



District 2 Public Health

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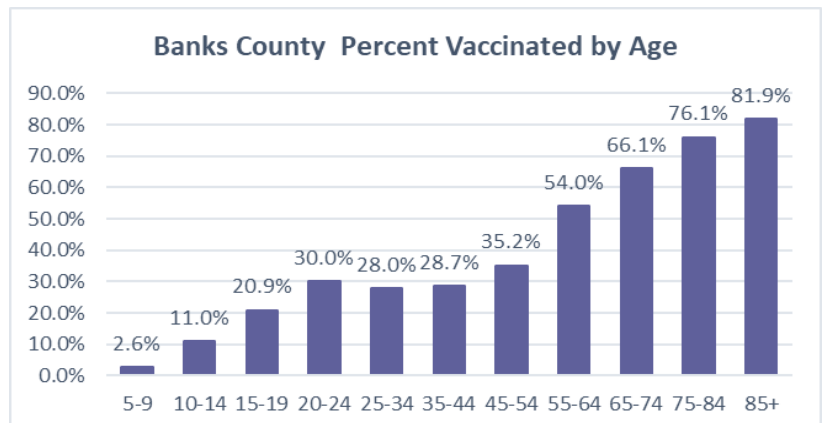
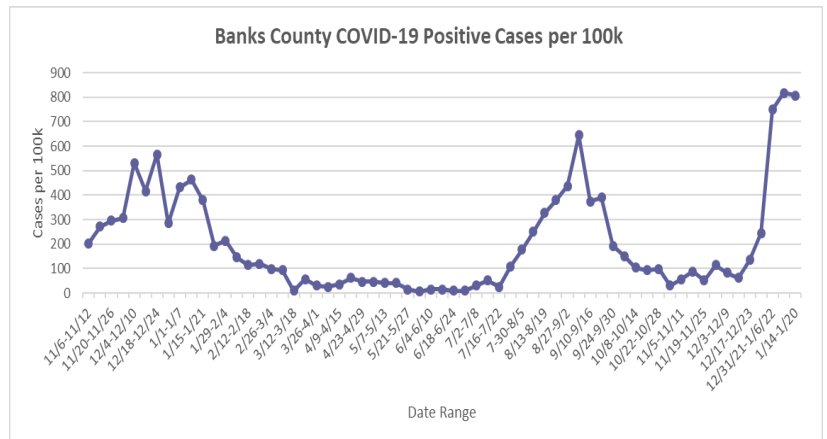
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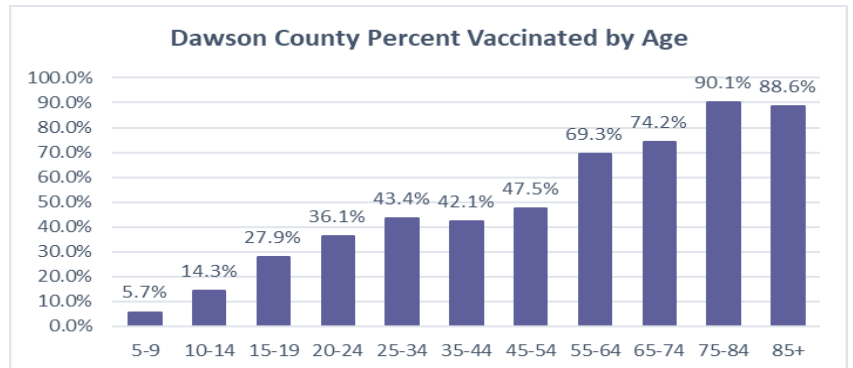
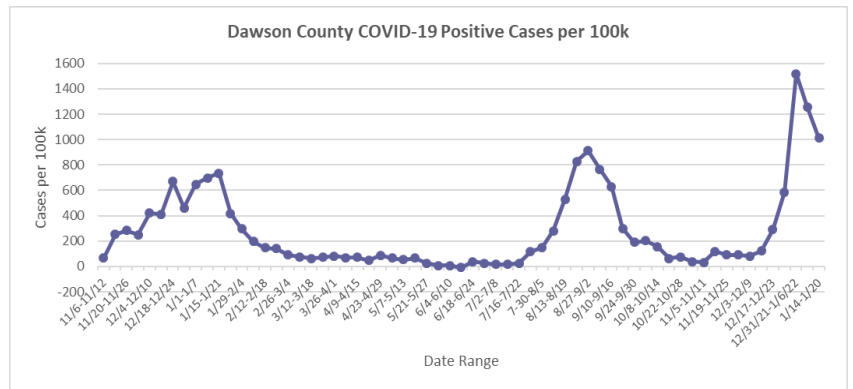
Banks County

