

PRESS BRIEFING 7.23.21

NEW COVID-19 GUIDANCE FROM THE LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH

MASKING

ALL PEOPLE **BOTH VACCINATED AND UNVACCINATED** SHOULD MASK INDOORS IF SIX FEET OF DISTANCING CAN'T BE MAINTAINED.

REVIEW BUSINESS ACCOMMODATIONS

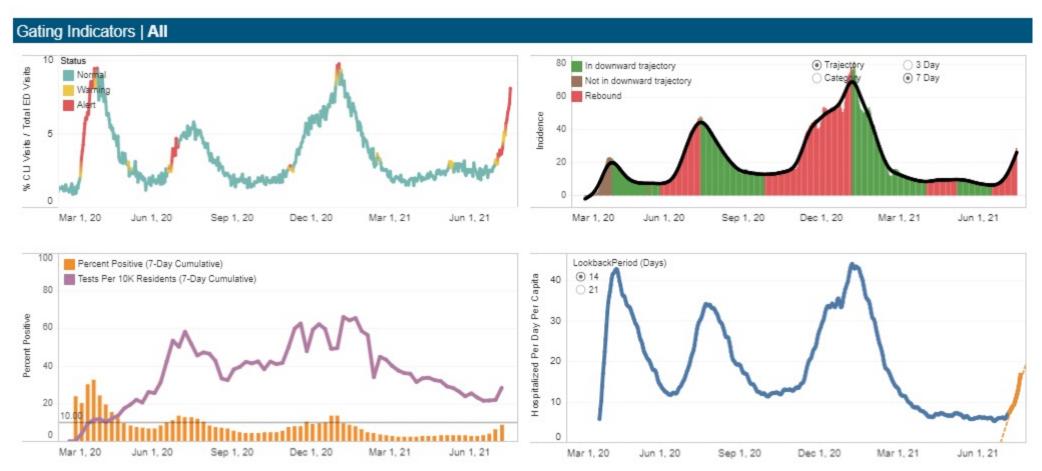
IT'S RECOMMENDED THAT BUSINESSES REVIEW ACCOMMODATIONS TO REDUCE TRANSMISSION AMONG EMPLOYEES.

AFTER EXPOSURE

ALL PEOPLE SHOULD **GET TESTED AFTER POTENTIAL EXPOSURE** AND ISOLATE IF POSITIVE. IF NEGATIVE, RETEST IN 5-7 DAYS OR AT THE ONSET OF SYMPTOMS.



White House Gating Criteria as of July 21



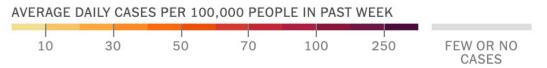


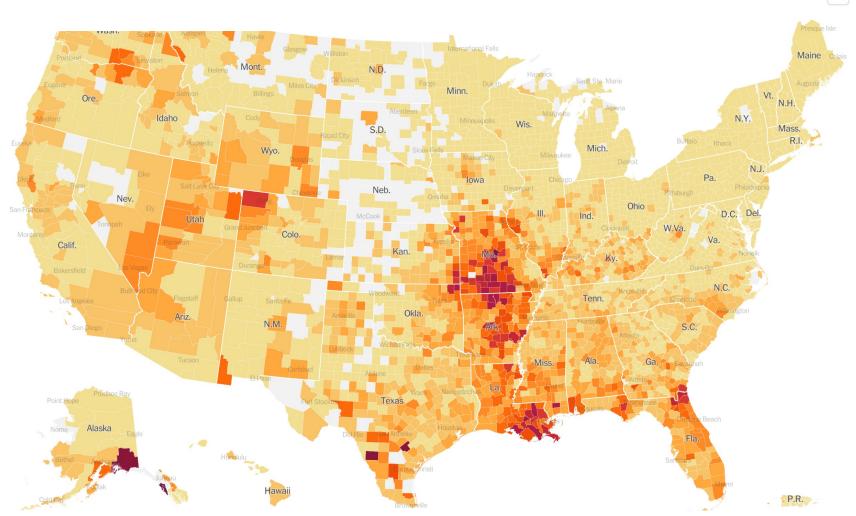


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Region	COVID-like Illness	Cases	Hospitalizations
STATE	Increasing	Increasing	Increasing
Region 1 (New Orleans)	Increasing	Increasing	Increasing
Region 2 (Baton Rouge)	Increasing	Increasing	Increasing
Region 3 (South Central)	Increasing	Increasing	Increasing
Region 4 (Acadiana)	Increasing	Increasing	Increasing
Region 5 (Southwest)	Increasing	Increasing	Increasing
Region 6 (Central)	Increasing	Increasing	Increasing
Region 7 (Shreveport/Bossier)	Increasing	Increasing	Increasing
Region 8 (Monroe)	Increasing	Increasing	Increasing
Region 9 (Northshore)	Increasing	Increasing	Increasing

