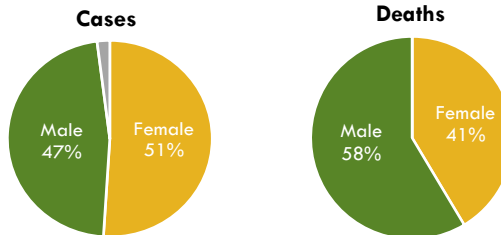
*as of 1/16/2022

CALIFORNIA

As of January 19, 2022, there were a total of 6,910,991 positive cases and 77,345 deaths in California.

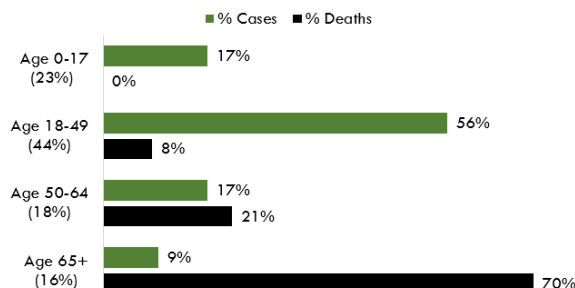
Confirmed positive cases by gender:

- Female: 3,524,605
- Male: 3,248,166
- Unknown: 138,220



Confirmed positive cases by age:

- Age 0-17: 1,174,868 (23%)
- Age 18-49: 3,870,155 (44%)
- Age 50-64: 1,174,868 (18%)
- Age 65 and older: 621,989 (16%)





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California COVID-19 threat level: **VERY HIGH**

DAILY NEW CASES

277.4 PER 100K

COVID-19 NOT CONTAINED AND DAILY NEW CASES ARE AT SEVERE LEVELS

INFECTION RATE

1.24

COVID-19 IS STILL SPREADING, BUT AT MEDIUM LEVELS

POSITIVE TEST RATE

23.6%

INDICATES VERY HIGH TESTING POSITIVITY

Lab tests reported statewide*: 129,980,066 7-day test positivity rate*: 20.9% *as of 1/18/22

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

COVID-19 VARIANTS OF CONCERN, CALIFORNIA

As of January 5, 349,078 samples have been sequenced in California. In December 2021, 5% of cases in California have been sequenced so far. In November 2021, 24% and October 2021, 20% of cases in California were sequenced. The table below shows the percent of specimens sequenced that are variants of concern or variants of interest statewide.

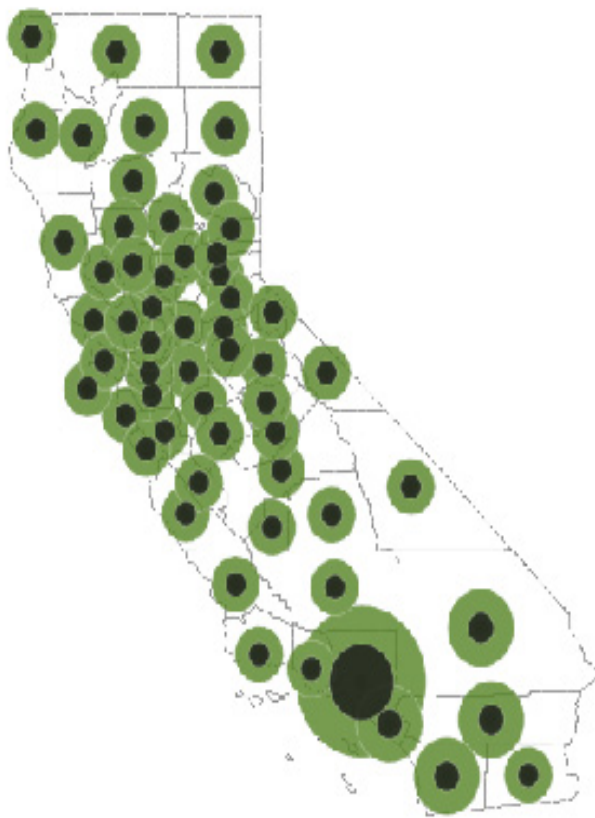
Week Ending	Alpha	Beta	Gamma	Delta	Epsilon	Lambda	Mu	Omicron
1/5/22	2.2%	0.0%	0.0%	6.5%	0.0%	0.0%	0.0%	91.3%

INDIAN HEALTH SERVICE CALIFORNIA AREA

146,528 Tribal or Urban Indian Health Program patients in the California Area have been tested for COVID-19 as of 1/16/2022.

