



District 2 Public Health

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Banks, Dawson, Forsyth, Franklin, Habersham, Hall, Hart, Lumpkin, Rabun, Stephens, Towns, Union and White Counties

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| Banks County | |
|-----------------------------------|-------------|
| COVID-19 Cases | |
| Total Positive Cases | 4,255 |
| 14 Day Case Rate per 100K | 95 |
| Total Deaths | 93 |
| COVID-19 Vaccines | |
| Vaccines Administered | 18,003 |
| Vaccines Administered per 100K | 96,231 |
| One Dose (% of residents) | 7,209 (39%) |
| Fully Vaccinated (% of residents) | 6,563 (35%) |

Banks County COVID-19 Positive Cases per 100k

Banks County Percent Vaccinated by Age

| Age Group | Percent Vaccinated |
|-----------|--------------------|
| 0-4 | 0.6% |
| 5-9 | 4.8% |
| 10-14 | 11.6% |
| 15-19 | 23.4% |
| 20-24 | 36.3% |
| 25-34 | 32.9% |
| 35-44 | 33.9% |
| 45-54 | 39.0% |
| 55-64 | 57.1% |
| 65-74 | 71.0% |
| 75-84 | 75.5% |
| 85+ | 85.8% |

| Dawson County | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|
| COVID-19 Cases | |
| Total Positive Cases | 7,937 |
| 14 Day Case Rate per 100K | 215 |
| Total Deaths | 104 |
| COVID-19 Vaccines | |
| Vaccines Administered | 33,938 |
| Vaccines Administered per 100K | 138,319 |
| One Dose (% of residents) | 12,769 (52%) |
| Fully Vaccinated (% of residents) | 11,779 (48%) |

Dawson County COVID-19 Positive Cases per 100k

Dawson County Percent Vaccinated by Age

| Age Group | Percent Vaccinated |
|-----------|--------------------|
| 0-4 | 1.7% |
| 5-9 | 10.7% |
| 10-14 | 17.7% |
| 15-19 | 32.7% |
| 20-24 | 41.4% |
| 25-34 | 51.5% |
| 35-44 | 50.1% |
| 45-54 | 54.1% |
| 55-64 | 73.3% |
| 65-74 | 75.9% |
| 75-84 | 91.8% |
| 85+ | 75.1% |

| COVID-19 Cases | | |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|--|
| Total Positive Cases | 56,158 | |
| 14 Day Case Rate per 100K | 59 | |
| Total Deaths | 461 | |
| COVID-19 Vaccines | | |
| Vaccines Administered | 436,511 | |
| Vaccines Administered per 100K | 191,131 | |
| One Dose (% of residents) | 159,387 (70%) | |
| Fully Vaccinated (% of residents) | 148,448 (65%) | |

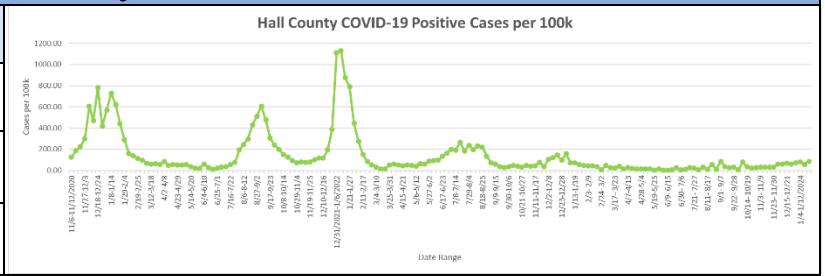
| COVID-19 Cases | | |
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| Total Positive Cases | 5,370 | |
| 14 Day Case Rate per 100K | 171 | |
| Total Deaths | 93 | |
| COVID-19 Vaccines | | |
| Vaccines Administered | 26,078 | |
| Vaccines Administered per 100K | 114,548 | |
| One Dose (% of residents) | 10,425 (46%) | |
| Fully Vaccinated (% of residents) | 9,462 (42%) | |

| COVID-19 Cases | | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|--|
| Total Positive Cases | 10,325 | |
| 14 Day Case Rate per 100K | 127 | |
| Total Deaths | 271 | |
| COVID-19 Vaccines | | |
| Vaccines Administered | 56,618 | |
| Vaccines Administered per 100K | 126,872 | |
| One Dose (% of residents) | 22,383 (50%) | |
| Fully Vaccinated (% of residents) | 20,481 (46%) | |

