



District 2 Public Health

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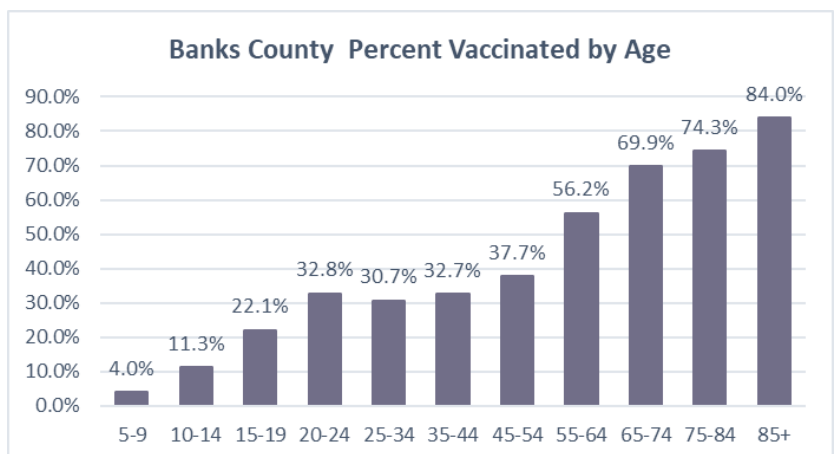
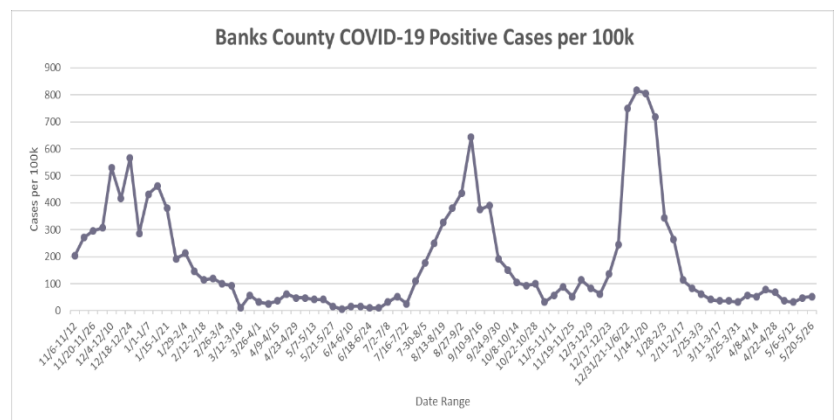
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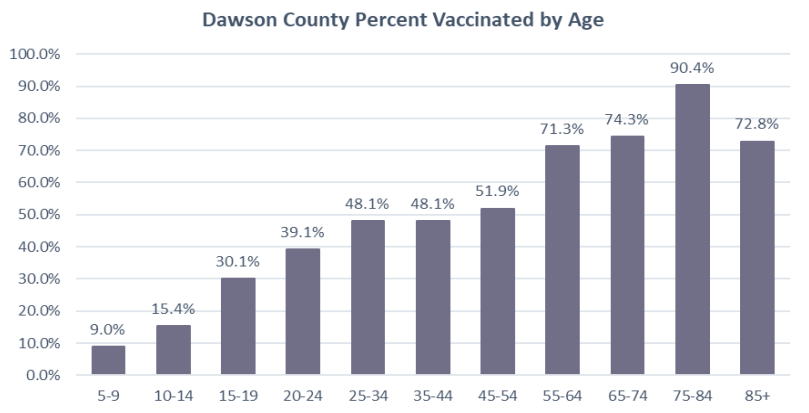
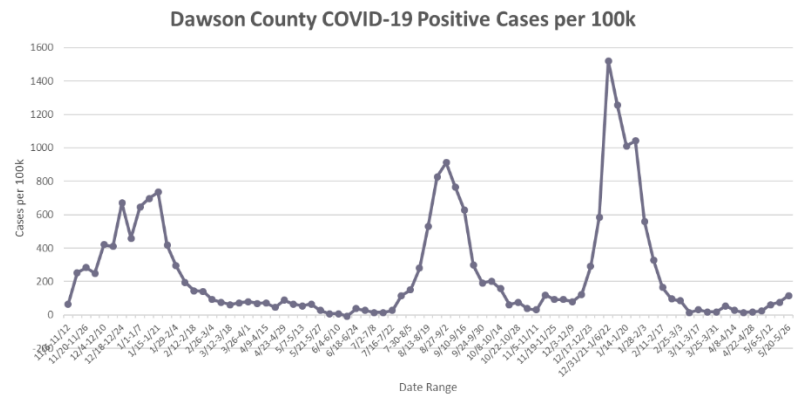
Banks County