Of these, 14,601 patients have tested positive for COVID-19 and 125,357 have tested negative for COVID-19. The 7-day rolling average positivity rate is 22.8%.

CONFIRMED CASES AND DEATHS BY COUNTY, CALIFORNIA



Counties with most reported cases

Los Angeles	2,227,360
San Diego	605,137
Riverside	497,278
San Bernardino	483,753
Orange	461,324

Counties with most reported deaths

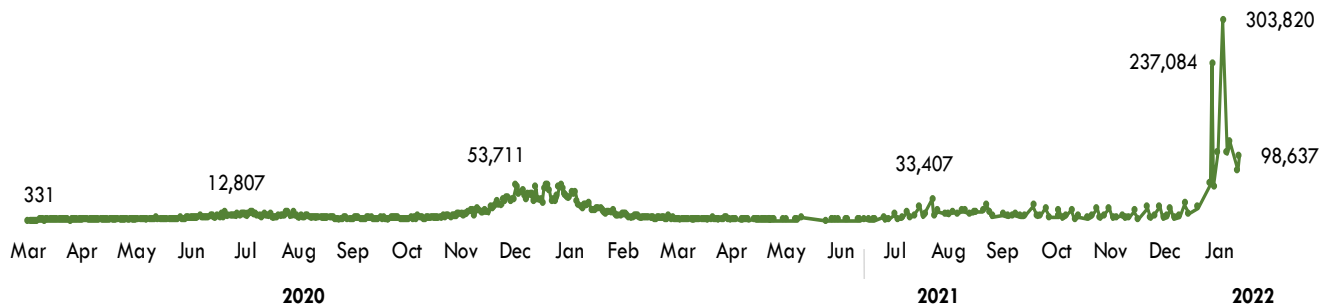
Los Angeles	27,871
San Bernardino	6,258
Orange	5,938
Riverside	5,599
San Diego	4,547