COVID-19 Cases	
Total Positive Cases	3,060
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	1,586
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	46.5%
Total Hospitalizations	305
Total Deaths	67
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	14,163
Vaccines Administered per 100K	75,705
One Dose:	6,484 (35% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	5,884 (31% residents)



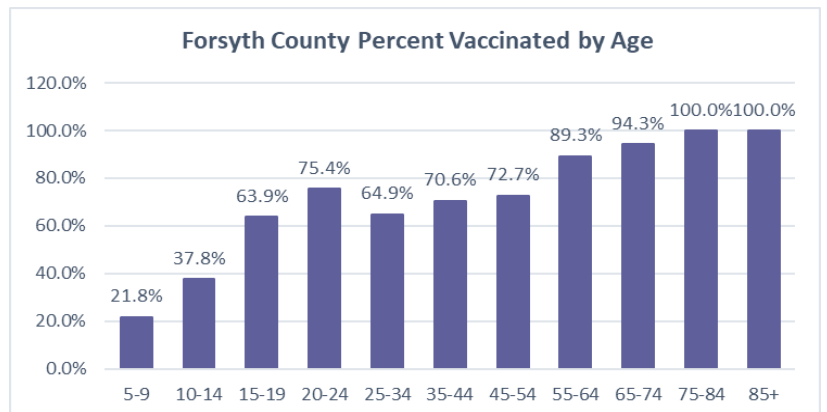
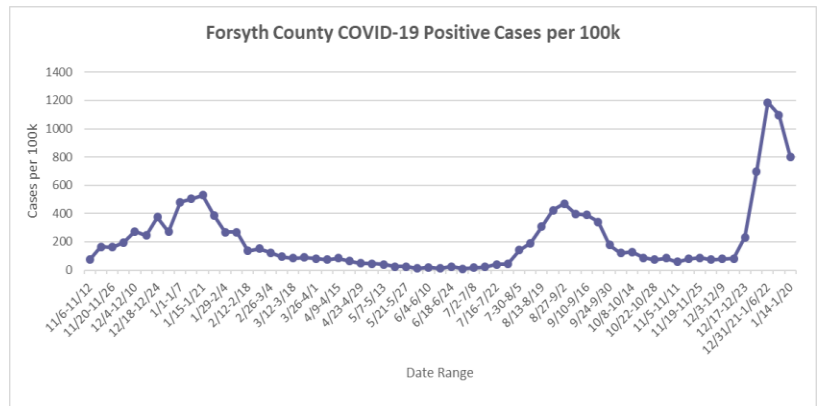
Dawson County

COVID-19 Cases	
Total Positive Cases	5,572
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	2,176
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	36.1%
Total Hospitalizations	367
Total Deaths	83
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	25,037
Vaccines Administered per 100K	102,041
One Dose:	11,189 (46% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	10,344 (42% residents)