COVID-19 Cases	
Community level Transmissibility	Low
Total Positive Cases	3,441
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	65
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	11.8%
Total Hospitalizations	349
Total Deaths	85
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	15,677
Vaccines Administered per 100K	83,798
One Dose:	6,962 (37% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	6,306 (34% residents)



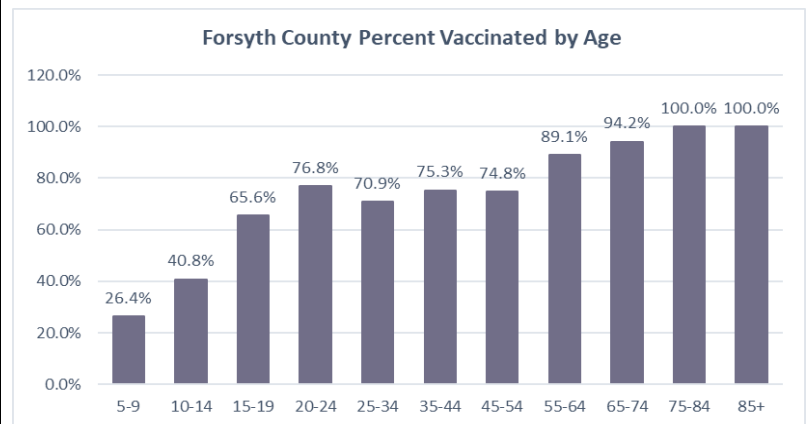
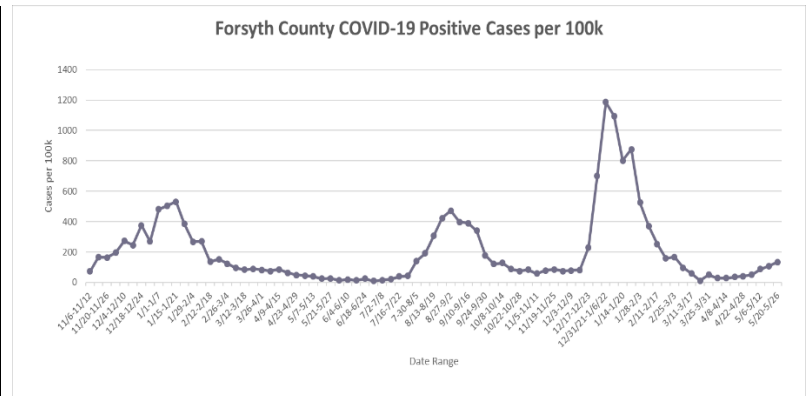
Dawson County

COVID-19 Cases	
Community level Transmissibility	Low
Total Positive Cases	6,236
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	189
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	14.0%
Total Hospitalizations	401
Total Deaths	97
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	28,336
Vaccines Administered per 100K	115,487
One Dose:	12,238 (50% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	11,219 (46% residents)