As of 1/19/2022. Source: CDPH

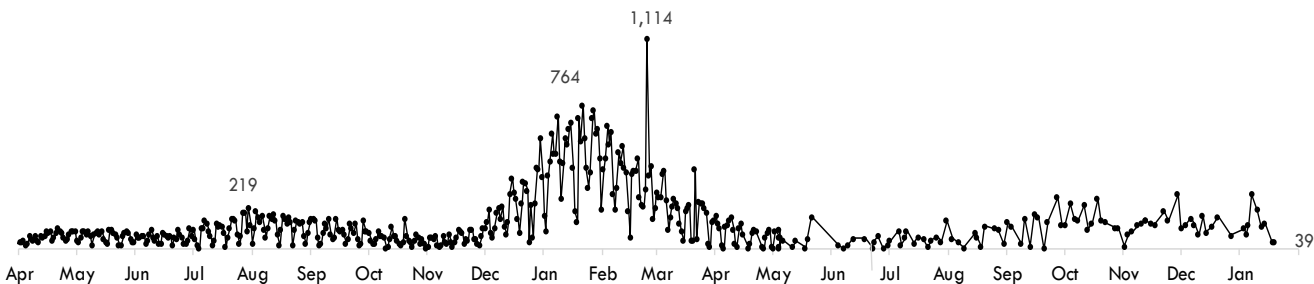
6,910,991 Cases
in California

77,345 Deaths
in California

New Confirmed Cases in California by Date



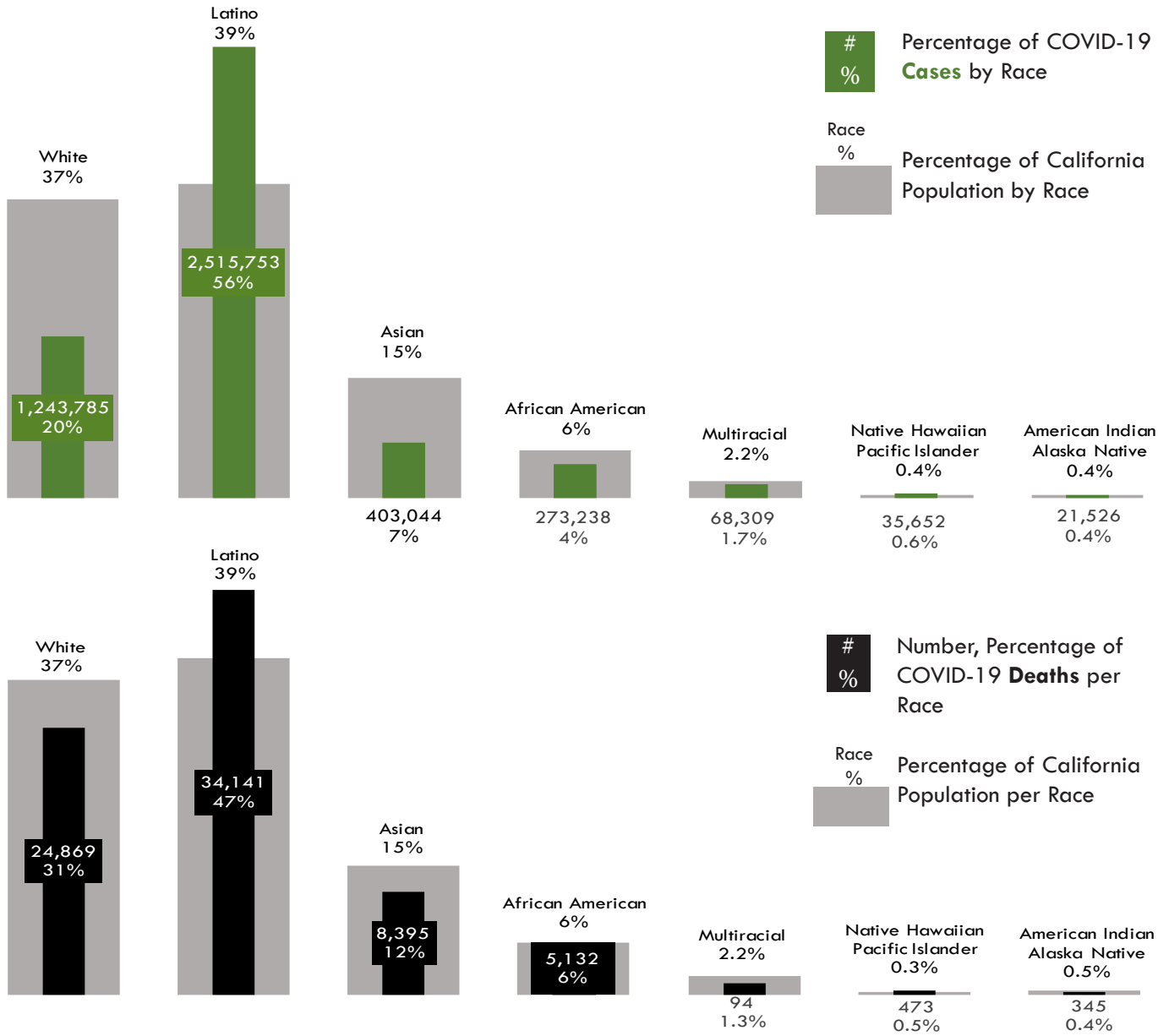
New Confirmed Deaths in California by Date



As of 1/19/2022. Source: CDPH

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

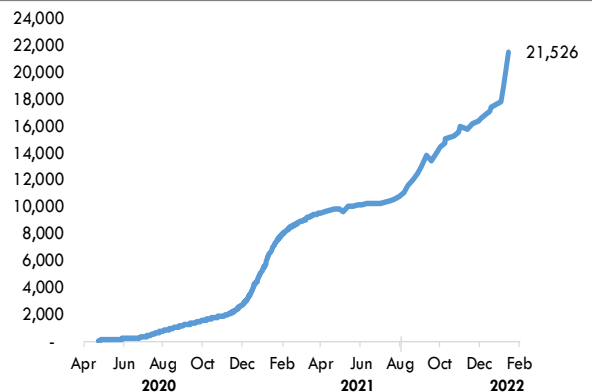
American Indians and Alaska Natives account for 0.5% percent of the population, **0.4% of COVID-19 cases**, and **0.4% of deaths** in California. This includes a total of **21,526 cases** and **345 deaths** among American Indian and Alaska Native people in California.



