

City of Stamford: COVID19 Update

January 26, 2020



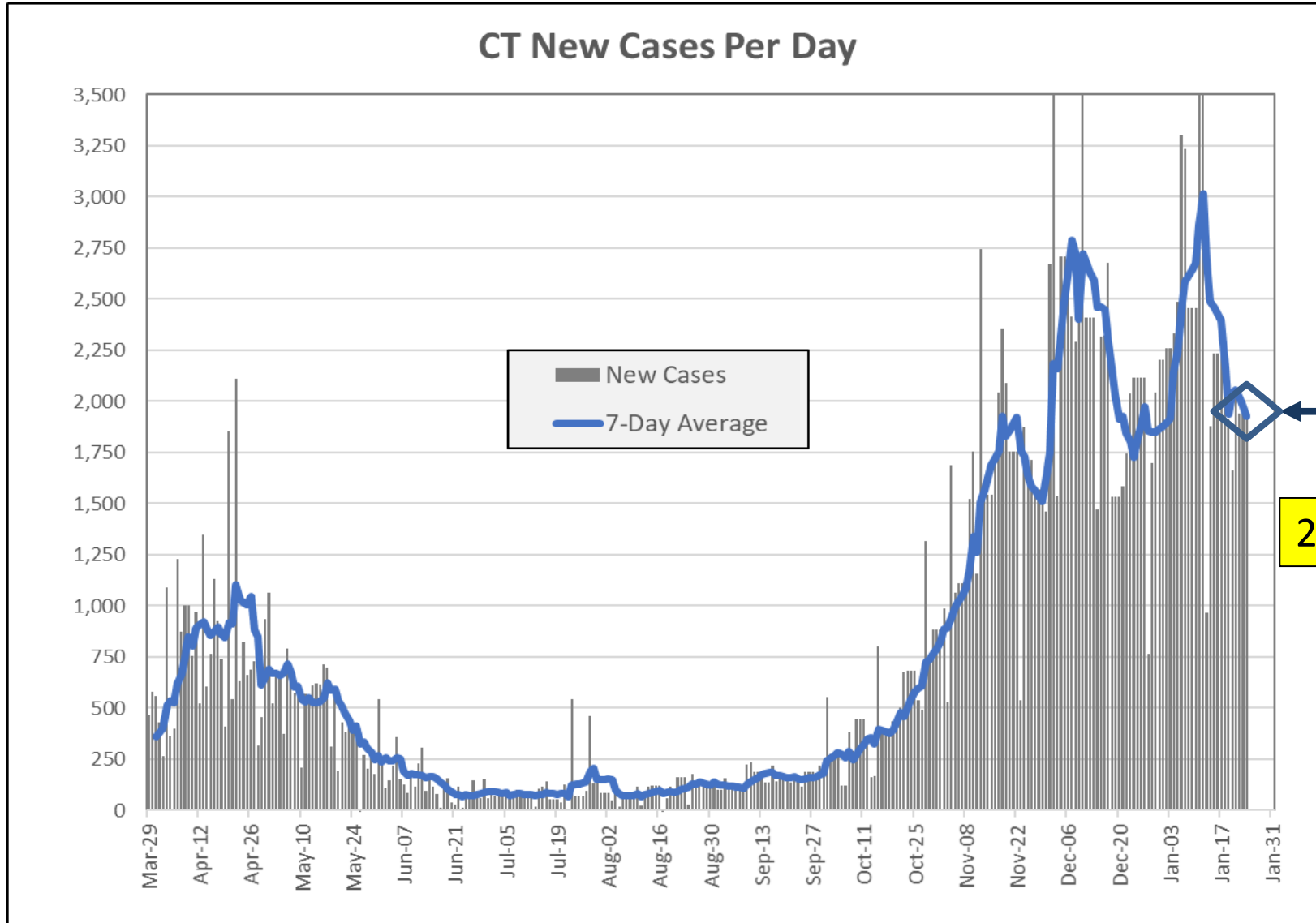
State of the City: COVID19 Agenda

- COVID-19 in Stamford, Q&A Mayor **David Martin**
- Stamford Public Schools Update Superintendent **Tamu Lucero**
- Vaccination Simplified Signup Director of Public Safety **Ted Jankowski**
- COVID-19 Strains Associate Director of Infectious Disease **Dr. Asha Shah**
- Testing Sites Special Assistant to the Mayor **Laura Burwick**
- Conclusion Mayor **David Martin**



