



District 2 Public Health

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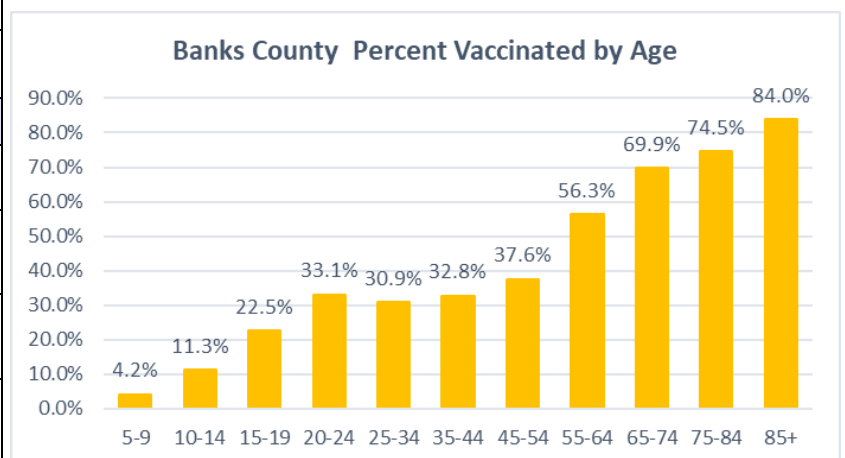
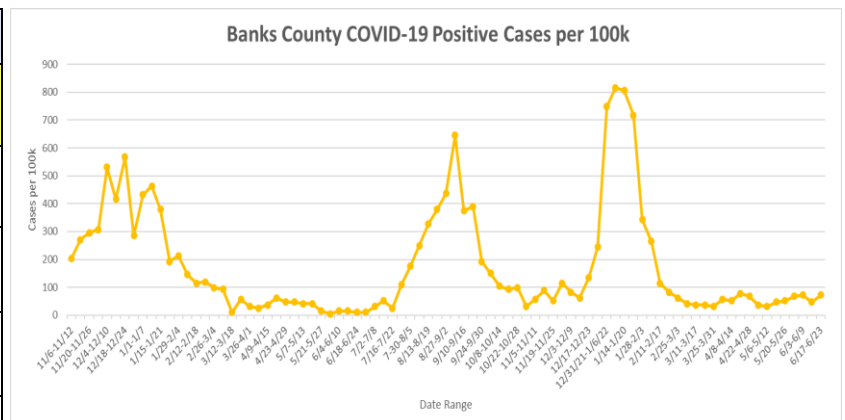
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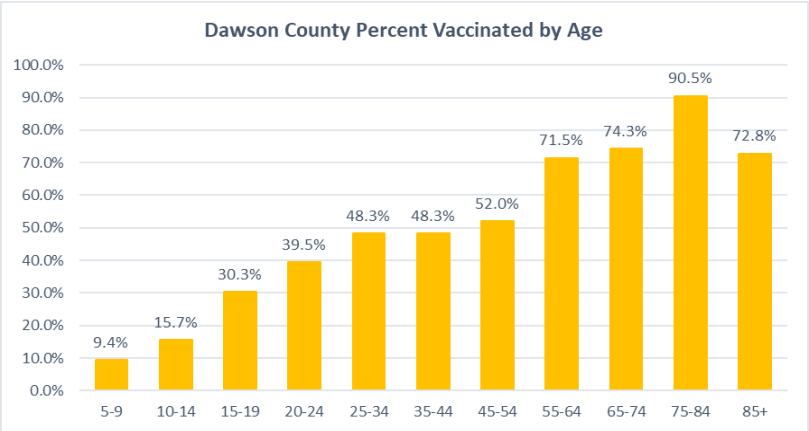
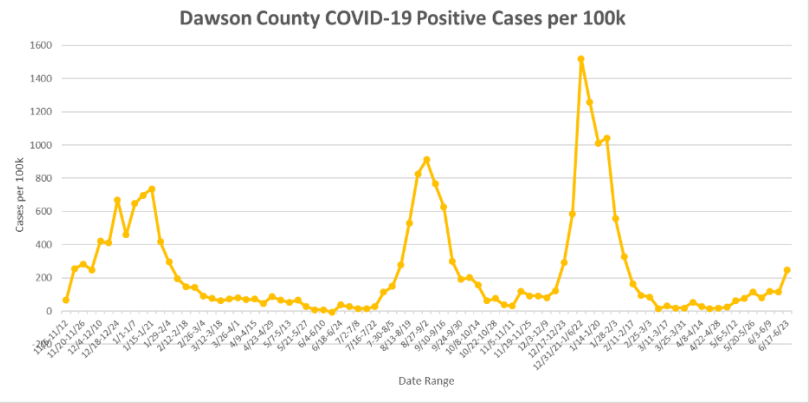
Banks County