Note: 10% of cases and 1% of deaths are of unknown race/ethnicity. As of 1/14/2022. Source: CDPH

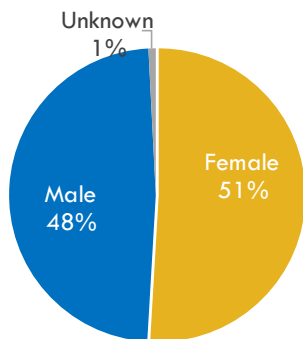
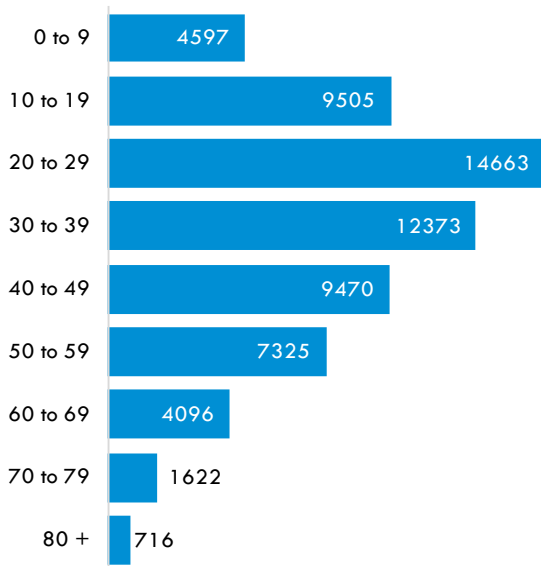
Data from [California Department of Public Health \(CDPH\)](#) include all positive cases of AIAN diagnosed in California.

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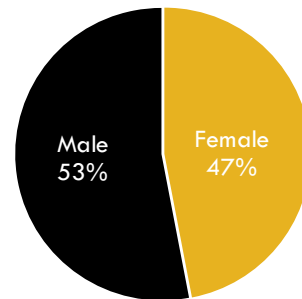
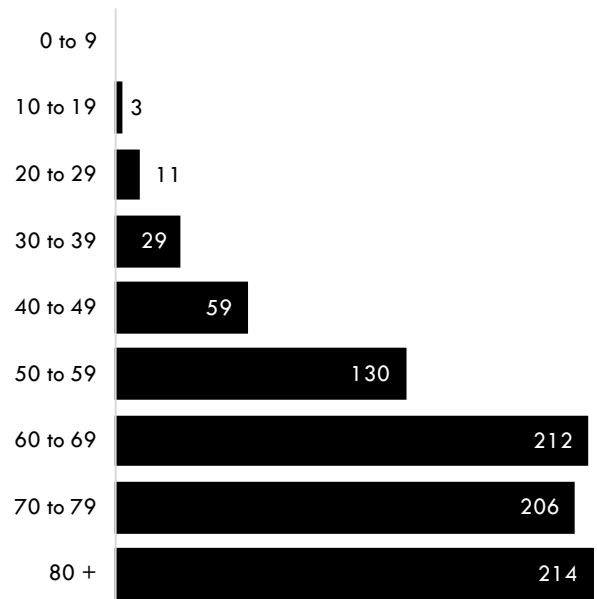


American Indian and Alaska Native (AIAN) data reported by California to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)

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



COVID-19 deaths among AIAN people in California by Age Group and Gender



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).

	Cases	Deaths
AIAN alone	19,593	401
AIAN in combination	64,367	864

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.

67,900,959

Doses administered

3,300,437

People partially vaccinated

27,262,266

People fully vaccinated



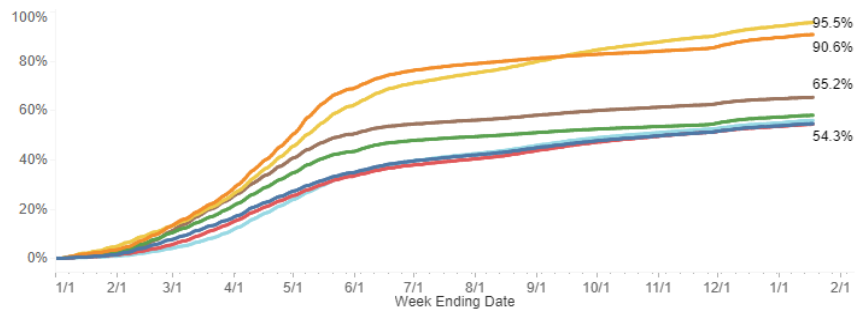
Doses administered by county of residence

Los Angeles	17,524,336
San Diego	6,087,256
Orange	5,605,366
Santa Clara	4,123,269
Alameda	3,319,831

As of 1/19/2022. Source: CDPH

Fully Vaccinated by Race/Ethnicity, California

The graph to the right shows that as of January 19, 2022, 54.5% of the eligible AIAN population statewide has been fully vaccinated (vs. 65.2% among Whites)



Note: Population estimates do not include "other" or "unknown" race and ethnicity categories, therefore their percentage of state population is not available. Some race/ethnicity groups in this county may have small populations. Where the county of residence was not reported, the county where vaccinated is used. Data is not shown where there are fewer than 11 records in a group.