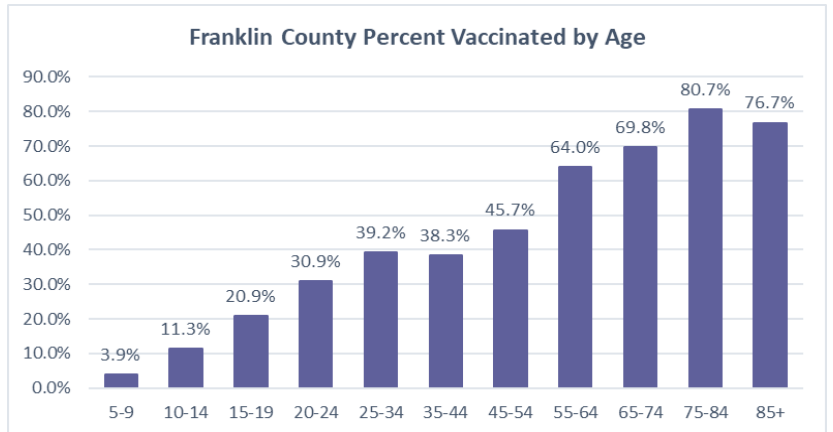
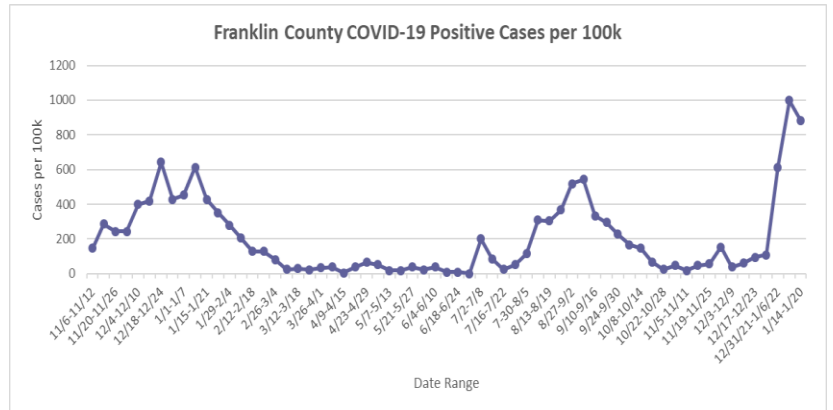
Forsyth County

COVID-19 Cases	
Total Positive Cases	38,241
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	1,751
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	32.7%
Total Hospitalizations	1,405
Total Deaths	298
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	326,743
Vaccines Administered per 100K	143,068
One Dose:	141,632 (62% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	131,733 (58% residents)



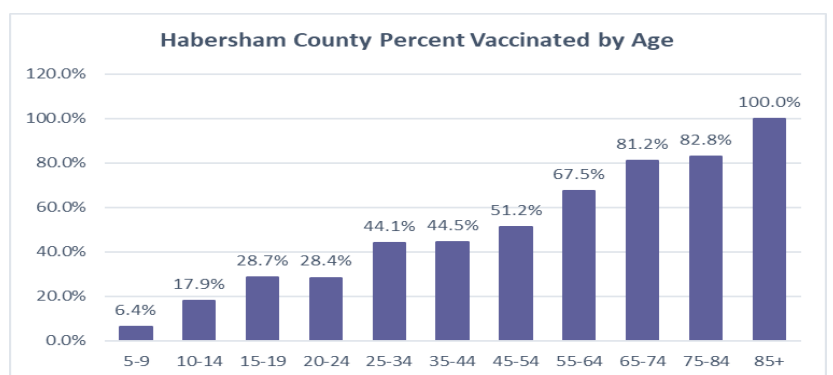
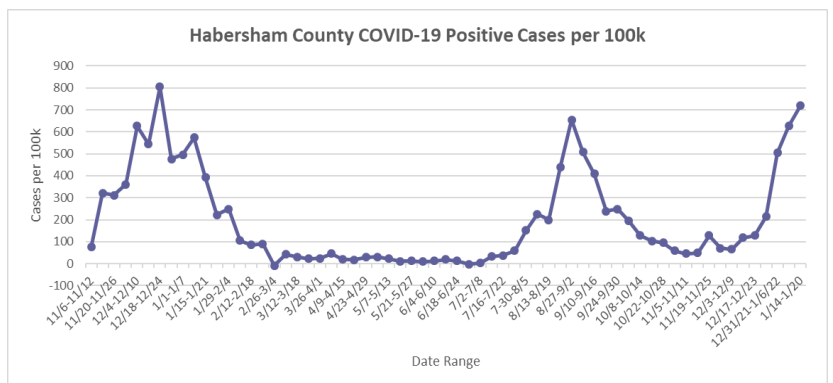
Franklin County

COVID-19 Cases	
Total Positive Cases	4,035
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	1,869
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	47.4%
Total Hospitalizations	238
Total Deaths	71
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	20,696
Vaccines Administered per 100K	90,907
One Dose:	9,438 (41% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	8,603 (38% residents)