COVID-19 Cases	
Community level Transmissibility	Medium
Total Positive Cases	3,492
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	100
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	15.8%
Total Hospitalizations	353
Total Deaths	88
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	15,795
Vaccines Administered per 100K	84,429
One Dose:	6,983 (37% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	6,322 (34% residents)



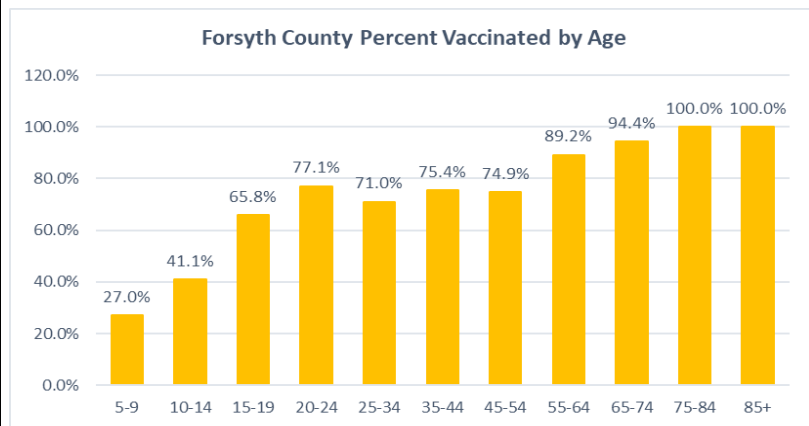
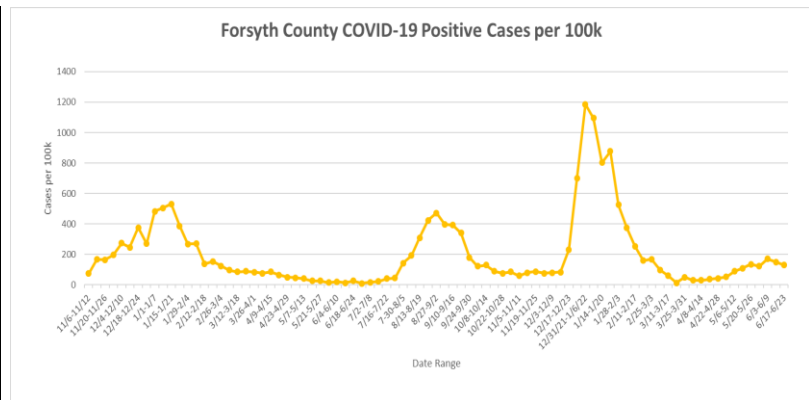
Dawson County

COVID-19 Cases	
Community level Transmissibility	High
Total Positive Cases	6,371
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	329
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	26.6%
Total Hospitalizations	403
Total Deaths	97
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	28,712
Vaccines Administered per 100K	117,019
One Dose:	12,277 (50% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	11,275 (46% residents)