Vaccination Progress by Race/Ethnicity, California.

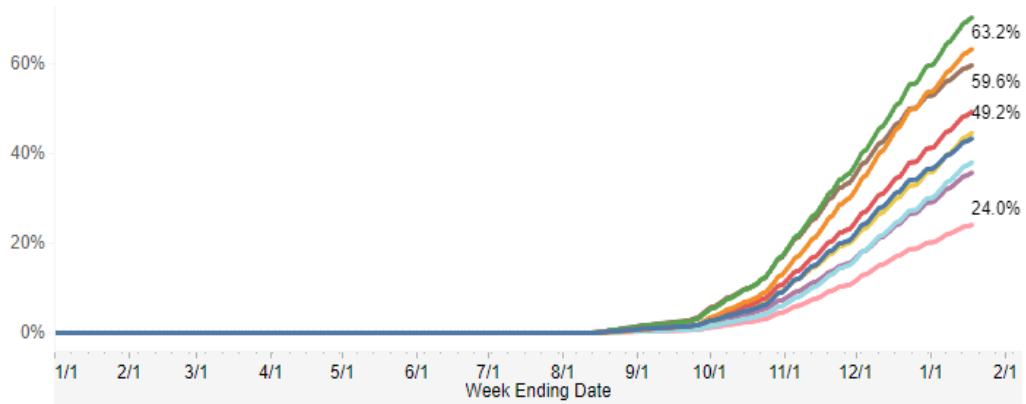
Race	Fully Vaccinated	Partially Vaccinated	Unvaccinated	Eligible Population
AIAN[^]	89,240 (54.5%)	15,732 (9.6%)	58,752 (35.9%)	163,724
Asian	4,503,504 (90.6%)	391,627 (7.9%)	73,472 (1.5%)	4,968,603
Black	1,177,305 (54.3%)	132,904 (6.1%)	859,116 (39.6%)	2,169,325
Latino	8,249,944 (55.8%)	1,158,384 (7.8%)	5,370,981 (36.3%)	14,779,309
Native Hawaiian/ Pacific Islander	130,616 (95.5%)	15,270 (11.2%)	Unknown	136,761
White	9,427,791 (65.2%)	834,013 (5.8%)	4,205,858 (29.1%)	14,467,662
Multi-Race	583,821 (57.9%)	26,642 (2.6%)	397,829 (39.5%)	1,008,292
Other [*]	2,074,361	386,325	N/A	N/A
Unknown [*]	1,025,682	339,539	N/A	N/A

*Percentage of vaccinations not available.

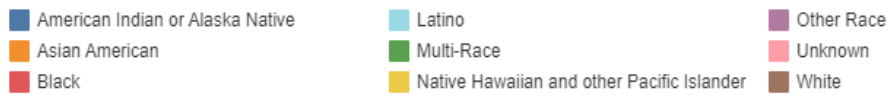
[^]Does not include doses administered by IHS

As of 1/19/2022. Source: CDPH

Booster vaccination progress over time by race/ethnicity, California



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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

Area	Total Doses Distributed	Total Doses Administered
Albuquerque	182,390	175,846
Bemidji	217,320	166,213
Billings	116,430	73,042
California	319,930	207,406
Great Plains	209,530	145,031
Nashville	143,040	102,351
Navajo	389,880	357,483
Oklahoma City	640,865	497,937
Phoenix	287,605	236,859
Portland	145,250	103,694
Tucson	15,690	11,626

