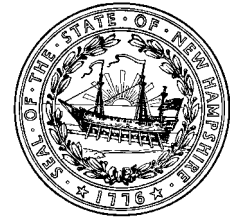


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NH DHHS COVID-19 Update – December 30, 2020

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

On Wednesday, December 30, 2020, DHHS announced 594 new positive test results for COVID-19, for a daily PCR test positivity rate of 7.4%. Today's results include 365 people who tested positive by PCR test and 229 who tested positive by antigen test. There are now 5,762 current COVID-19 cases diagnosed in New Hampshire. Of the results reported today:

- **12/23:** 92 new cases today, for an updated total of **1,208** cases
- **12/24:** 52 new cases today, for an updated total of **797** cases
- **12/26:** 9 new cases today, for an updated total of **495** cases
- **12/27:** 1 new case today, for an updated total of **538** cases
- **12/28:** 111 new cases today, for an updated total of **558** cases
- **12/29:** **329** 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 sixty-five individuals under the age of 18 and the rest are adults with 55% being female and 45% being male. The new cases reside in Rockingham (160), Merrimack (100), Hillsborough County other than Manchester and Nashua (95), Strafford (34), Carroll (26), Belknap (25), Cheshire (15), Grafton (15), Sullivan (10), and Coos (8) counties, and in the cities of Manchester (41) and Nashua (41). The county of residence is being determined for twenty-four 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 are either associated with an outbreak setting or have had close contact with a person with a confirmed COVID-19 diagnosis.

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

- 1 female resident of Belknap County, 60 years of age and older
- 1 female resident of Hillsborough County, 60 years of age and older
- 2 male residents of Hillsborough County, 60 years of age and older
- 1 male resident of Merrimack County, 60 years of age and older
- 1 male resident of Strafford County, younger than 60 years of age

There are currently 306 individuals hospitalized with COVID-19. In New Hampshire since the start of the pandemic, there have been a total of 43,242 cases of COVID-19 diagnosed with 901 (2%) of those having been hospitalized.

Current Situation in New Hampshire

New Hampshire 2019 Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) Summary Report (updated December 30, 2020, 9:00 AM)

NH Persons with COVID-19	43,242
Recovered	36,739 (85%)
Deaths Attributed to COVID-19	741 (2%)
Total Current COVID-19 Cases	5,762
Persons Who Have Been Hospitalized for COVID-19	901 (2%)
Current Hospitalizations	306
Total Persons Tested at Selected Laboratories, Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) ₂	509,326
Total Persons Tested at Selected Laboratories, Antibody Laboratory Tests ₂	34,637
Persons with Specimens Submitted to NH PHL	62,828
Persons with Test Pending at NH PHL ₃	685

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.

New Hampshire Institutions Associated with COVID-19 Outbreak (as of 12/30/2020)

Current COVID-19 Outbreaks	Resident Cases	Staff Cases	Under Investigation	Deaths
The Arbors at Bedford	24	3	0	5
Clipper Harbor/Cedar Healthcare Center	29	8	0	0
Community Bridges Concord	4	11	0	0
Country Village Center	8	6	0	1
Courville at Bedford - Carlyle Place	23	7	0	7
Crestwood Center Milford	26	11	0	3
Elms Center	26	13	0	9
Epsom Healthcare	41	20	0	3
Fairview Senior Living	61	25	0	6
Golden View Health Care Meredith	62	33	0	3
Grace House Windham	14	12	0	0
Green Mountain Treatment Center	68	38	0	0
Hanover Hill Manchester	22	11	0	3
Hanover Terrace Health and Rehabilitation Center	68	39	0	6
Harris Hill Center	12	6	0	1
Hillsborough County House of Corrections	3	0	0	0
Keystone Hall, Cynthia Day Program	17	4	0	0
Lakes Region Community Services Fairview Home	6	9	0	1
Merrimack County Jail	35	4	0	0
Merrimack County Nursing Home	27	18	0	2

Mt. Prospect Academy Seacoast Treatment & Stabilization Center	9	8	0	0
Nashua Crossings Benchmark	38	22	0	4
NH State Prison - Men's	184	58	0	1
NH Veterans' Home	93	102	0	35
Northern NH Correctional Facility – Berlin	83	22	0	0
Pines of Newmarket	28	9	0	6
Pleasant View Nursing Home	82	38	0	11
Riverside Rest Home	47	44	0	9
Secure Psychiatric Unit, NH Department of Corrections	20	8	0	0
Strafford County Jail	54	10	0	0
Warde Rehabilitation & Nursing Center	23	14	0	2
Wentworth Senior Living	7	5	0	1