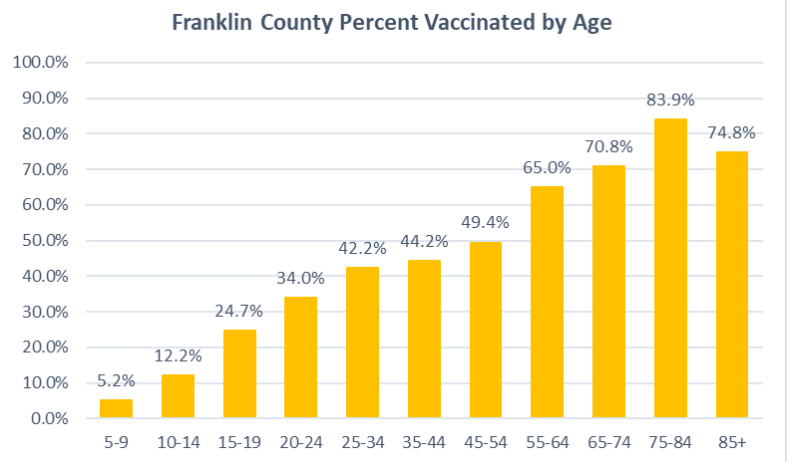
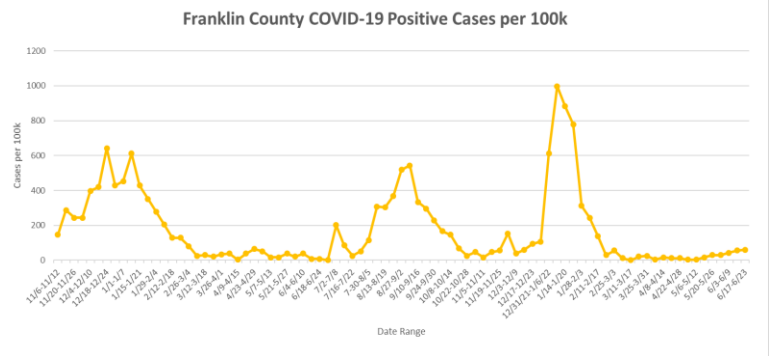
Forsyth County

COVID-19 Cases	
Community level Transmissibility	Low
Total Positive Cases	46,739
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	282
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	17.7%
Total Hospitalizations	1,585
Total Deaths	386
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	370,850
Vaccines Administered per 100K	162,380
One Dose:	153,445 (67% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	141,924 (62% residents)



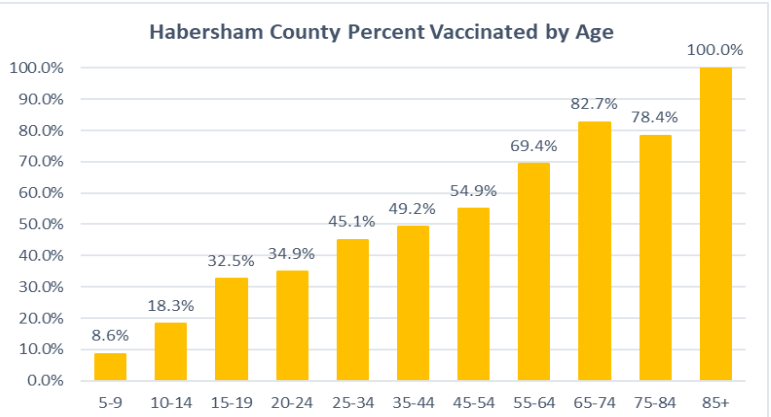
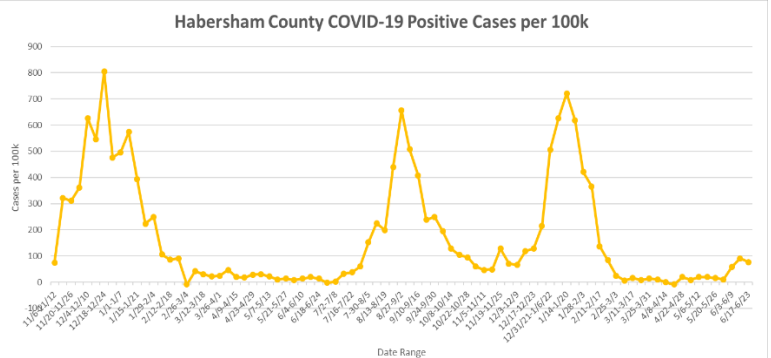
Franklin County

COVID-19 Cases	
Community level Transmissibility	Low
Total Positive Cases	4,449
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	133
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	19.4%
Total Hospitalizations	273
Total Deaths	81
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	22,940
Vaccines Administered per 100K	100,764
One Dose:	10,115 (44% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	9,172 (40% residents)