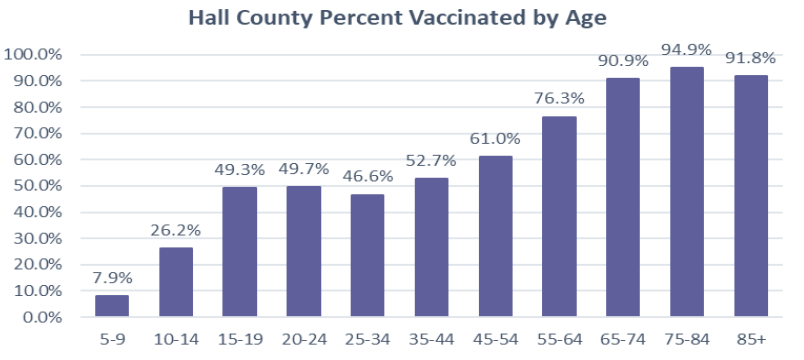
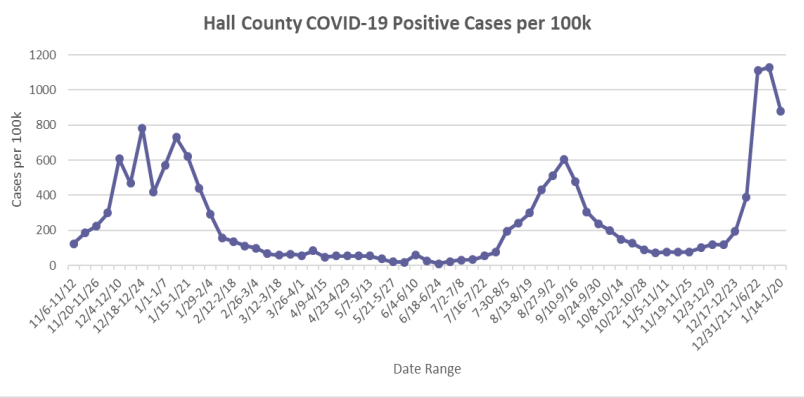
Habersham County

COVID-19 Cases	
Total Positive Cases	7,675
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	1,356
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	41.2%
Total Hospitalizations	666
Total Deaths	208
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	44,890
Vaccines Administered per 100K	100,591
One Dose:	20,480 (46% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	18,707 (42% residents)



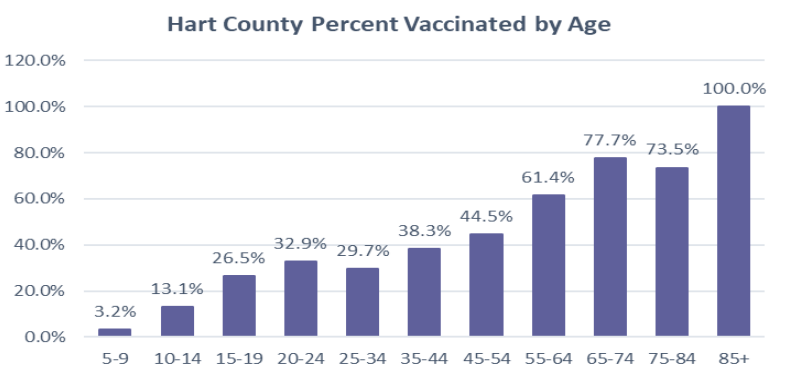
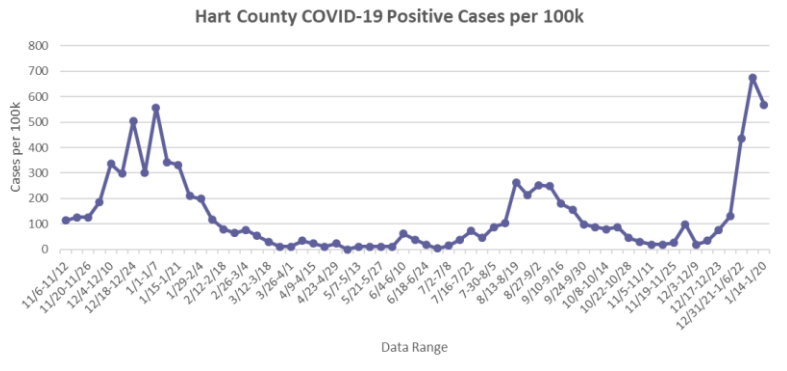
Hall County