*As of 1/19/2022. Source: IHS

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

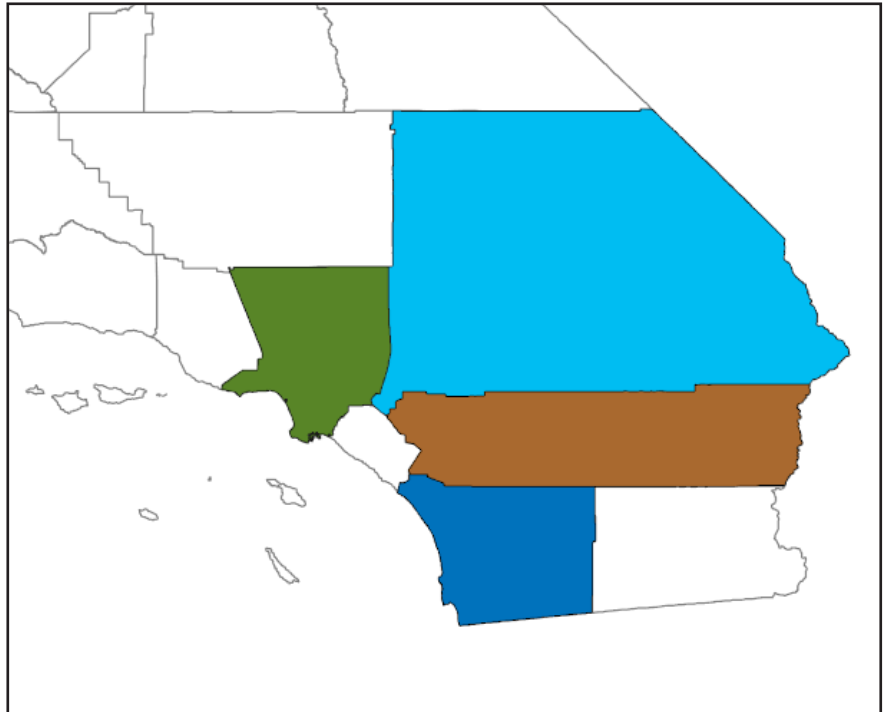
Los Angeles County*	
AIAN Cases	3,834
AIAN Deaths	63
AIAN Tested	18,078

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

San Bernardino County	
AIAN Cases	5,162
AIAN Deaths	42

San Diego County	
AIAN Cases	2,007
AIAN Deaths	21
AIAN Tested	16,438

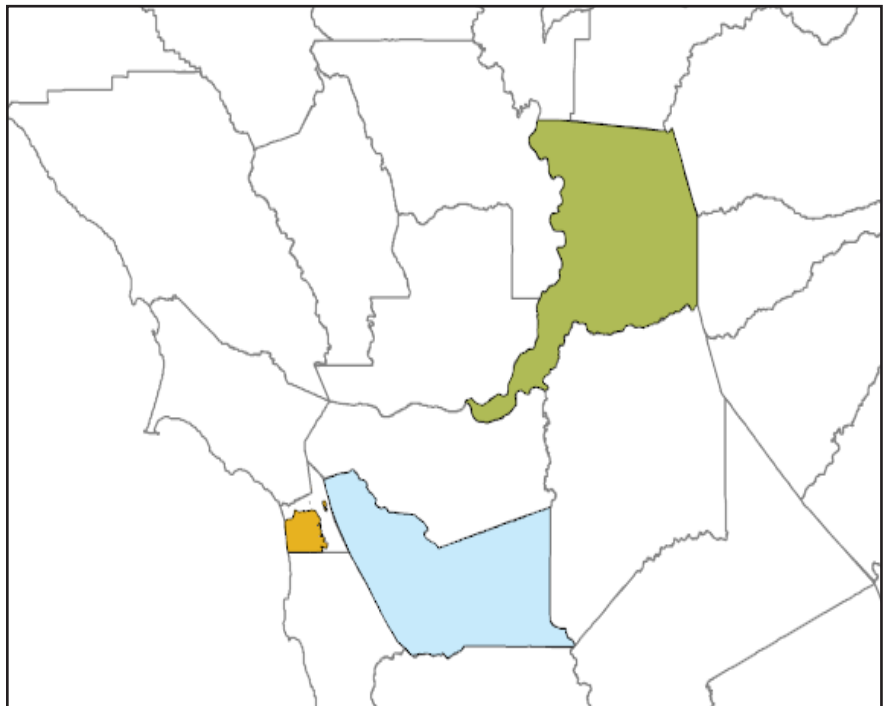
Riverside County	
AIAN Cases	1,736
AIAN Deaths	30



Sacramento County	
AIAN Cases	1,020
AIAN Deaths	17

San Francisco County	
AIAN Cases	295
AIAN Deaths	0

Alameda County	
AIAN Cases	361
AIAN Deaths	na



As of 1/19/2022. 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.