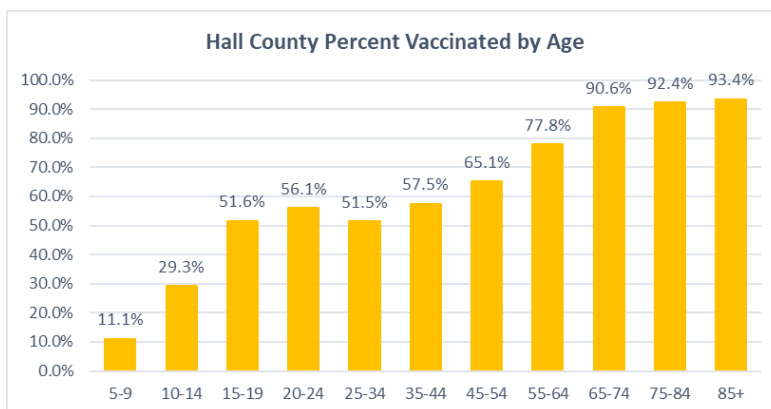
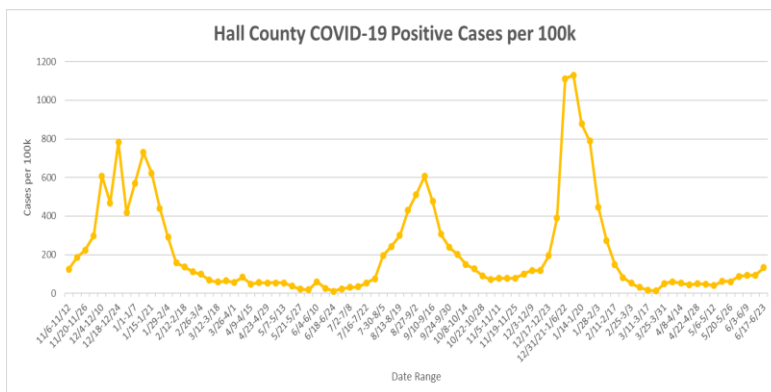
Habersham County

COVID-19 Cases	
Community level Transmissibility	Medium
Total Positive Cases	8,536
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	175
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	23%
Total Hospitalizations	731
Total Deaths	240
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	49,808
Vaccines Administered per 100K	111,612
One Dose:	21,853 (49% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	19,979 (45% residents)



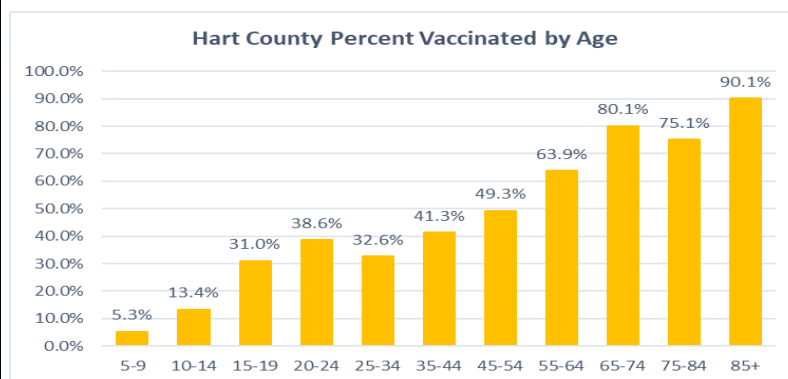
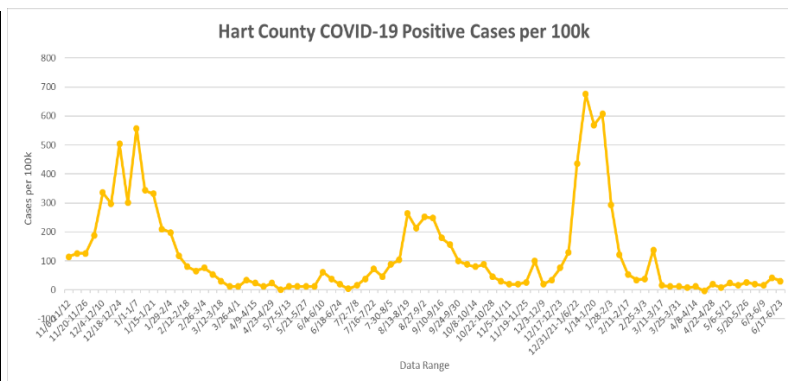
Hall County

