

Klamath County Public Health

Oregon COVID-19 update August 24, 2020

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Data current as of 8/24/2020, 12:01 a.m. Updated Monday - Friday.*	
Total cases	25,155¹
Total deaths	420
Positive tests	23,859
Negative tests	498,182
Total tested	522,041

* For daily counts of cases, deaths and negative tests on weekends, please see our weekend press releases [available here](#).

¹Includes cases confirmed by diagnostic testing and presumptive cases. Presumptive cases are people without a positive diagnostic test who have COVID-19-like symptoms and close contact with a laboratory confirmed case. Antibody test results are **not** included in our data.

Age group	Cases ¹	Percent	Ever hospitalized ⁴	Deaths ²
0 to 9	1180	5%	22	0
10 to 19	2589	10%	26	0
20 to 29	5417	22%	134	1
30 to 39	4451	18%	175	4
40 to 49	4157	17%	236	7
50 to 59	3195	13%	334	24
60 to 69	2033	8%	394	70
70 to 79	1220	5%	399	109
80 and over	884	4%	302	205
Not available	29	0%	6	0
Total	25155	100%	2028	420

Sex	Cases ¹	Percent	Deaths ²	Percent
Female	13064	52%	179	43%
Male	12020	48%	241	57%
Non-binary	3	0%	0	0%
Not available	68	0%	0	0%
Total	25155	100%	420	100%

Hospitalized⁴	Cases¹	Percent
Yes	2028	8%
No	20418	81%
Not provided	2709	11%
Total	25155	100%

Hospital capacity and usage⁵	Available	Total staffed
Adult ICU beds	151	697
Adult non-ICU beds	824	4332
Pediatric NICU/PICU beds	85	322
Pediatric non-ICU beds	107	334
Ventilators	774	

COVID-19 details⁵	Patients with suspected or confirmed COVID-19	Only patients with confirmed COVID-19
Current hospitalized patients	143	98
Current patients in ICU beds	44	38
Current patients on ventilators	25	23

Testing by Oregon State Public Health Laboratory	
Specimens received at OSPHL yesterday	518
Test results released by OSPHL yesterday	818
Specimens pending at OSPHL as of 8:00 p.m. yesterday	65
Total persons tested for COVID-19 at OSPHL since 2/28/2020	20,919
<i>Total persons tested at other laboratories</i>	<i>501,122</i>
<i>Total persons tested</i>	<i>522,041</i>

County	Cases ¹	Deaths ²	Negatives ³
Baker	64	1	1313
Benton	202	6	9955
Clackamas	1833	55	48107
Clatsop	93	0	4497
Columbia	125	1	5482
Coos	99	0	4963
Crook	54	1	2156
Curry	20	0	1244
Deschutes	672	11	22790
Douglas	169	2	9704
Gilliam	4	0	236
Grant	8	0	647
Harney	11	0	663
Hood River	225	0	4253
Jackson	713	2	22885
Jefferson	448	6	4023
Josephine	151	2	8288
Klamath	225	2	8555
Lake	32	0	613
Lane	656	5	50003
Lincoln	453	11	7412
Linn	362	12	12817
Malheur	1044	16	3986
Marion	3547	75	37325
Morrow	424	3	1399
Multnomah	5718	109	111427
Polk	395	13	6581
Sherman	16	0	296
Tillamook	37	0	2430
Umatilla	2547	32	10778
Union	408	2	2821
Wallowa	21	1	791
Wasco	207	3	4178
Washington	3575	35	72172
Wheeler	0	0	147
Yamhill	597	14	13245
Total	25155	420	498182

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

³This includes cases who test negative and are not epi-linked to a confirmed case.

⁴Ever hospitalized, if available, as reported to OPERA. OPERA is the state of Oregon's electronic disease surveillance system for COVID-19. Cases are considered hospitalized if they were ever admitted to the hospital for inpatient care during their COVID-19 illness. Cases who were examined in but not admitted to a hospital may be incorrectly classified as hospitalized until interview and medical record review are complete, leading to fluctuations in the number of hospitalized COVID-19 cases.

⁵As reported to Oregon's Hospital Capacity Web System (HOSCAP). Every hospital in Oregon is asked to submit data twice daily HOSCAP. Hospital staff are asked to enter bed capacity information, by type, as well as the numbers of patients with suspected or confirmed COVID-19 illness who are currently hospitalized at the time of data entry. These data may conflict with hospitalization status in OPERA due to case reporting and investigation lags and temporary discrepancies in case classification.

Notes:

1. Because community transmission is occurring in Oregon and recommendations on [social or physical distancing](#) are in place, as of March 17, 2020, we no longer report daily counts of persons under monitoring.
2. Confirmation by CDC of laboratory results from the Oregon State Public Health Laboratory is no longer required; therefore as of March 15, 2020, we no longer note the number of CDC-confirmed cases.
3. Reporting of travel history is not available for cases reported to OHA by commercial laboratories; therefore as of March 15, 2020, we no longer include information about travel history.
4. As of March 25, 2020, we are including the number of pending test results available from the Oregon State Public Health Laboratory (OSPHL). The OSPHL serves as the first source of testing during an outbreak and as commercial labs come online, OSPHL increases focus on priority testing. Commercial labs have the ability to conduct testing on an industrial scale, but do not report pending results, therefore we only include pending results from OSPHL.
5. As of March 26, 2020, OHA is releasing a COVID-19 Daily Update (formerly called the Situational Status Report). Previous updates are posted on [OHA's COVID-19 News page](#).