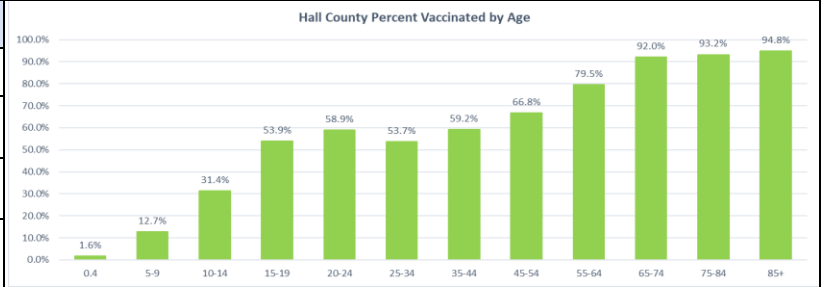
**We experienced a backlog report of cases for Habersham County on week 04/21/2023 – 04/27/2023.

Hall County

| COVID-19 Cases | |
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| Total Positive Cases | 58,985 |
| 14 Day Case Rate per 100K | 156 |
| Total Deaths | 895 |

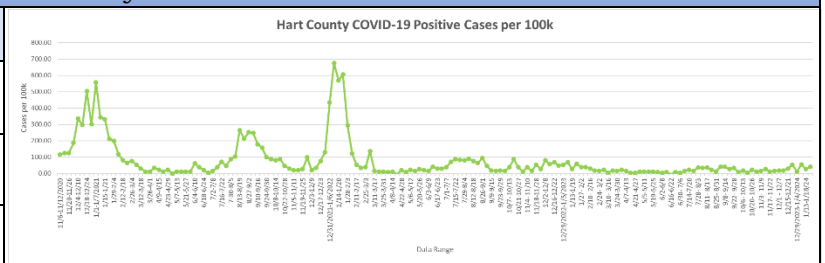


| COVID-19 Vaccines | |
|-----------------------------------|---------------|
| Vaccines Administered | 291,698 |
| Vaccines Administered per 100K | 146,827 |
| One Dose (% of residents) | 113,675 (57%) |
| Fully Vaccinated (% of residents) | 103,838 (52%) |

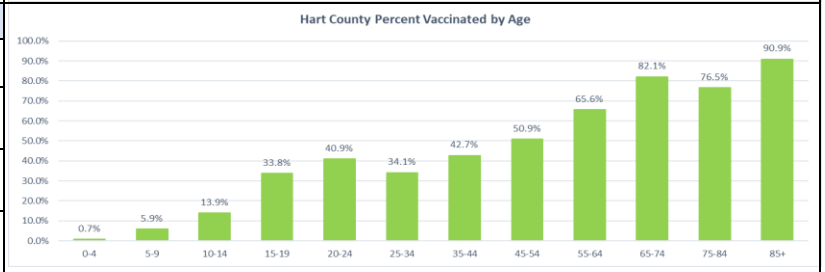


Hart County

| COVID-19 Cases | |
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| Total Positive Cases | 3,956 |
| 14 Day Case Rate per 100K | 92 |
| Total Deaths | 74 |

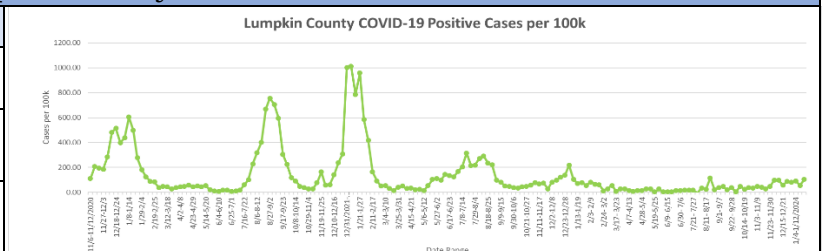


| COVID-19 Vaccines | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|
| Vaccines Administered | 32,394 |
| Vaccines Administered per 100K | 125,689 |
| One Dose (% of residents) | 12,260 (48%) |
| Fully Vaccinated (% of residents) | 11,211 (43%) |