Closed COVID-19 Outbreaks	Resident Cases	Staff Cases	Deaths
All American Assisted Living Londonderry (6/9/2020)	15	16	2
Aurora Assisted Living Derry 6/6/2020)	38	17	10
Bedford Falls (6/6/2020)	40	21	11
Bedford Hills Center Genesis (7/16/2020)	37	25	7
Bedford Hills Center Genesis (11/19/2020)	61	20	19
Bedford Nursing and Rehabilitation Center (7/7/2020)	62	28	17
Bellamy Fields Dover (5/16/2020)	35	13	10
Birch Hill (7/30/2020)	40	29	14
Clipper Harbor Genesis Portsmouth (5/29/2020)	0	8	0
Colonial Poplin Nursing & Rehabilitation (12/22/2020)	19	10	0
Community Bridges Belmont (6/9/2020)	2	7	0
Community Resources for Justice Transitional Housing Manchester (5/18/2020)	16	4	0
Coos County Nursing Hospital (12/30/2020)	64	71	13
Courville Manchester (6/30/2020)	15	14	6
Crestwood Center Milford (6/30/2020)	54	28	15
Crotched Mountain (4/20/2020)	3	12	1
Easterseals - Manchester (5/16/2020)	45	70	0
Evergreen Place Manchester (9/3/2020)	27	16	7
Evergreen Place Manchester (12/22/2020)	3	2	0
Greenbriar (8/21/2020)	124	34	28
Greystone Farm at Salem (6/16/2020)	9	3	0
Hackett Hill Genesis Manchester (6/5/2020)	56	16	16
Hackett Hill Genesis Manchester (12/18/2020)	1	4	0
Hanover Hill Manchester (5/26/2020)	79	60	25
Hillsborough County Nursing Home (7/27/2020)	154	55	39
Holy Cross Manchester (7/15/2020)	19	18	1
Huntington Nashua (5/8/2020)	23	19	7
Institute for Professional Practice, Inc (4/21/2020)	2	6	1
Kimi Nichols Center Plaistow (6/10/2020)	3	6	0

Maple Leaf Healthcare Center (12/18/2020)	93	70	10
Mt. Carmel Nursing and Rehabilitation Manchester (6/26/2020)	38	16	5
Mount Prospect Academy Plymouth (12/18/2020)	14	28	0
Mountain Ridge Genesis Franklin (6/18/2020)	49	21	9
Mountain View Community Ossipee (10/7/2020)	4	8	1
Oceanside Center - Genesis (12/16/2020)	44	27	11
Pine Rock Manor Warner (11/19/2020)	48	14	8
Pleasant Valley Derry (5/27/2020)	87	29	21
Prospect Woodward Home at Hillside Village Keene (12/16/2020)	14	9	1
Ridgewood Genesis Bedford (6/18/2020)	64	23	23
Ridgewood Genesis Bedford (8/12/2020)	2	9	0
Ridgewood Genesis Bedford (12/13/2020)	3	5	0
Rockingham County House of Corrections (9/13/2020)	11	1	0
St. Anne's Rehabilitation and Nursing Center Dover (12/22/2020)	17	16	0
St. Joseph's Residence Manchester (12/22/2020)	11	11	2
St. Teresa Rehabilitation and Nursing Center Manchester (12/3/2020)	31	18	9
Salem Woods (5/18/2020)	23	26	10
Salemhaven (7/9/2020)	46	15	11
Studley Home Assisted Living Facility Rochester (12/16/2020)	30	4	2
Villa Crest Manchester (7/1/2020)	54	45	15
Warde Health Center Windham (10/22/2020)	3	2	0
Woodlawn Care Center Newport (12/10/2020)	33	24	4