COVID-19 Cases	
Community level Transmissibility	Medium
Total Positive Cases	48,372
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	223
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	20.9%
Total Hospitalizations	3,618
Total Deaths	803
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	253,054
Vaccines Administered per 100K	127,375
One Dose:	110,030 (55% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	100,332 (51% residents)



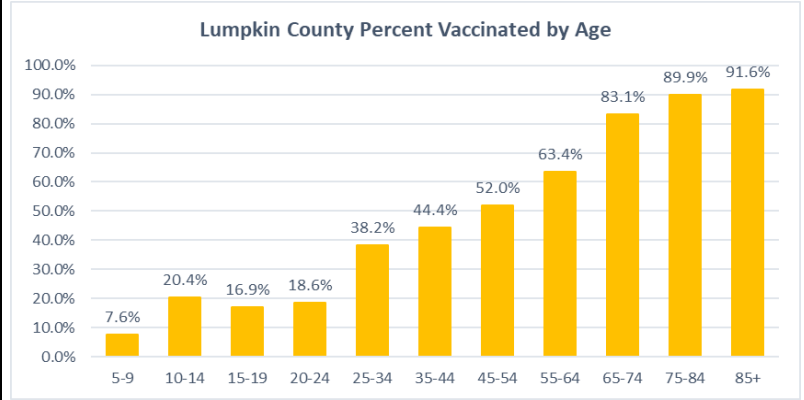
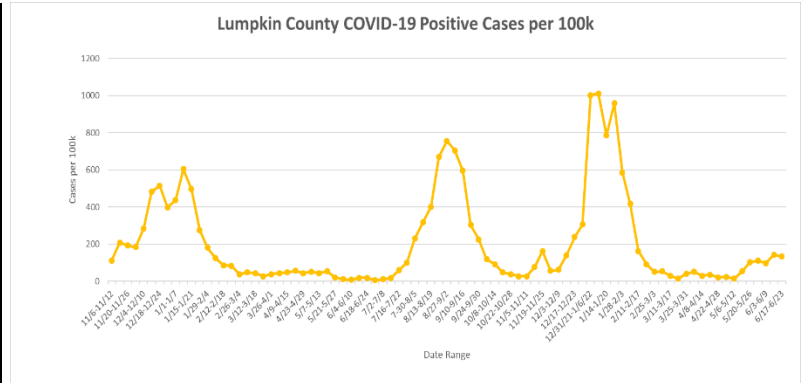
Hart County

COVID-19 Cases	
Community level Transmissibility	Low
Total Positive Cases	3,257
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	69
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	13.1%
Total Hospitalizations	213
Total Deaths	64
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	27,721
Vaccines Administered per 100K	107,558
One Dose:	11,872 (46% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	10,795 (42% residents)



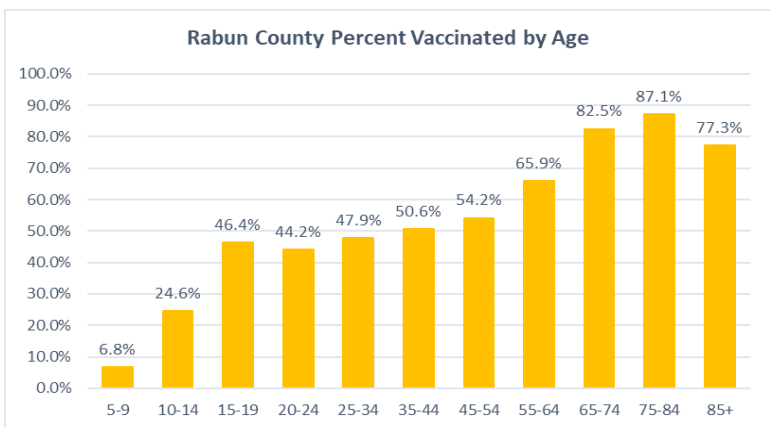
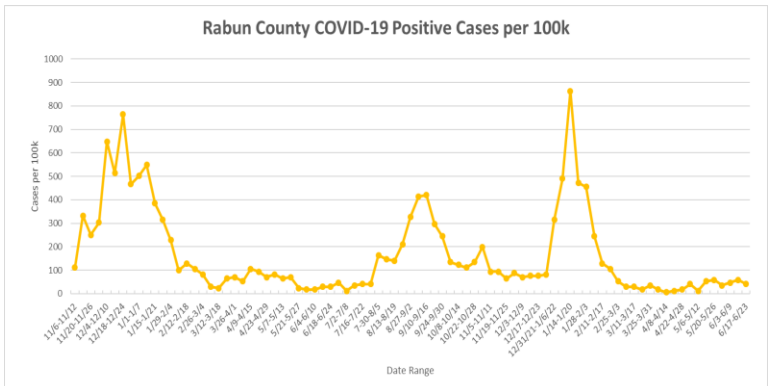
Lumpkin County