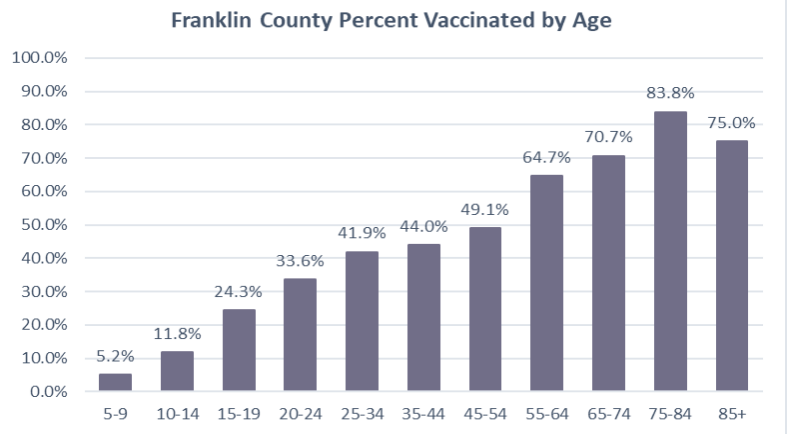
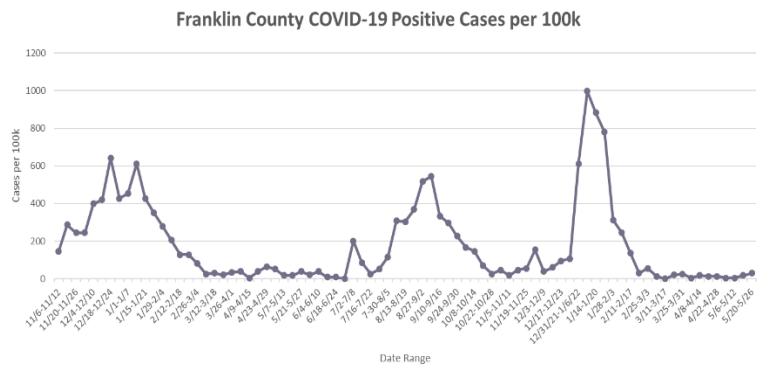
Forsyth County

COVID-19 Cases	
Community level Transmissibility	Low
Total Positive Cases	45,354
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	231
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	13.6%
Total Hospitalizations	1,561
Total Deaths	383
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	366,620
Vaccines Administered per 100K	160,528
One Dose:	153,050 (67% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	141,416 (62% residents)



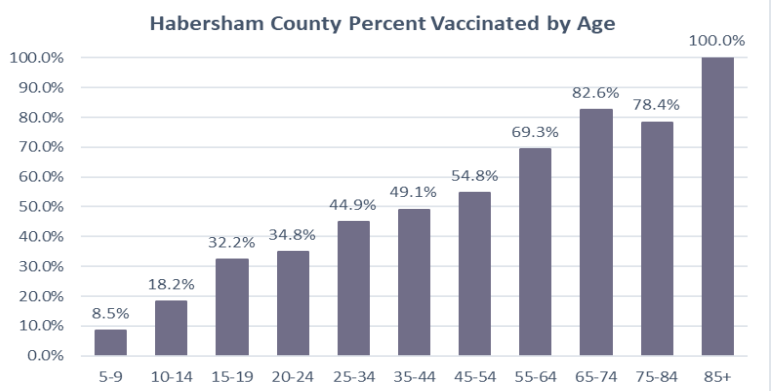
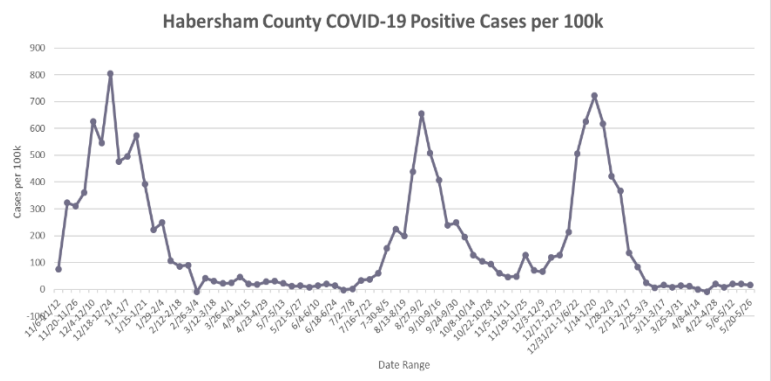
Franklin County

COVID-19 Cases	
Community level Transmissibility	Low
Total Positive Cases	4,401
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	39
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	9.2%
Total Hospitalizations	266
Total Deaths	80
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	22,706
Vaccines Administered per 100K	99,736
One Dose:	10,064 (44% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	9,141 (40% residents)