COVID-19 Cases	
Total Positive Cases	43,150
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	1,893
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	40.0%
Total Hospitalizations	3,327
Total Deaths	679
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	224,601
Vaccines Administered per 100K	113,054
One Dose:	102,118 (51% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	93,350 (47% residents)



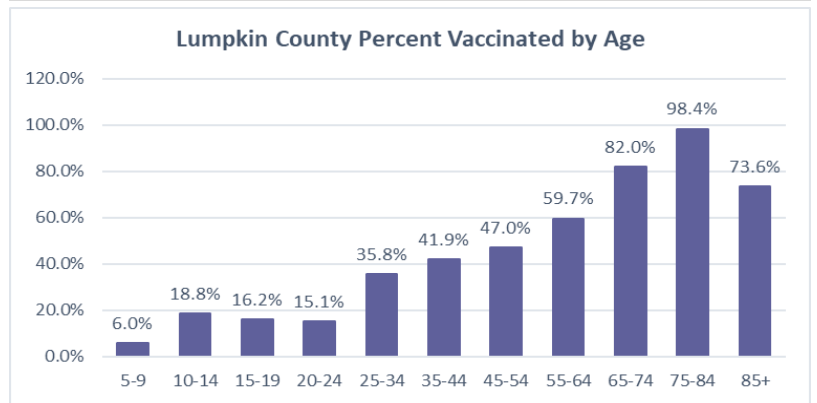
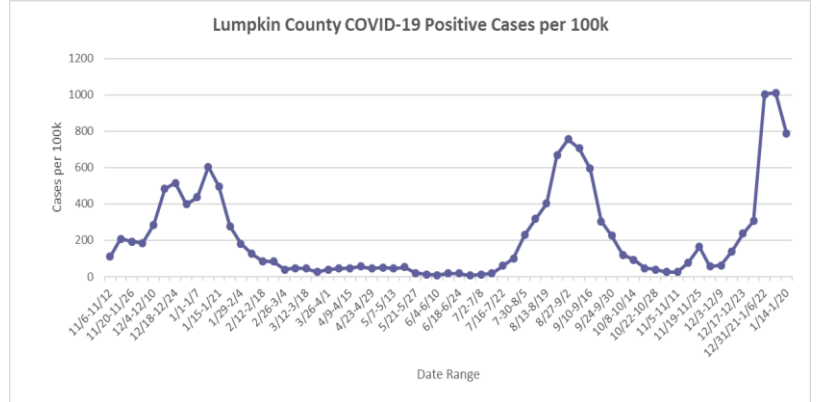
Hart County

COVID-19 Cases	
Total Positive Cases	2,887
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	1,249
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	41.5%
Total Hospitalizations	176
Total Deaths	50
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	24,827
Vaccines Administered per 100K	96,329
One Dose:	11,083 (43% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	10,125 (39% residents)



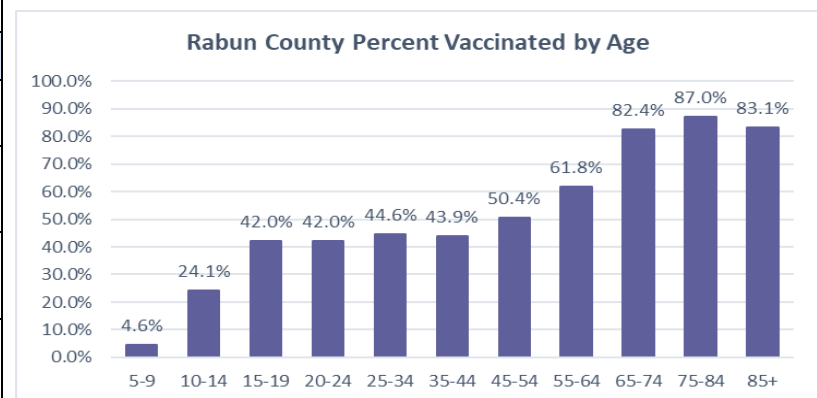
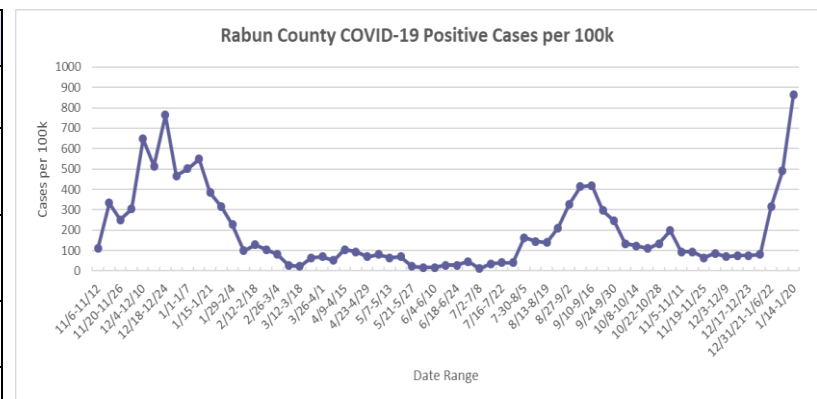
Lumpkin County