Number of Tests Conducted by Date of Report to NH DHHS

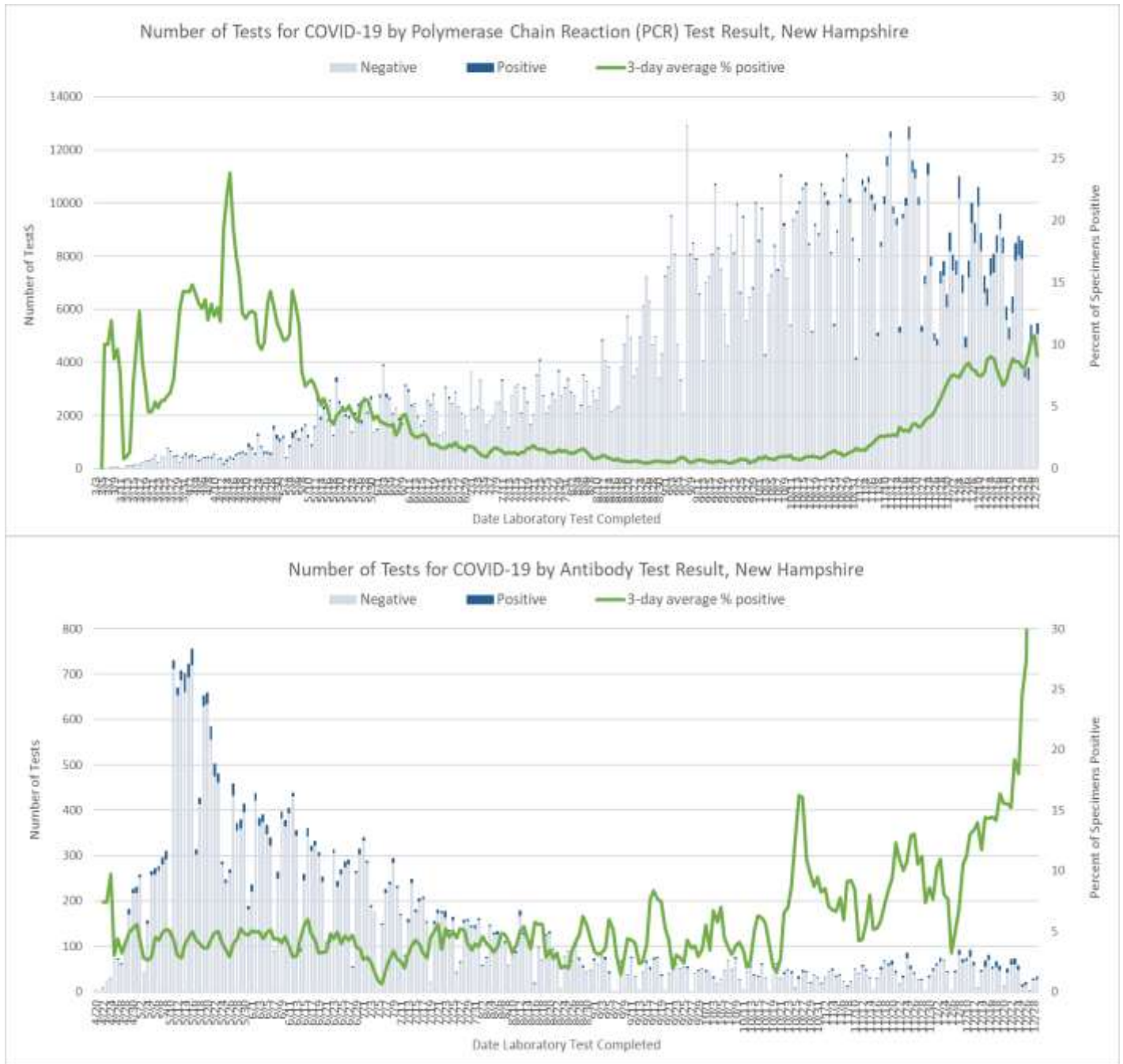
Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) Tests								
Testing Laboratory	12/23	12/24	12/25	12/26	12/27	12/28	12/29	Daily Average
NH Public Health Laboratories	1,288	1,585	0	708	529	413	574	728
LabCorp	1,360	1,652	370	607	2,341	995	1,063	1,198
Quest Diagnostics	1,324	1,425	1,412	776	1,011	430	508	984
Mako Medical	1,021	529	695	65	69	0	261	377
Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center	920	823	586	114	322	295	0	437
Other NH Hospital Laboratory	685	424	190	431	351	440	448	424
Other Laboratory*	2,156	2,160	474	1,094	796	1,286	1,543	1,358
University of New Hampshire**	13	11	0	1	0	1,206	1,070	329
Total	8,767	8,609	3,727	3,796	5,419	5,065	5,467	5,836
Antibody Laboratory Tests								
Testing Laboratory	12/23	12/24	12/25	12/26	12/27	12/28	12/29	Daily Average
LabCorp	24	18	10	1	3	0	0	8

Quest Diagnostics	26	28	2	0	0	11	24	13
Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center	6	3	0	5	0	6	0	3
Other Laboratory*	16	6	0	15	0	12	2	7
Total	72	55	12	21	3	29	26	31

* 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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