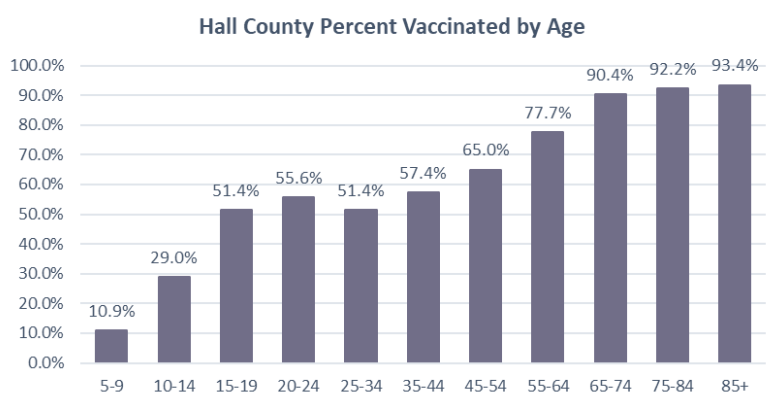
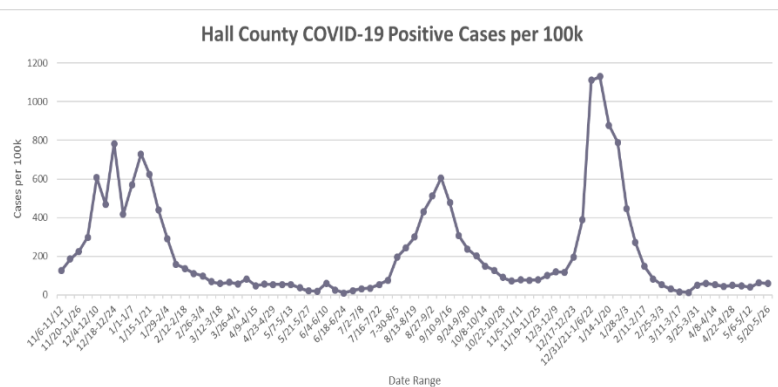
Habersham County

COVID-19 Cases	
Community level Transmissibility	Low
Total Positive Cases	8,435
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	68
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	11.7%
Total Hospitalizations	724
Total Deaths	240
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	49,280
Vaccines Administered per 100K	110,428
One Dose:	21,796 (49% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	19,904 (45% residents)



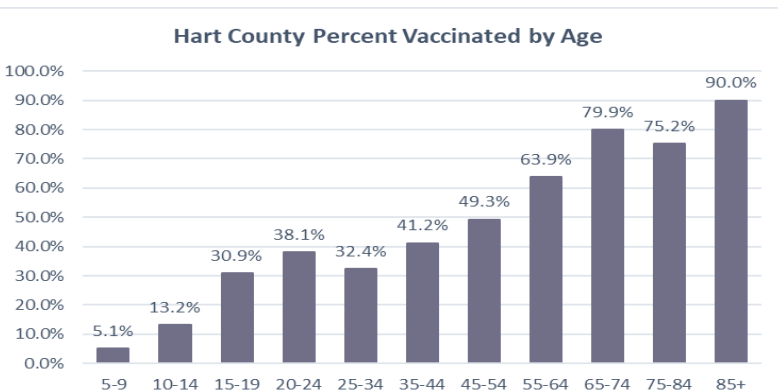
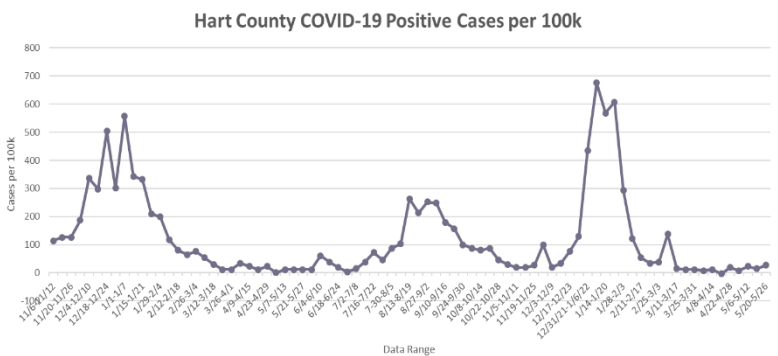
Hall County