COVID-19 Cases	
Community level Transmissibility	Medium
Total Positive Cases	6,831
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	272
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	26.9%
Total Hospitalizations	499
Total Deaths	112
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	33,218
Vaccines Administered per 100K	102,518
One Dose:	13,938 (43% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	12,736 (39% residents)



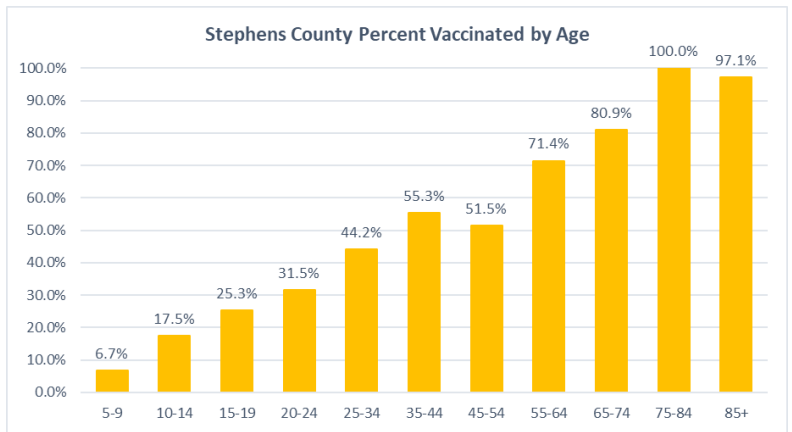
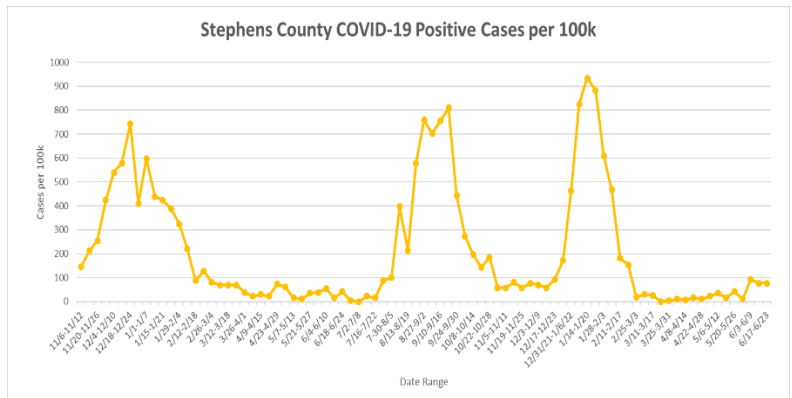
Rabun County

COVID-19 Cases	
Community level Transmissibility	Low
Total Positive Cases	2,872
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	100
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	8.1%
Total Hospitalizations	260
Total Deaths	83
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	22,889
Vaccines Administered per 100K	137,512
One Dose:	9,346 (56% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	8,519 (51% residents)