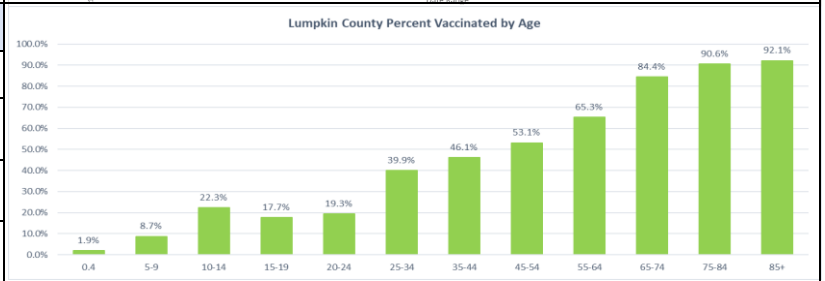


Lumpkin County

| COVID-19 Cases | |
|---------------------------|-------|
| Total Positive Cases | 8,830 |
| 14 Day Case Rate per 100K | 204 |
| Total Deaths | 120 |



| COVID-19 Vaccines | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|
| Vaccines Administered | 39,442 |
| Vaccines Administered per 100K | 121,727 |
| One Dose (% of residents) | 14,362 (44%) |
| Fully Vaccinated (% of residents) | 13,177 (41%) |



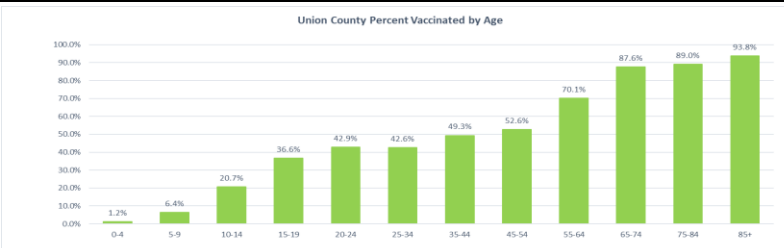
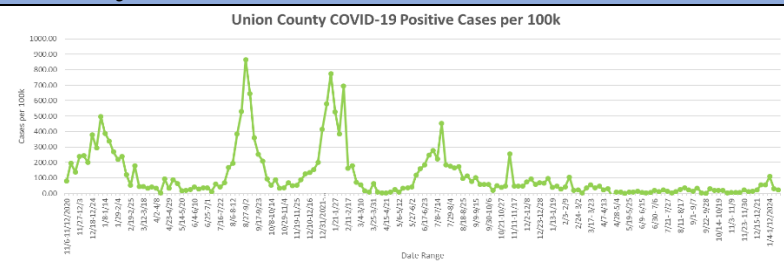
| COVID-19 Cases | | |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|--|
| Total Positive Cases | 3,366 | |
| 14 Day Case Rate per 100K | 77 | |
| Total Deaths | 87 | |
| COVID-19 Vaccines | | |
| Vaccines Administered | 27,479 | |
| Vaccines Administered per 100K | 165,088 | |
| One Dose (% of residents) | 9,706 (58%) | |
| Fully Vaccinated (% of residents) | 8,917 (54%) | |

| COVID-19 Cases | | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------------|--|
| Total Positive Cases | 7,276 | |
| 14 Day Case Rate per 100K | 175 | |
| Total Deaths | 153 | |
| COVID-19 Vaccines | | |
| Vaccines Administered | 34,920 | |
| Vaccines Administered per 100K | 135,611 | |
| One Dose (% of residents) | 13,249 (51%) | |
| Fully Vaccinated (% of residents) | 12,123 (47%) | |

| COVID-19 Cases | | |
|-----------------------------------|----------------|--|
| Total Positive Cases | 2,849 | |
| 14 Day Case Rate per 100K | 141 | |
| Total Deaths | 109 | |
| COVID-19 Vaccines | | |
| Vaccines Administered | 20,670 | |
| Vaccines Administered per 100K | 177,928 | |
| One Dose (% of residents) | 7,188 (62%) | |
| Fully Vaccinated (% of residents) | 6,688 (58%) | |