422,000 Total U.S. Fatalities from COVID-19

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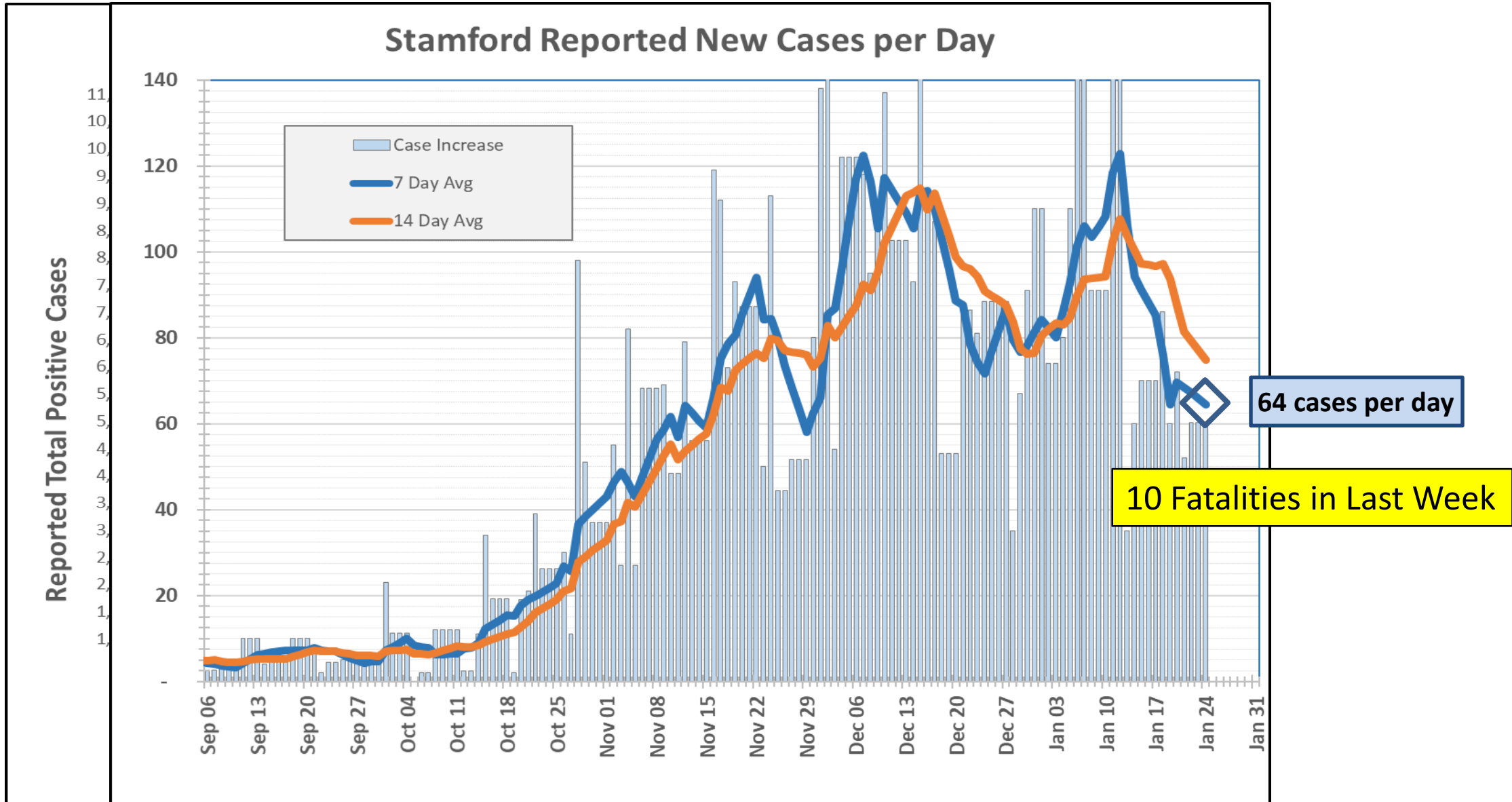