COVID-19 Cases	
Community level Transmissibility	Low
Total Positive Cases	47,546
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	116
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	13.3%
Total Hospitalizations	3,596
Total Deaths	800
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	250,214
Vaccines Administered per 100K	125,946
One Dose:	109,690 (55% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	99,963 (50% residents)



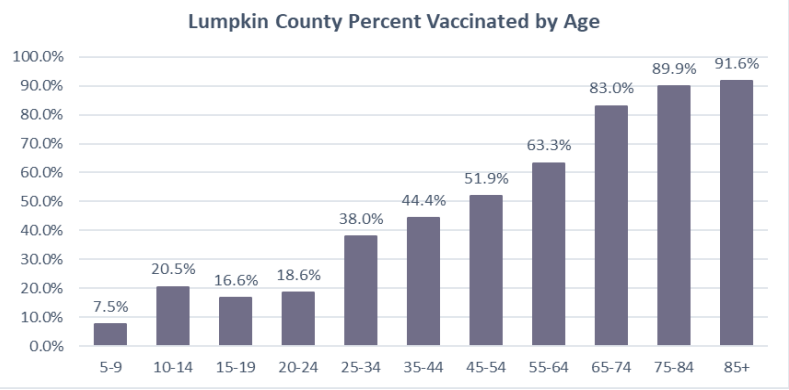
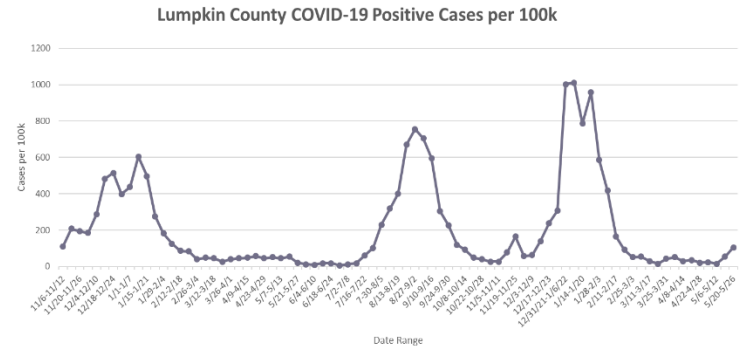
Hart County

COVID-19 Cases	
Community level Transmissibility	Low
Total Positive Cases	3,229
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	38
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	4.0%
Total Hospitalizations	208
Total Deaths	62
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	27,441
Vaccines Administered per 100K	106,471
One Dose:	11,846 (46% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	10,764 (42% residents)



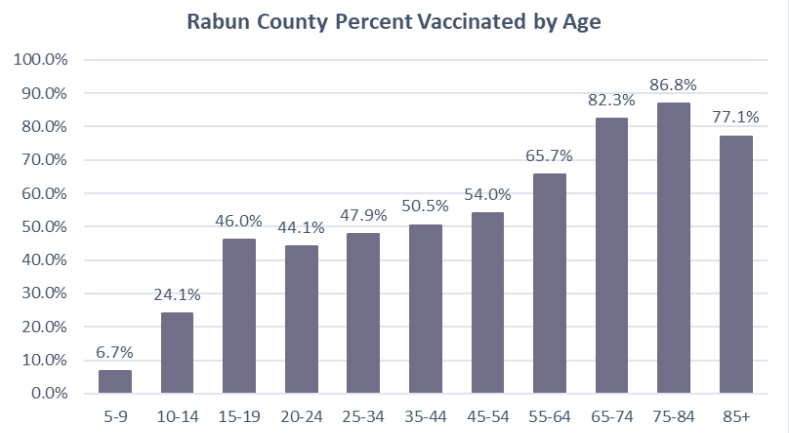
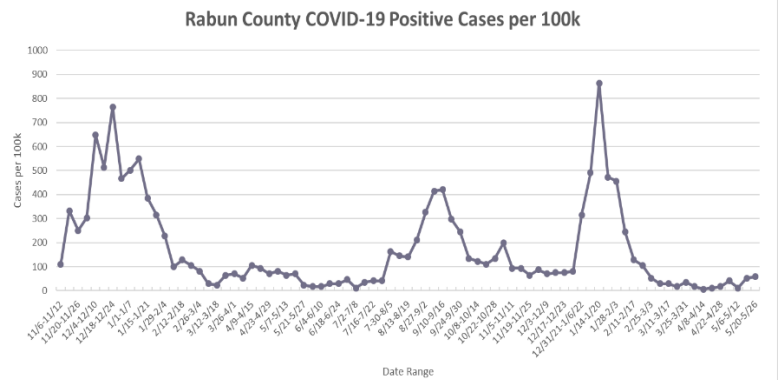
Lumpkin County

