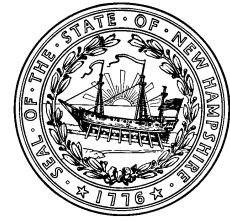


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NH DHHS COVID-19 Update – September 3, 2020

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

On Thursday, September 3, 2020, DHHS announced 41 new positive test results for COVID-19. There have now been 7,347 cases of COVID-19 diagnosed in New Hampshire. 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 four individuals under the age of 18 and the rest are adults with 54% being female and 46% being male. The new cases reside in Hillsborough County other than Manchester and Nashua (10), Merrimack (5), Strafford (5), Rockingham (4), Coos (2), Belknap (1), Carroll (1), and Cheshire (1) counties, and in the cities of Manchester (9) and Nashua (3).

No new hospitalized cases were identified for a total of 715 (10%) of 7,347 cases. Five of the new cases had no identified risk factors. 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 recently traveled, had close contact with a person with a confirmed COVID-19 diagnosis, or are associated with an outbreak setting.

Current Situation in New Hampshire

New Hampshire 2019 Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) Summary Report (data updated September 3, 2020, 9:00 AM)

NH Persons with COVID-19 ₁	7,347
Recovered	6,675 (91%)
Deaths Attributed to COVID-19	432 (6%)
Total Current COVID-19 Cases	240
Persons Who Have Been Hospitalized for COVID-19	715 (10%)
Current Hospitalizations	10
Total Persons Tested at Selected Laboratories, Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) ₂	215,875
Total Persons Tested at Selected Laboratories, Antibody Laboratory Tests ₂	29,925
Persons with Specimens Submitted to NH PHL	42,704
Persons with Test Pending at NH PHL ₃	79
Persons Being Monitored in NH (approximate point in time)	1,725