1,930 new cases/day

241 Fatalities in last week

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Case Trends



State of the Connecticut: Covid 19 Vaccination Rate

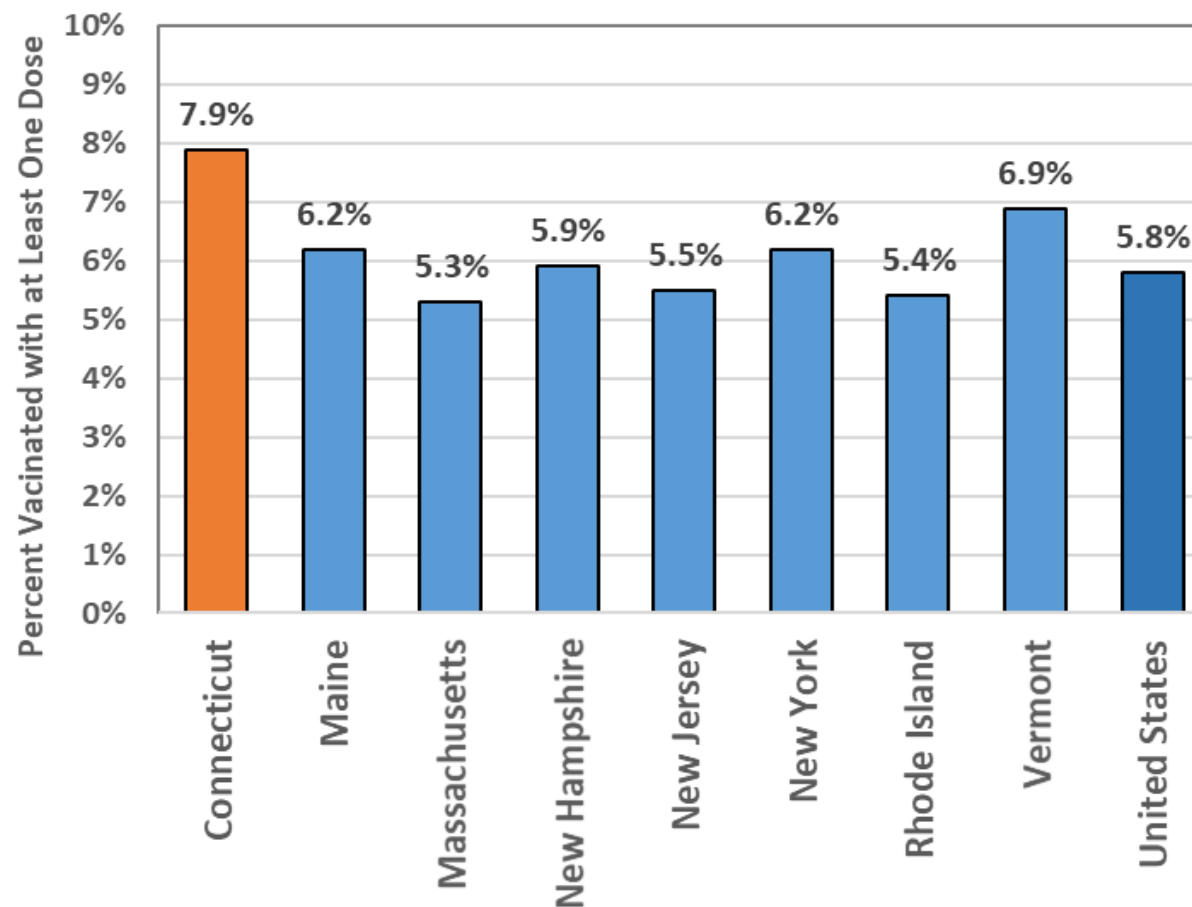


Connecticut Specific Statistics

- 282,674 First Doses Administered
7.9% of state's population
- 42,421 Second Dose Administered
1.2% of Population

Source: Center for Disease Control
Data updated 1/25

Percent Vaccinated With At Least One Dose Northeast States



All information updated on our website

For All Test Site Locations, Times and Changes: www.stamfordct.gov/covid-testing



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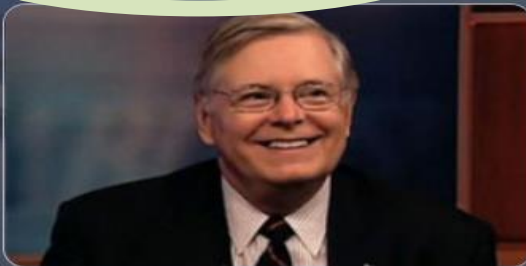
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Mayer David Martin

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COVID-19 Resource Center

- How to get tested
- Volunteer program
- Suspended services
- Business assistance



COVID Frequently Asked Questions

When can I get vaccinated?

Do I need insurance?

Which form do I fill out?

Will there be a "super site" for vaccinations?

Can I volunteer to help?

Can I get vaccinated with my spouse?

What phase are we in?

Is there transportation to get to a vaccination site?

Which vaccine are you using?

QUESTIONS?

Ask us!