COVID-19 Cases	
Community level Transmissibility	Low
Total Positive Cases	6,672
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	166
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	15.6%
Total Hospitalizations	491
Total Deaths	112
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	32,797
Vaccines Administered per 100K	101,219
One Dose:	13,906 (43% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	12,698 (39% residents)



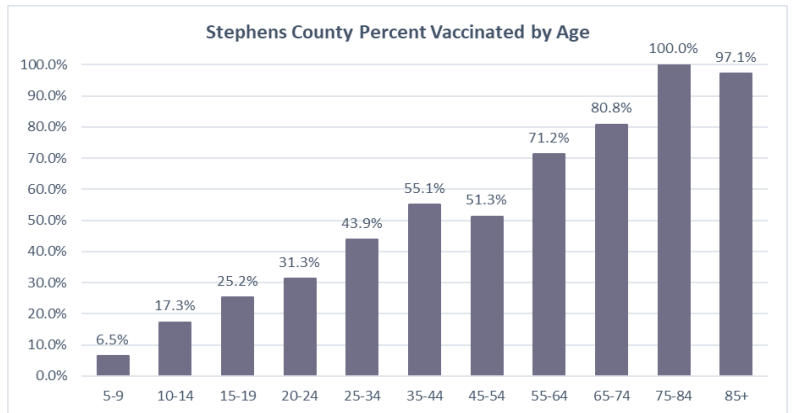
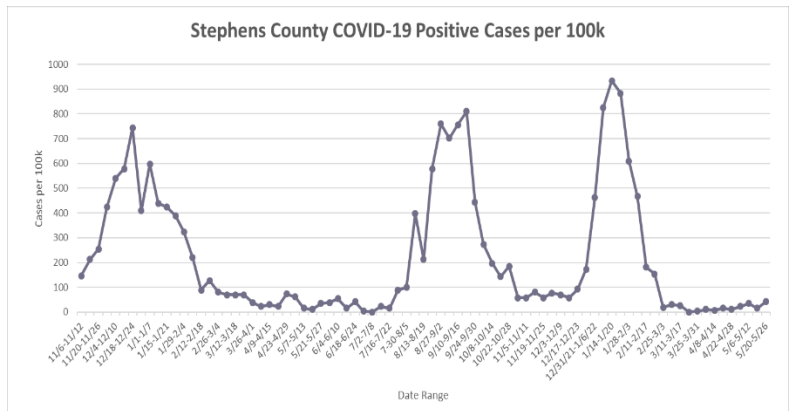
Rabun County

COVID-19 Cases	
Community level Transmissibility	Low
Total Positive Cases	2,840
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	100
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	10.6%
Total Hospitalizations	257
Total Deaths	81
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	22,600
Vaccines Administered per 100K	135,776
One Dose:	9,317 (56% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	8,493 (51% residents)