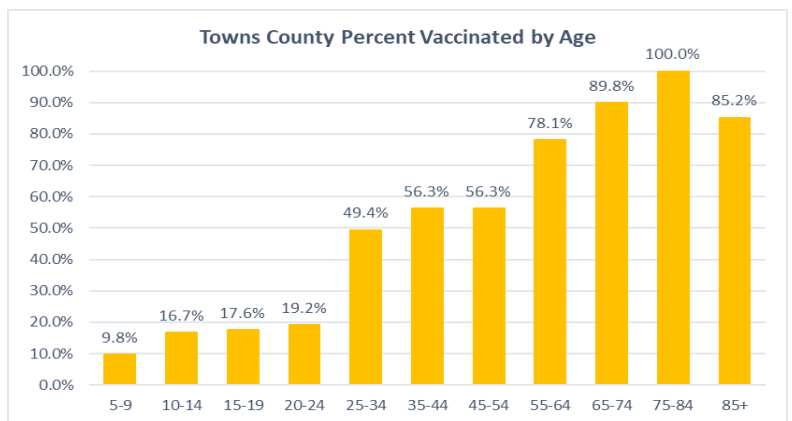
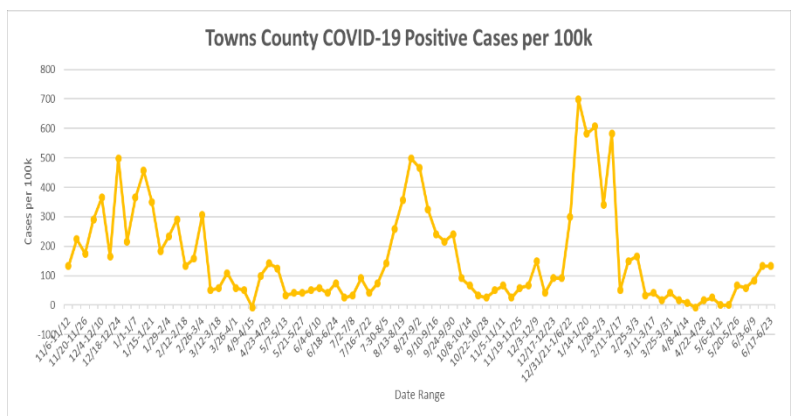
Stephens County

COVID-19 Cases	
Community level Transmissibility	Low
Total Positive Cases	6,005
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	152
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	21.5%
Total Hospitalizations	400
Total Deaths	136
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	30,214
Vaccines Administered per 100K	117,335
One Dose:	12,826 (50% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	11,733 (46% residents)



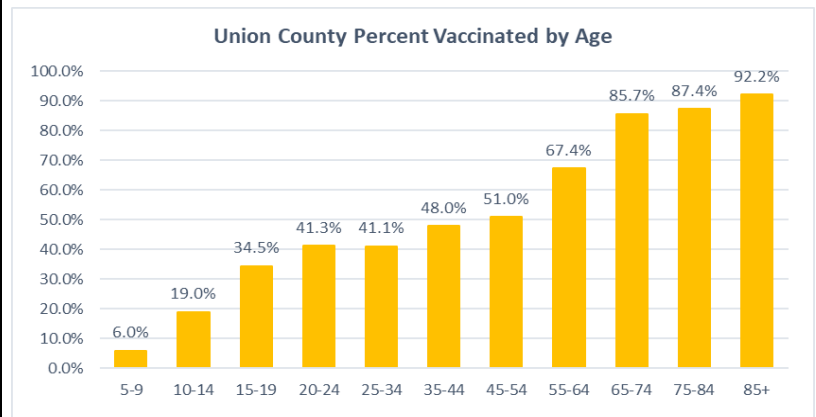
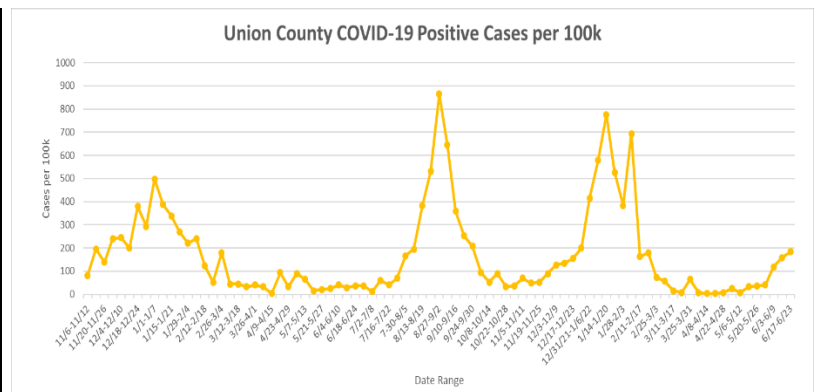
Towns County