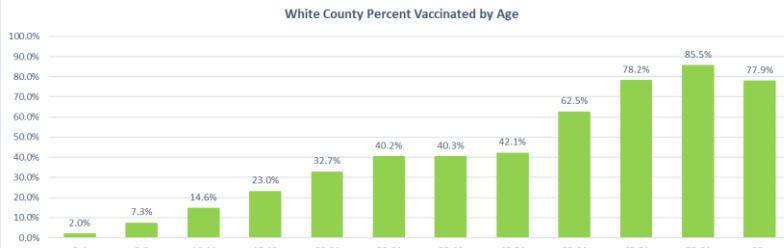
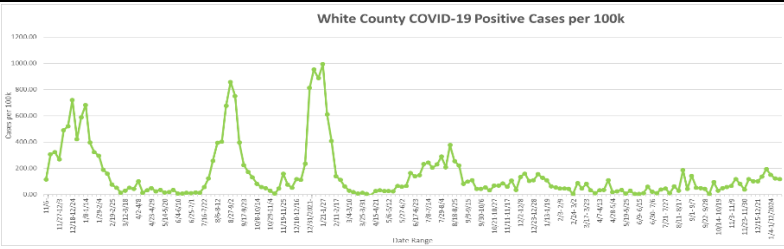
**We experienced a backlog report of cases for Towns County on week 11/04/2022 – 11/10/2022.

| Union County | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|
| COVID-19 Cases | |
| Total Positive Cases | 5,669 |
| 14 Day Case Rate per 100K | 95 |
| Total Deaths | 173 |
| COVID-19 Vaccines | |
| Vaccines Administered | 39,700 |
| Vaccines Administered per 100K | 170,474 |
| One Dose (% of residents) | 13,772 (59%) |
| Fully Vaccinated (% of residents) | 12,764 (55%) |



**We experienced a backlog report of cases for Union County on week 11/04/2022 – 11/10/2022.

| White County | |
|-----------------------------------|--------------|
| COVID-19 Cases | |
| Total Positive Cases | 8,541 |
| 14 Day Case Rate per 100K | 252 |
| Total Deaths | 167 |
| COVID-19 Vaccines | |
| Vaccines Administered | 37,415 |
| Vaccines Administered per 100K | 126,877 |
| One Dose (% of residents) | 13,555 (46%) |
| Fully Vaccinated (% of residents) | 12,546 (43%) |



EPI SUMMARY: Data sources were Georgia DPH and SendSS. Cases include all confirmed and probable cases. Population data source was OASIS, 2022. Time frame as of 11/06/2020 to 1/25/2024. 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.

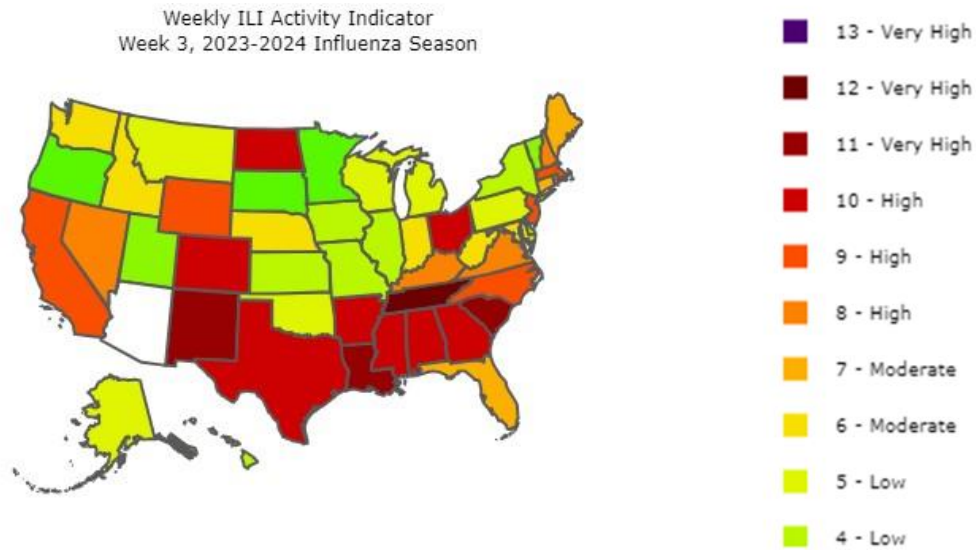
*Graph above shows weekly changes in COVID cases. The case rate reported in the graph is approximately half of the 14-day case rate.