COVID-19 Cases	
Total Positive Cases	5,809
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	1,840
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	39.3%
Total Hospitalizations	447
Total Deaths	94
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	29,383
Vaccines Administered per 100K	90,682
One Dose:	12,996 (40% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	11,983 (37% residents)



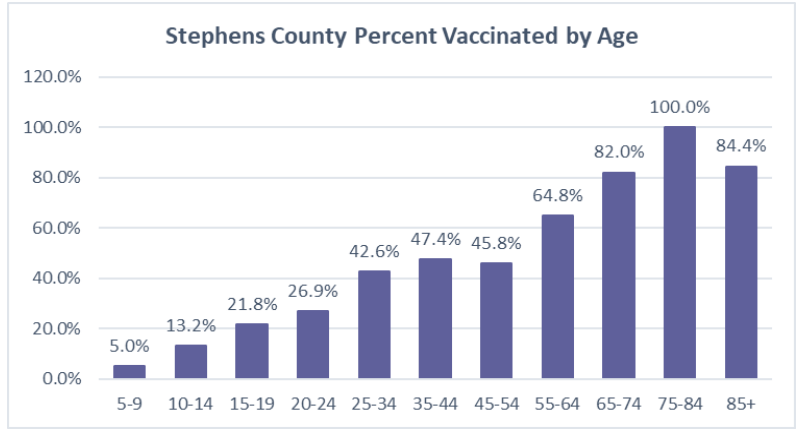
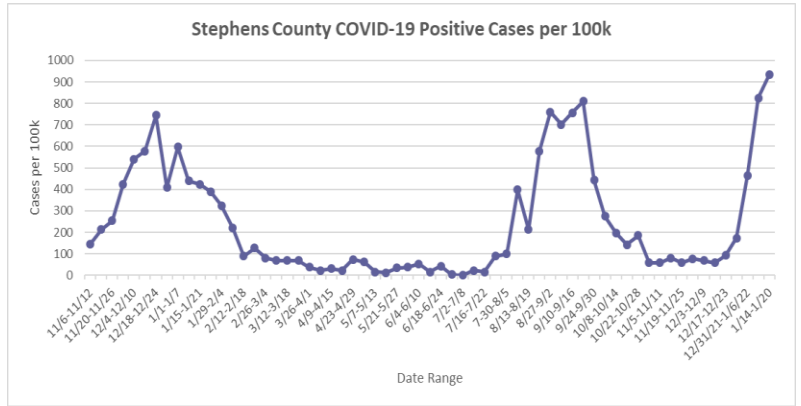
Rabun County

COVID-19 Cases	
Total Positive Cases	2,552
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	1,383
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	37.9%
Total Hospitalizations	231
Total Deaths	69
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	20,451
Vaccines Administered per 100K	122,865
One Dose:	8,778 (53% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	8,092 (49% residents)