AskMayorMartin@stamfordct.gov



Get CT State COVID Updates by Email or Text

- Register at [Portal.ct.gov/Coronavirus/COVIDCT](https://portal.ct.gov/Coronavirus/COVIDCT)

COVIDCT

Sign Up for COVIDCT Updates

Get the latest alerts and updates on the vaccine rollout, COVID-19 testing, and critical public health alerts directly from state and local officials. These alerts and updates will be delivered via phone call, text message, email or a combination of all three.

[SIGN UP NOW](#)

This system is a critical way to receive up-to-date, accurate information so you can make the right decisions to keep you and your families safe and healthy during this pandemic. This system has been developed by the State of Connecticut in collaboration with Everbridge.



Local officials have been granted use of this system to share COVID-19 related messaging with you.

Signing up is easy, it only takes a few minutes, and after you sign up, you will receive the next update sent from state and local officials.

Vaccine Eligibility
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Other Important Updates



State of the City: COVID19 School Update

Stamford Public Schools

COVID-19 Dashboard

Stamford Public Schools (SPS) is committed to providing transparent, accurate and timely information regarding cases of COVID-19 in our district. When SPS receives notification of a positive case, the Stamford Department of Health (DOH) will conduct contact tracing. Families and/or staff members who were in close contact will be notified of the need to quarantine or self-isolate.

IMPORTANT NOTES:

- Dashboard data includes SPS staff and students only.
- Contact tracing occurs following each positive test result.
- Close contact is defined as an individual who was within 6 feet or closer, for 15 minutes or more.
- In keeping with the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act, and other privacy protection laws, SPS will always maintain the confidentiality of students or staff members, and no data will be provided that could be linked to identifiable information.



<https://www.stamfordpublicschools.org/district/covid-19-school-reopening-information>

The following information will be updated weekly.

NEW CASES

Only includes new cases reported since previous week's dashboard.

57 Number of Confirmed Positive Cases
.30% of total staff and students

33 Number in Quarantine*
*from school-related exposure only
.18% of total staff and students

CUMULATIVE CASES**

728 Number of Confirmed Positive Cases
3.87% of total staff and students

1,158 Number in Quarantine*
*from school-related exposure only
6.16% of total staff and students

****The cumulative numbers have been adjusted to reflect a reconciliation of reports with the DOH.**

UPDATED: JANUARY 22, 2021, 9:30 a.m.

Last Week New Case Incidence in SPS ≈ 0.30%

Last Week Incidence in Stamford Population ≈ 0.34%

Cumulative Case Incidence in SPS ≈ 3.9%

Cumulative Case Incidence in Stamford Population ≈ 8.8%

Phases of Vaccination

- **Phase 1A:** Very high risk and Frontline workers (well underway)
 - Healthcare workers
 - First responders
 - COVID-19 vaccinators (healthcare professionals and support)
 - Long-term care
- **Phase 1B:** Essential functions of society/risk of severe COVID-19 illness
 - **Persons 75 years and older (current priority group)**
 - Critical municipal employees
 - Teachers
 - Persons 65 years and older
 - Persons with underlying medical conditions
- **Phase 2**
 - People at increased risk of acquiring or transmitting COVID-19
 - People with limited access to routine vaccination services
 - General population (a few)
- **Phase 3**
 - General population (everyone)