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

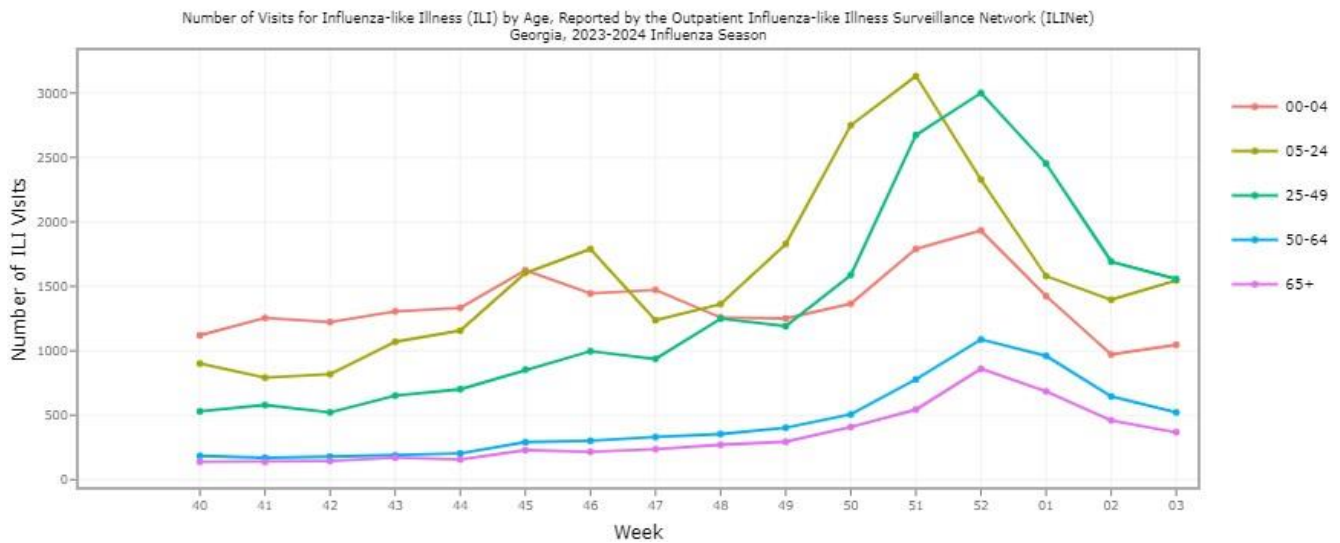
Georgia Flu Surveillance Update: Week 3 (Ending January 20, 2024)

As of Week 3, Georgia flu activity was 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 6.3% (which is above the regional baseline of 3.3%), the number of influenza-associated death was 0 (21 total for the current ILI season); the number of Metro Area Influenza Hospitalizations was 148 (3,004 total for current Flu season); and the number of Influenza Outbreaks was 10 (110 total for current Flu season).



Map shows Influenza-like cases in US southern region. Georgia activity indicator is at level 10 (**High**) on week 3 as shown in red color.



For week 3, the graph shows a slight increase of ILI cases for age groups 00-04 and 5-24 and decrease in number of cases for age groups 25-49, 50-64, and 65+.

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/>