COVID-19 Cases	
Community level Transmissibility	Medium
Total Positive Cases	2,105
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	224
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	23.3%
Total Hospitalizations	215
Total Deaths	89
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	17,449
Vaccines Administered per 100K	150,202
One Dose:	7,039 (61% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	6,468 (56% residents)



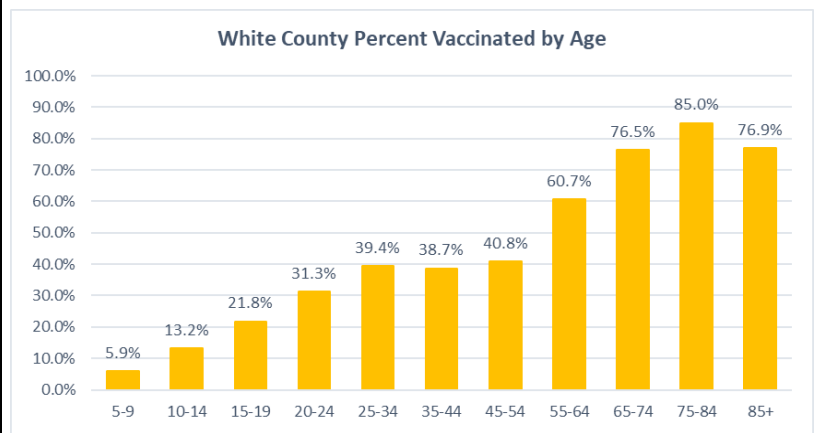
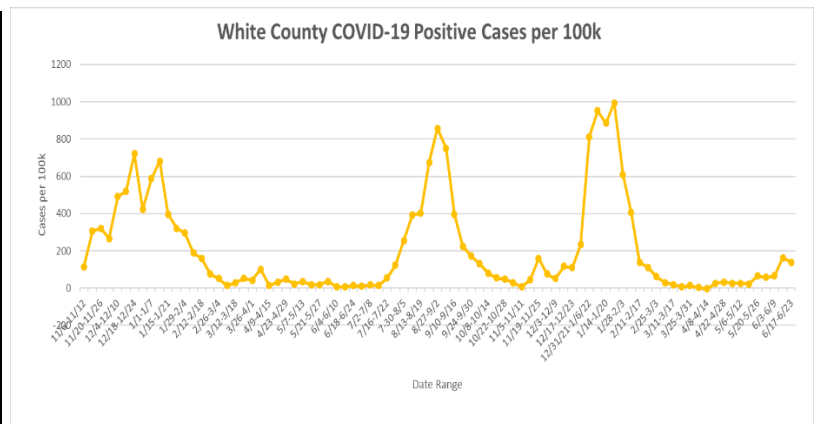
Union County

COVID-19 Cases	
Community level Transmissibility	High
Total Positive Cases	4,455
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	320
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	21.0%
Total Hospitalizations	413
Total Deaths	142
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	32,861
Vaccines Administered per 100K	141,107
One Dose:	13,363 (57% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	12,298 (53% residents)



White County

COVID-19 Cases	
Community level Transmissibility	Medium
Total Positive Cases	6,449
14 Day Case Rate (per 100K)	280
Percent Positive over last 2 weeks	26.7%
Total Hospitalizations	486
Total Deaths	144
COVID-19 Vaccine	
Vaccines Administered	31,569
Vaccines Administered per 100K	107,053
One Dose:	13,146 (45% residents)
Fully Vaccinated:	12,103 (41% 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 6/23/2022. 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 24 (Ending June 18, 2022)

As of Week 24, Georgia flu activity is minimal=2 (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 2.2%, the number of influenza-associated death was 0; the number of Metro Area Influenza Hospitalizations was unknown; 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/>