Hot spots





Louisiana now has highest recent COVID case growth in USA

	CASES DAILY AVG.	PER ▼ 100,000	14-DAY CHANGE
United States	45,343	14	+180% —
Louisiana >	2,197	47	+238%
Arkansas >	1,298	43	+115%
Florida >	8,912	41	+232% -
Missouri >	2,244	37	+108%
Nevada >	830	27	+93%
Mississippi >	799	27	+230%
U.S. Virgin Islands	26	24	+143% ***
Alaska >	174	24	+283%
Utah >	745	23	+97%
Alabama >	1,133	23	+311%

92.7%

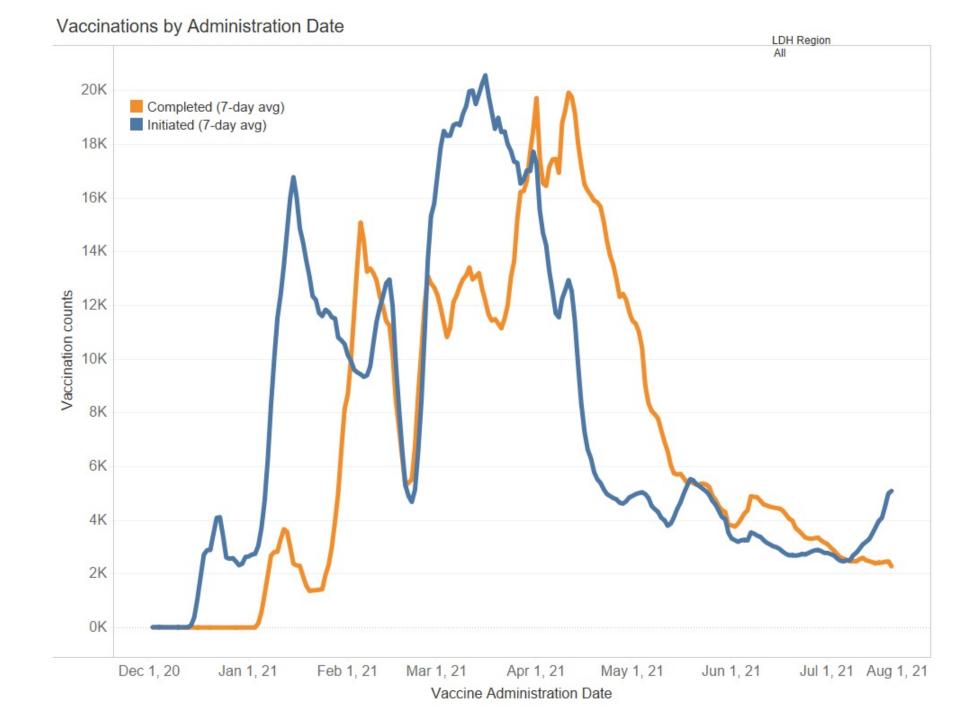
OF THE COVID-19 CASES REPORTED LAST WEEK WERE AMONG NOT FULLY VACCINATED PEOPLE

90%

OF THE 1,008 PEOPLE CURRENTLY HOSPITALIZED WITH COVID-19 IN LOUISIANA ARE NOT FULLY VACCINATED

91%

OF THE COVID-19 DEATHS REPORTED LAST WEEK WERE AMONG NOT FULLY VACCINATED PEOPLE



COVID-19 VACCINE RESOURCES—

1-855-453-0774

- SCHEDULE APPOINTMENTS
- FIND VACCINE PROVIDERS
- ASK VACCINE QUESTIONS

TEXT YOUR ZIP CODE TO

GETVAX (438829)

FIND VACCINE PROVIDERS

VISIT VACCINES.GOV

- FIND VACCINE PROVIDERS
- FIND VACCINE INFO