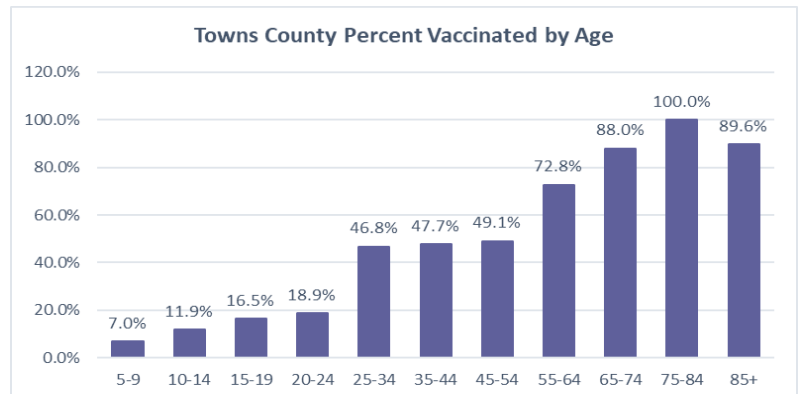
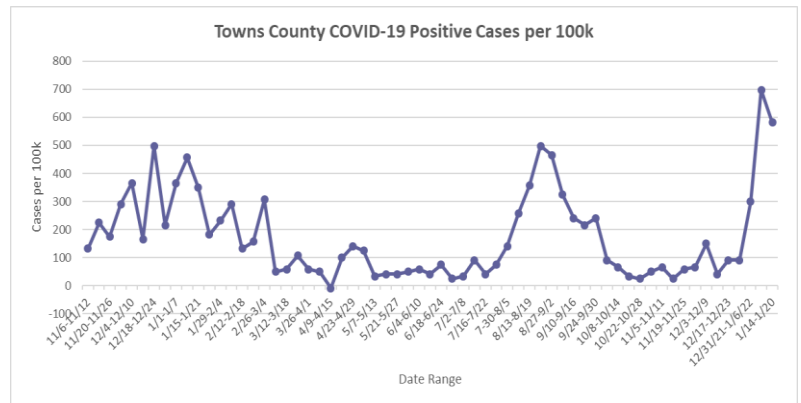
Stephens County

COVID-19 Cases	
Total Positive Cases	5,323
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	1,740
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	43.7%
Total Hospitalizations	368
Total Deaths	116
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	26,766
Vaccines Administered per 100K	103,945
One Dose:	11,908 (46% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	10,926 (42% residents)



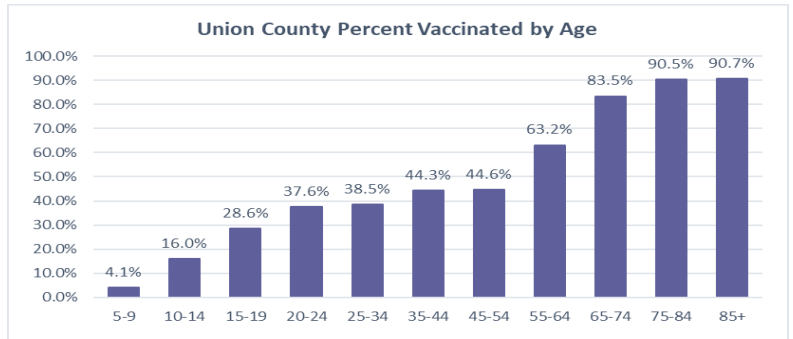
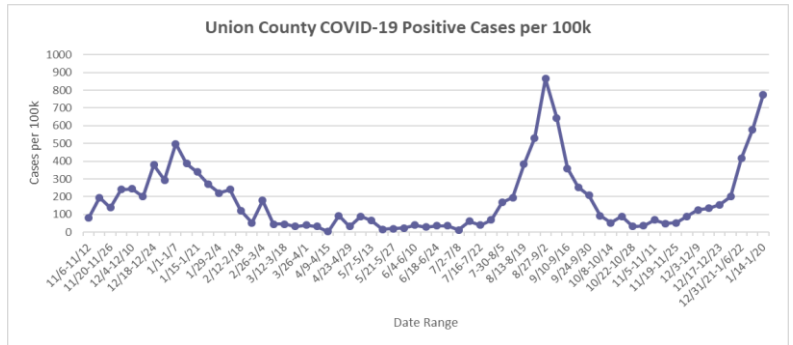
Towns County

COVID-19 Cases	
Total Positive Cases	1,818
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	1,363
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	35.3%
Total Hospitalizations	192
Total Deaths	74
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	15,602
Vaccines Administered per 100K	134,303
One Dose:	6,568 (57% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	6,094 (52% residents)