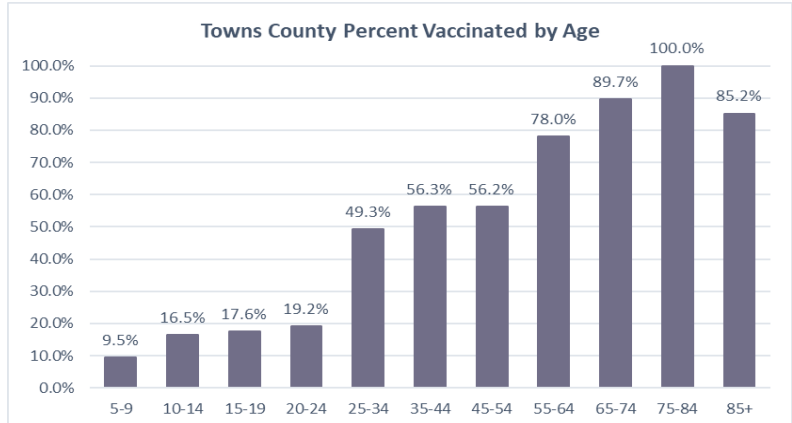
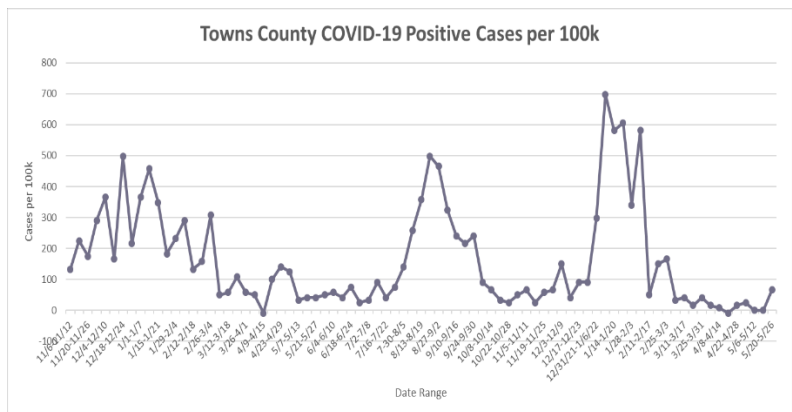
Stephens County

COVID-19 Cases	
Community level Transmissibility	Low
Total Positive Cases	5,938
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	53
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	10.3%
Total Hospitalizations	395
Total Deaths	134
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	29,827
Vaccines Administered per 100K	115,833
One Dose:	12,785 (50% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	11,688 (45% residents)



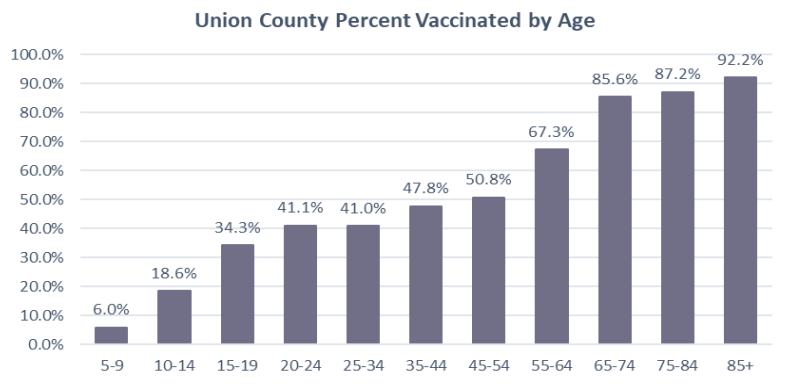
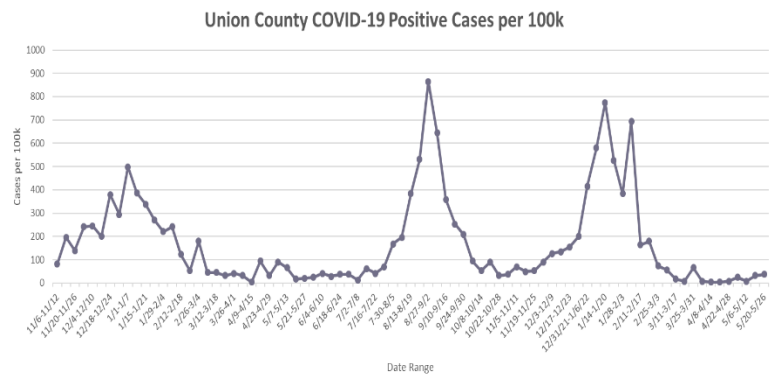
Towns County