~ Early February





Simplified Vaccination Signup

Book an appointment

Filter by: specialty: choose a specialty visit reason: COVID-19 Vaccine Dose 1



Stamford Hospital - COVID-19 Vaccination

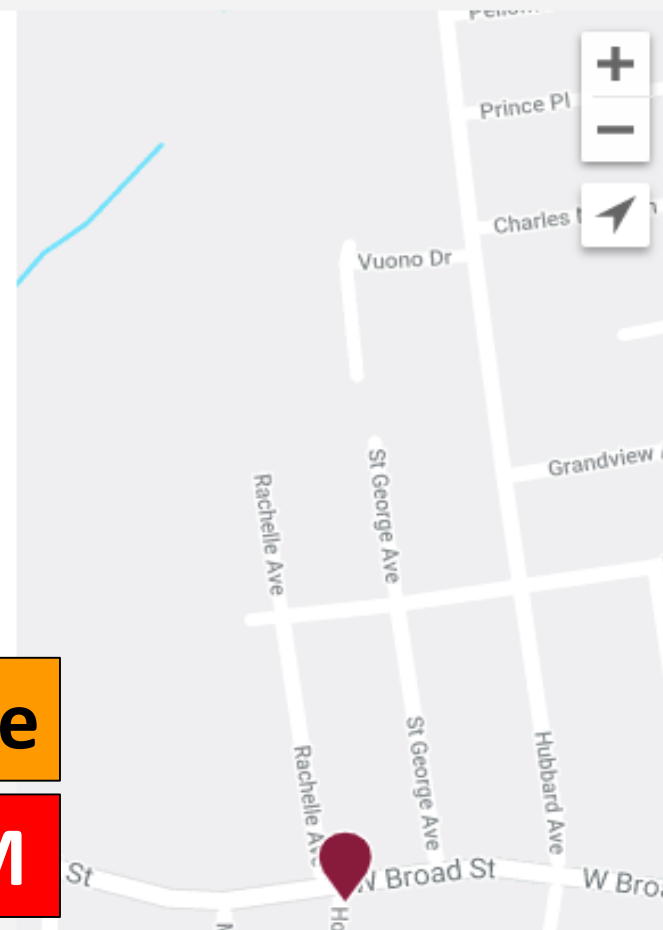
COVID-19 Vaccination Facility

Tue Jan 26 Wed Jan 27 Thu Jan 28 Fri Jan 29

Stamford Hospital - COVID-19 Vaccination

1 Hospital Plz, 2nd Fl
Stamford, CT, 06902

—	9:10 am	8:10 am	8:00 am
—	9:50 am	8:20 am	8:10 am
—	10:50 am	8:30 am	8:20 am
—	more	more	more



Online: StamfordHealth.org/Covid19Vaccine

Phone: (203) 276-7300 Mon-Fri 9AM-4PM

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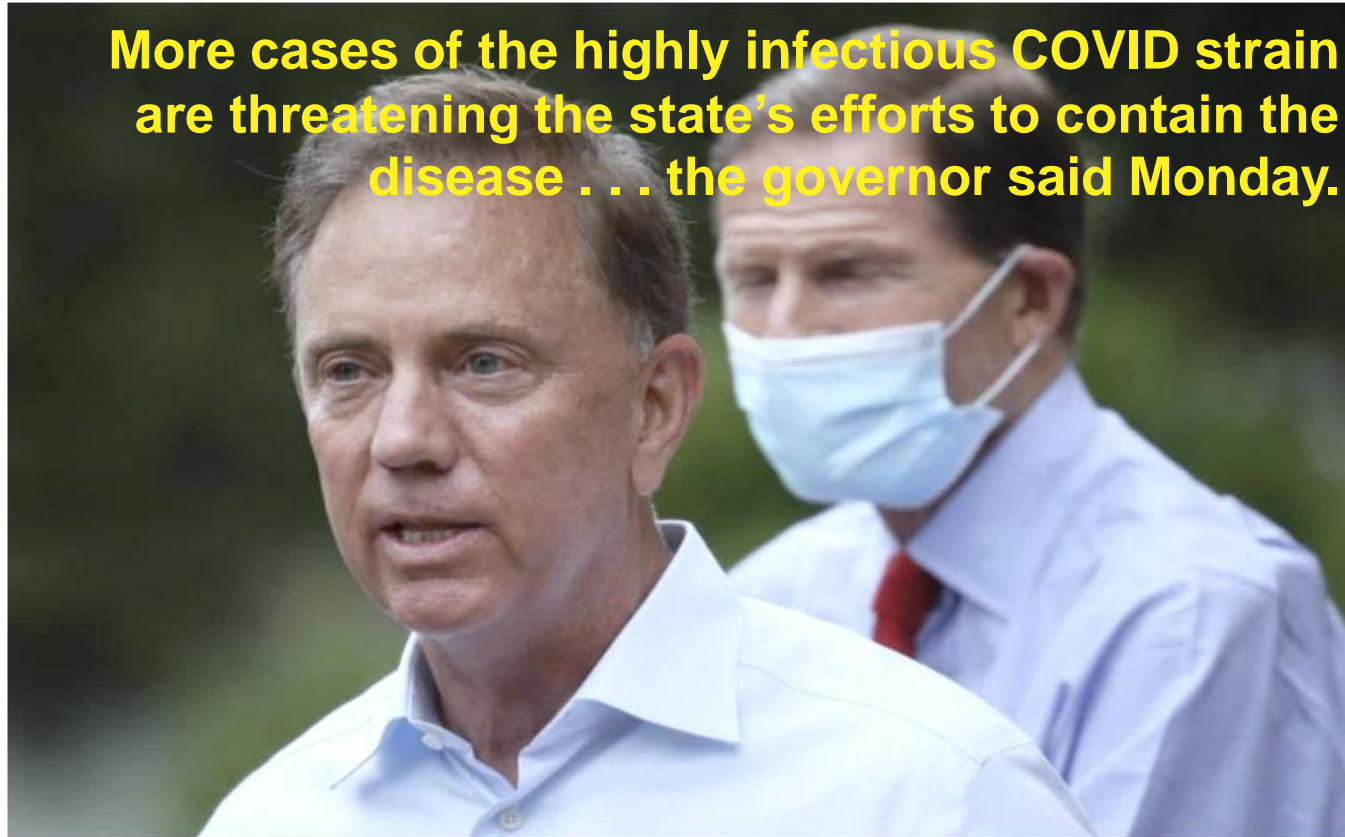
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Lamont: 'Super-infectious strain' threatens efforts to contain COVID