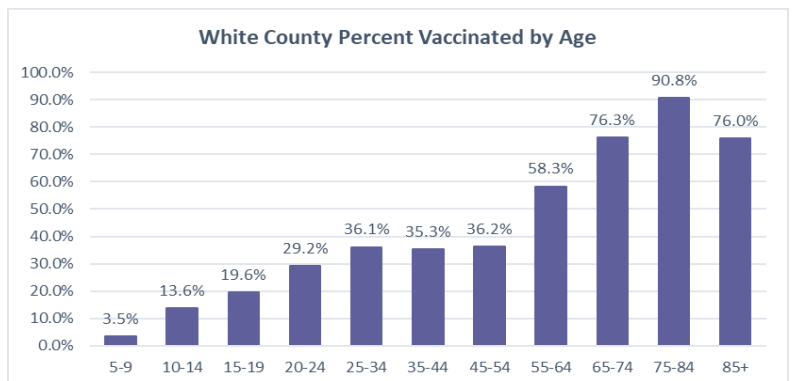
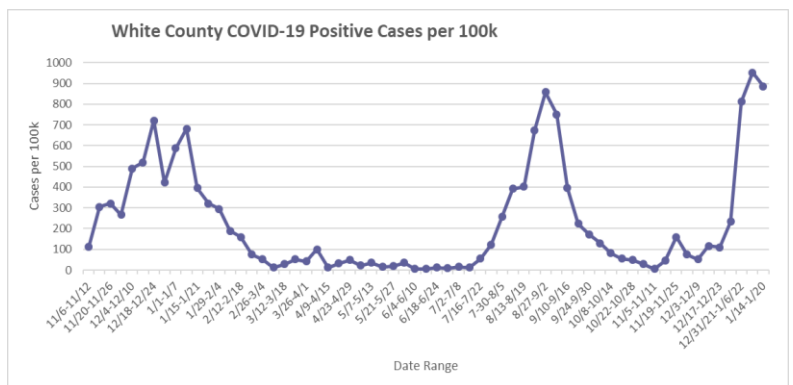
Union County

COVID-19 Cases	
Total Positive Cases	3,808
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	1,389
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	32.1%
Total Hospitalizations	371
Total Deaths	122
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	29,080
Vaccines Administered per 100K	124,871
One Dose:	12,392 (53% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	11,557 (50% residents)



White County

COVID-19 Cases	
Total Positive Cases	5,596
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	1,867
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	46.7%
Total Hospitalizations	429
Total Deaths	122
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	28,102
Vaccines Administered per 100K	95,296
One Dose:	12,270 (42% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	11,365 (39% residents)



EPI SUMMARY: Data source Georgia DPH and SendSS. Cases include all confirmed and probable cases. Population data source Oasis, 2019. Time frame as of 11/06/2020 to 1/20/2022. Vaccines introduced 12/19/2020 – decline noted in cases after vaccine implementation. Vaccine data includes number of vaccines administered in each county in District 2 and vaccines administered per 100,000 (of the total county population). Vaccine data also shows number of one dose received and percentage of residents as well as 2 doses received, and percentage of residents vaccinated.

*Graph above shows weekly changes in COVID cases. The case rate reported in the graph is approximately half of the 14-day case rate.

*Vaccine graph shows percentage of individuals vaccinated by age group.

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Georgia Flu Surveillance Update: Week 02 (Ending January 15, 2022)

As of week 02, Georgia flu activity is high= 10 (on the scale of 1-13). Activity levels are based on the percent of outpatient visits in Georgia due to Influenza-like illness during this timeframe.

For the corresponding week, the percentage of outpatient visits for Influenza-like Illness was 5.1%, the number of influenza-associated death was 1; the number of Metro Area Influenza Hospitalizations was 2; and reported Influenza Outbreak was 1.

Getting the flu shot is the best thing you can do to protect yourself and others.

District 2 health departments have flu vaccines available. Please contact your local health department for information on how to get your Flu vaccine at http://phdistrict2.org/?page_id=597.

To learn more about how to protect yourself against flu, visit DPH website at <https://dph.georgia.gov/epidemiology/influenza/seasonal-flu-influenza> and CDC website at <https://www.cdc.gov/flu/>