COVID-19 Cases	
Community level Transmissibility	Low
Total Positive Cases	2,061
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	66
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	14.3%
Total Hospitalizations	209
Total Deaths	89
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	17,252
Vaccines Administered per 100K	148,506
One Dose:	7,029 (61% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	6,446 (55% residents)



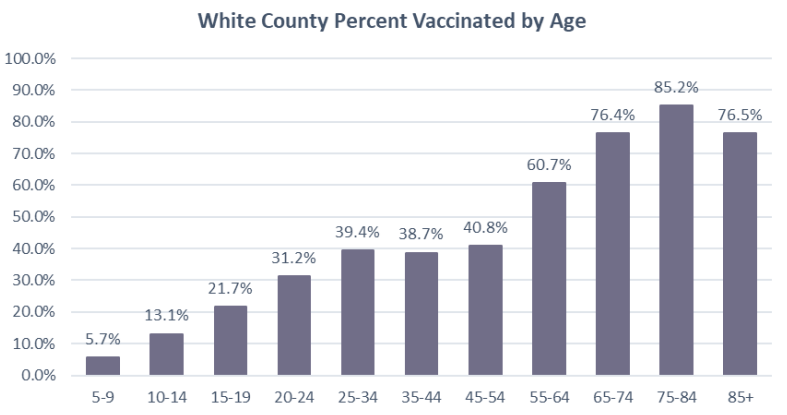
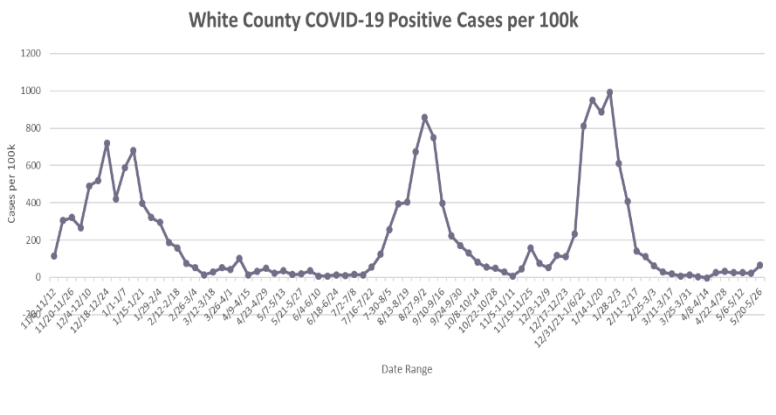
Union County

COVID-19 Cases	
Community level Transmissibility	Low
Total Positive Cases	4,336
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	63
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	3.8%
Total Hospitalizations	407
Total Deaths	142
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	32,443
Vaccines Administered per 100K	139,312
One Dose:	13,326 (57% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	12,247 (53% residents)



White County

COVID-19 Cases	
Community level Transmissibility	Low
Total Positive Cases	6,320
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	82
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	10.9%
Total Hospitalizations	479
Total Deaths	143
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	30,040
Vaccines Administered per 100K	101,868
One Dose:	12,508 (42% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	11,622 (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 5/26/2022. 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.

COVID-19 Community Levels – Use the Highest Level that Applies to Your Community				
New COVID-19 Cases Per 100,000 people in the past 7 days	Indicators	Low	Medium	High
Fewer than 200	New COVID-19 admissions per 100,000 population (7-day total)	<10.0	10.0-19.9	≥20.0
	Percent of staffed inpatient beds occupied by COVID-19 patients (7-day average)	<10.0%	10.0-14.9%	≥15.0%
200 or more	New COVID-19 admissions per 100,000 population (7-day total)	NA	<10.0	≥10.0
	Percent of staffed inpatient beds occupied by COVID-19 patients (7-day average)	NA	<10.0%	≥10.0%

For more information regarding Community Levels, please visit <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/science/community-levels.html>

Georgia Flu Surveillance Update: Week 20 (Ending May 21, 2022)

As of Week 20, Georgia flu activity is minimal= 3 (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 2.7%, the number of influenza-associated death was 0; the number of Metro Area Influenza Hospitalizations was 17; and reported Influenza Outbreak was 2.

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/>