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

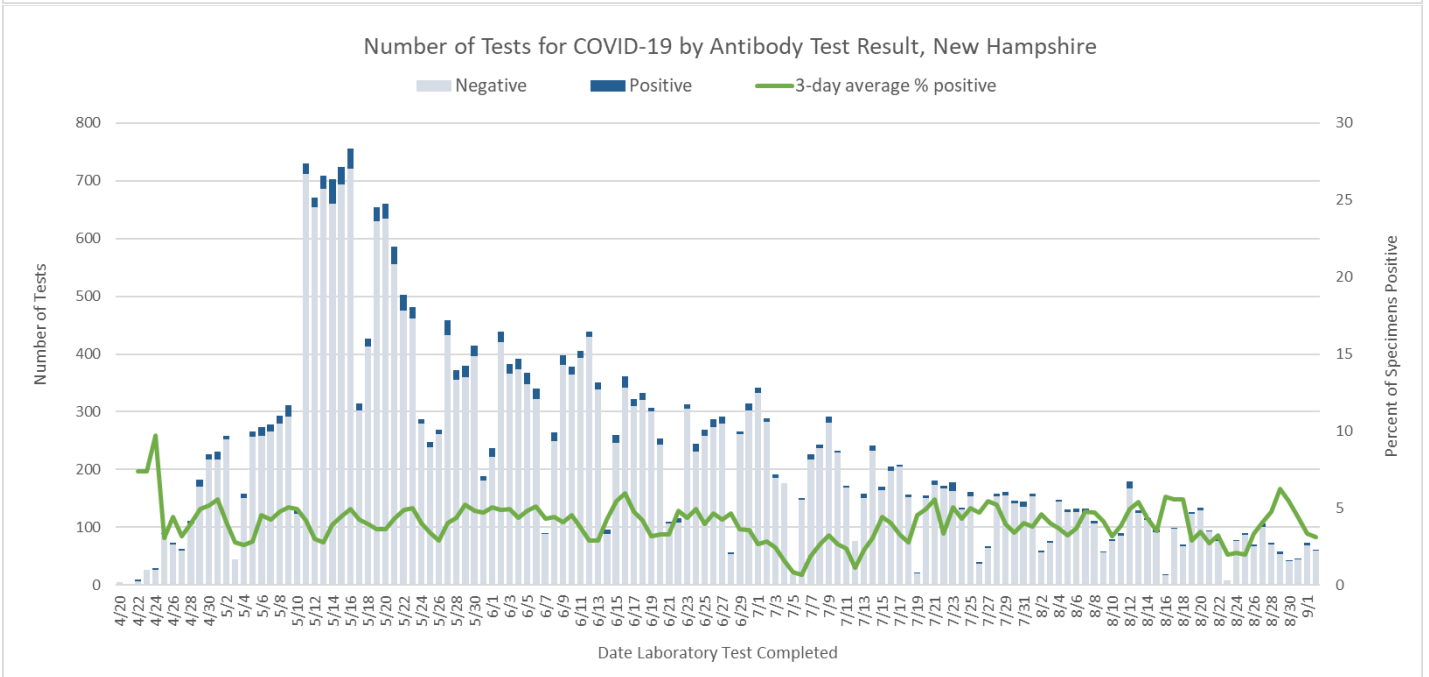
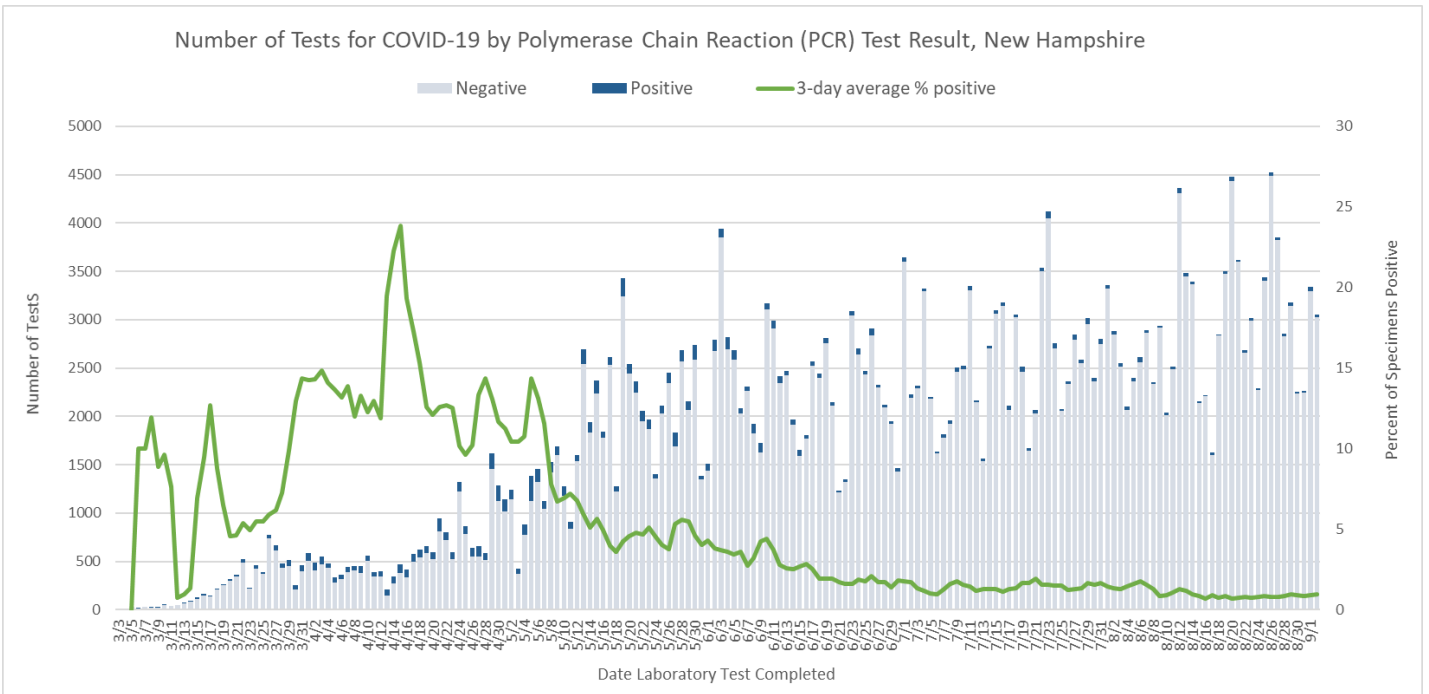
²Includes specimens tested at the NH Public Health Laboratories (PHL), LabCorp, Quest, Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center, and those sent to CDC prior to NH PHL testing capacity.

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								
	8/27	8/28	8/29	8/30	8/31	9/1	9/2	Daily Average
NH Public Health Laboratories	727	634	729	259	320	762	812	606
LabCorp	830	369	806	452	531	823	748	651
Quest Diagnostics	1,041	870	671	710	213	626	418	650
Mako Medical	19	7	0	0	0	0	0	4
Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center	704	569	486	492	340	638	613	549
Other NH Hospital Laboratory	360	305	321	181	222	315	316	289
Other Laboratory*	173	99	160	161	637	171	146	221
Total	3,854	2,853	3,173	2,255	2,263	3,335	3,053	2,969
Antibody Laboratory Tests								
	8/27	8/28	8/29	8/30	8/31	9/1	9/2	Daily Average
LabCorp	13	7	10	5	3	8	8	8
Quest Diagnostics	72	41	40	38	20	42	34	41
Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center	12	17	1	0	10	11	9	9
Other Laboratory*	7	7	4	0	11	11	8	7
Total	104	72	55	43	44	72	59	64

* Includes out-of-state public health laboratories, out-of-state hospital laboratories, and other commercial laboratories not listed in the above table.



[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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