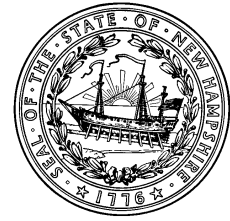


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NH DHHS COVID-19 Update – January 13, 2021

Concord, NH – The New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) has issued the following update on the new coronavirus, COVID-19.

On Wednesday, January 13, 2021, DHHS announced 1,082 new positive test results for COVID-19, for a current PCR test positivity rate of 5.4%. Today's results include 653 people who tested positive by PCR test and 429 who tested positive by antigen test. There are now 6,607 current COVID-19 cases diagnosed in New Hampshire. Of the results reported today:

- **1/3:** 58 new cases today, for an updated total of **522** cases
- **1/4:** 31 new cases today, for an updated total of **733** cases
- **1/10:** 32 new cases today, for an updated total of **894** cases
- **1/11:** 463 new cases today, for an updated total of **500** cases
- **1/12:** **498** new cases

Test results for previous days are still being processed and the total number of new positives for those days are not yet complete. Updated case counts for prior days will be reflected on the [COVID-19 interactive dashboard](#).

Several cases are still under investigation. Additional information from ongoing investigations will be incorporated into future COVID-19 updates. Of those with complete information, there are one hundred and fourteen individuals under the age of 18 and the rest are adults with 50% being female and 50% being male. The new cases reside in Hillsborough County other than Manchester and Nashua (223), Rockingham (220), Merrimack (100), Strafford (74), Cheshire (66), Grafton (46), Belknap (39), Sullivan (34), Carroll (25), and Coos (20) counties, and in the cities of Manchester (97) and Nashua (96). The county of residence is being determined for forty-two new cases.

Community-based transmission continues to occur in the State and has been identified in all counties. Of those with complete risk information, most of the cases have either had close contact with a person with a confirmed COVID-19 diagnosis or are associated with an outbreak setting.

DHHS has also announced seven additional deaths related to COVID-19. We offer our sympathies to the family and friends.

- 4 male residents of Hillsborough County, 60 years of age and older
- 1 female resident of Rockingham County, 60 years of age and older
- 2 male residents of Strafford County, 60 years of age and older

There are currently 275 individuals hospitalized with COVID-19. In New Hampshire since the start of the pandemic, there have been a total of 54,125 cases of COVID-19 diagnosed.

Current Situation in New Hampshire

New Hampshire 2019 Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) Summary Report (updated January 13, 2021, 9:00 AM)

NH Persons with COVID-19	54,125
Recovered	46,633 (86%)
Deaths Attributed to COVID-19	885 (2%)
Total Current COVID-19 Cases	6,607
Current Hospitalizations	275
Total Persons Tested at Selected Laboratories, Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) ₂	551,097
Total Persons Tested at Selected Laboratories, Antibody Laboratory Tests ₂	35,313
Persons with Specimens Submitted to NH PHL	65,122
Persons with Test Pending at NH PHL ₃	634

₁Includes specimens positive at any laboratory and those confirmed by CDC confirmatory testing.

