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PORTLAND, Ore. — There is one new COVID-19 related death in Oregon, raising the state's death toll to 2,155 the Oregon Health Authority reported at 12:01 a.m. today.

Oregon Health Authority reported 111 new confirmed and presumptive cases of COVID-19 as of 12:01 a.m. today bringing the state total to 152,818.

Note: Due to a server error, a large number of electronic lab results (ELR) were not processed yesterday. As a result, today's case and ELR totals are lower than usual and the total for tomorrow is expected to be higher than usual. The backlog of ELRs is currently being processed.

Vaccinations in Oregon

Today, OHA reported that 21,202 new doses of COVID-19 vaccinations were added to the state immunization registry. Of this total, 17,894 doses were administered on Feb. 20 and 3,308 were administered on previous days but were entered into the vaccine registry on Feb. 20.

Cumulative daily totals can take several days to finalize because providers have 72 hours to report doses administered and technical challenges have caused many providers to lag in their reporting. OHA has been providing technical support to vaccination sites to improve the timeliness of their data entry into the state's ALERT Immunization Information System (IIS).

Oregon has now administered a cumulative total of 802,404 first and second doses of COVID-19 vaccines. To date, 924,575 doses of vaccine have been delivered to sites across Oregon.

These data are preliminary and subject to change. OHA's [dashboards](#) provide regularly updated vaccination data, and Oregon's dashboard has been updated today.

COVID-19 hospitalizations

The number of hospitalized patients with COVID-19 across Oregon is 166, which is three more than yesterday. There are 44 COVID-19 patients in intensive care unit (ICU) beds, which is seven fewer than yesterday.

The total number of patients in hospital beds may fluctuate between report times. The numbers do not reflect admissions per day, nor the length of hospital stay. Staffing limitations are not captured in this data and may further limit bed capacity.

[More information about hospital capacity can be found here](#)

Cases and deaths

The new confirmed and presumptive COVID-19 cases reported today are in the following counties: Benton (3), Clackamas (4), Columbia (9), Coos (9), Curry (3), Deschutes (11), Douglas (21), Jackson (2), Jefferson (3), Josephine (1), Klamath (1), Lake (1), Lane (13), Lincoln (1), Linn (1), Marion (11), Multnomah (8), Polk (4), Umatilla (1), Washington (3), Yamhill (1).

Oregon's 2155th COVID-19 death is an 84-year-old man in Clackamas County who tested positive on Feb. 16 and died on Feb. 20 at Kaiser Westside Medical Center Hospital. He had underlying conditions.

County	Total Cases ¹	Total deaths ²
Baker	629	7
Benton	2252	16
Clackamas	13198	170
Clatsop	766	6
Columbia	1217	21
Coos	1356	18
Crook	765	18
Curry	397	6
Deschutes	5849	58
Douglas	2333	51
Gilliam	53	1
Grant	221	1
Harney	266	6
Hood River	1057	29
Jackson	8117	108
Jefferson	1921	27
Josephine	2267	48
Klamath	2753	54
Lake	374	6
Lane	10046	121
Lincoln	1121	19
Linn	3534	55
Malheur	3331	58
Marion	18183	280
Morrow	1031	13

Multnomah	31534	514
Polk	2981	42
Sherman	52	0
Tillamook	403	2
Umatilla	7581	80
Union	1264	19
Wallowa	142	4
Wasco	1218	25
Washington	20867	209
Wheeler	22	1
Yamhill	3717	62
Statewide	152,818	2,155

¹ This includes cases confirmed by diagnostic testing and presumptive cases. Presumptive cases are those without a positive diagnostic test who present COVID-19-like symptoms and had close contact with a confirmed case. County of residence for cases may change as new information becomes available. If changes occur, we will update our counts accordingly.

² For additional details on individuals who have died from COVID-19 in Oregon, please [refer to our press releases](#)

There is no single-day ELR table for yesterday due to the ELR processing error that occurred.

Cumulative ELRs

County	Negative ELR	Positive ELR	Total ELR	Percent Positivity
Baker	7842	1529	9371	16.32%
Benton	102100	3297	105397	3.13%
Clackamas	334789	18404	353193	5.21%
Clatsop	25893	1243	27136	4.58%
Columbia	31443	1534	32977	4.65%
Coos	29955	1379	31334	4.40%
Crook	11810	997	12807	7.78%
Curry	7909	316	8225	3.84%
Deschutes	126267	7483	133750	5.59%
Douglas	50560	1925	52485	3.67%
Gilliam	887	28	915	3.06%
Grant	3298	176	3474	5.07%
Harney	2534	207	2741	7.55%
Hood River	24700	1314	26014	5.05%
Jackson	159710	10217	169927	6.01%
Jefferson	14742	1629	16371	9.95%
Josephine	43145	2127	45272	4.70%
Klamath	37036	2782	39818	6.99%

Lake	2423	356	2779	12.81%
Lane	341070	11152	352222	3.17%
Lincoln	34262	2133	36395	5.86%
Linn	102629	6474	109103	5.93%
Malheur	17476	4545	22021	20.64%
Marion	253862	25502	279364	9.13%
Morrow	5393	1189	6582	18.06%
Multnomah	771133	43377	814510	5.33%
Polk	52572	3644	56216	6.48%
Sherman	1083	47	1130	4.16%
Tillamook	10930	359	11289	3.18%
Umatilla	49990	7859	57849	13.59%
Union	9775	950	10725	8.86%
Wallowa	2004	72	2076	3.47%
Wasco	26094	1277	27371	4.67%
Washington	483296	29161	512457	5.69%
Wheeler	331	20	351	5.70%
Yamhill	98413	5074	103487	4.90%
Statewide	3,277,356	199,778	3,477,134	5.75%

Learn more about COVID-19 vaccinations

To learn more about the COVID-19 vaccine situation in Oregon, visit our [webpage](#), which has a breakdown of distribution and other useful information.



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