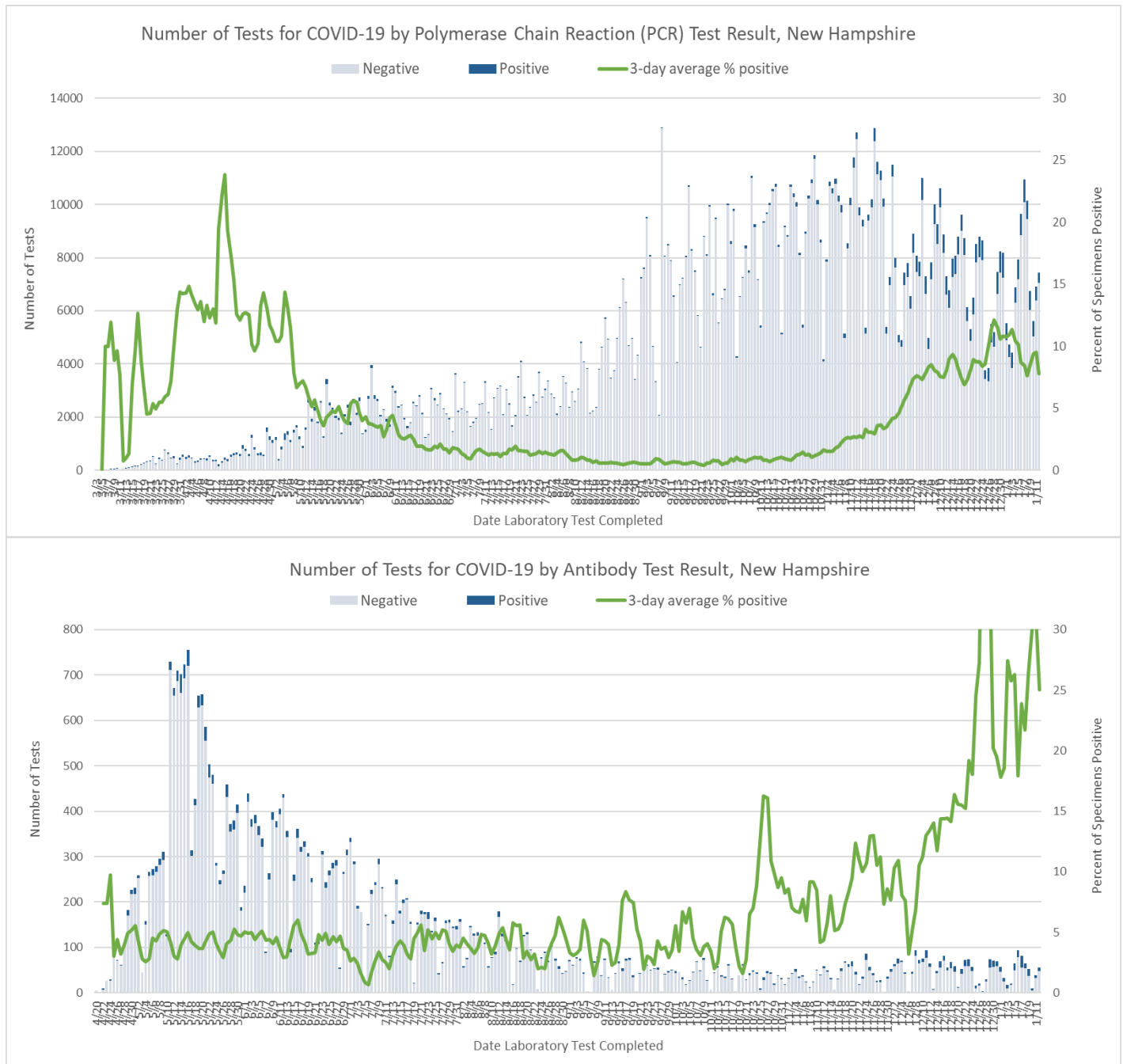
₂Includes specimens tested at the NH Public Health Laboratories (PHL), LabCorp, Quest, Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center, and those sent to CDC prior to NH PHL testing capacity.

₃Includes specimens received and awaiting testing at NH PHL. Does not include tests pending at commercial laboratories.

Number of Tests Conducted by Date of Report to NH DHHS

Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) Tests								
Testing Laboratory	1/06	1/07	1/08	1/09	1/10	1/11	1/12	Daily Average
NH Public Health Laboratories	1,015	881	911	726	674	124	673	715
LabCorp	1,152	1,521	1,590	1,648	1,823	1,721	1,015	1,496
Quest Diagnostics	694	1,079	827	1,055	1,349	1,009	726	963
Mako Medical	495	781	622	121	32	22	252	332
Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center	1,096	874	661	665	411	313	1	574
Other NH Hospital Laboratory	520	541	481	403	303	402	434	441
Other Laboratory*	3,937	4,052	4,012	2,126	1,025	1,607	3,185	2,849
University of New Hampshire**	734	1,214	1,035	0	0	1,701	1,153	834
Total	9,643	10,943	10,139	6,744	5,617	6,899	7,439	8,203
Antibody Laboratory Tests								
Testing Laboratory	1/06	1/07	1/08	1/09	1/10	1/11	1/12	Daily Average
LabCorp	32	24	11	19	3	3	0	13
Quest Diagnostics	44	33	24	30	3	6	40	26
Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center	10	7	9	4	0	5	0	5
Other Laboratory*	7	13	13	0	3	22	8	9
Total	93	77	57	53	9	36	48	53

* Includes out-of-state public health laboratories, out-of-state hospital laboratories, and other commercial laboratories not already listed in the table.
 Note: Patients who had both antibody and polymerase chain reaction (PCR) tests are accounted for in both tables.
 ** Includes tests conducted at the UNH laboratory and their contracted lab Veritas.



[NH DHHS Daily Update on COVID-19 Archive](#)

For more information, please visit the DHHS COVID-19 webpage at <https://www.nh.gov/covid19>.

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