Ken Dixon, Peter Yankowski

Jan. 25, 2021 | Updated: Jan. 25, 2021 8:02 p.m.

More cases of the highly infectious COVID strain are threatening the state's efforts to contain the disease . . . the governor said Monday.



— Gov. Ned Lamont, in a file photo with U.S. Sen. Richard Blumenthal
John Minchillo / Associated Press

COVID Variants

- Mutations occur randomly, common among RNA viruses (e.g. influenza)
 - Most are inconsequential but can potentially effect infectivity, virulence, immune recognition
 - Detected via viral gene sequencing
- New strains
 - VOC 202012/01 – UK, EU
 - 501Y.V2 – South Africa
 - Variant P.1 – Brazil, SE Asia
- Very high community spread
 - 75% more transmissible
 - Increased deaths, hospitalizations
 - Pressure on PPE, lab tests, beds
 - Increase need for travel restrictions, public health measures, hospital preparedness
 - Acceleration in vaccination campaigns
 - Expand risk groups
 - Alter dosing regimens
 - Monitor deployment

Source: European CDC 1/21/21

Figure 2. Proportion of UK SARS-CoV-2 sequences classified as VOC 202012/01 per week, and total sequences per week from the UK

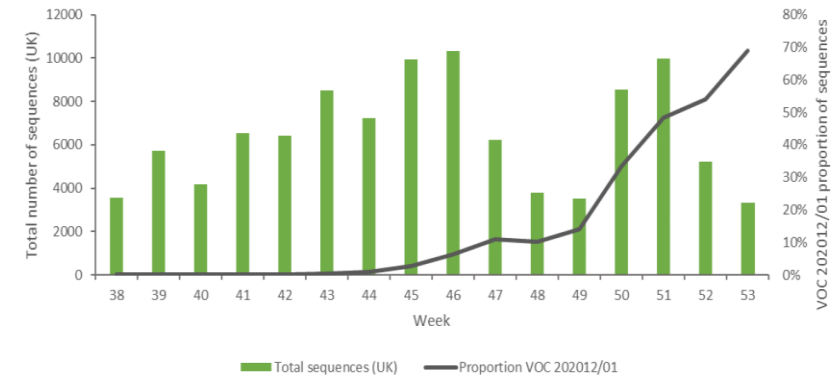
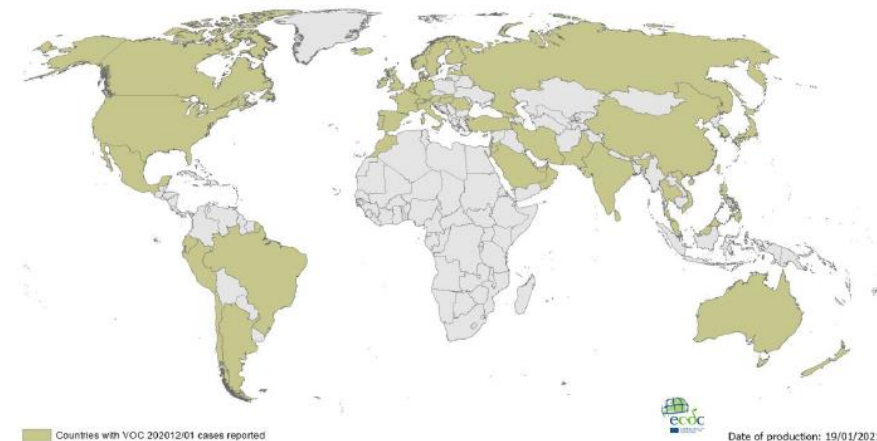


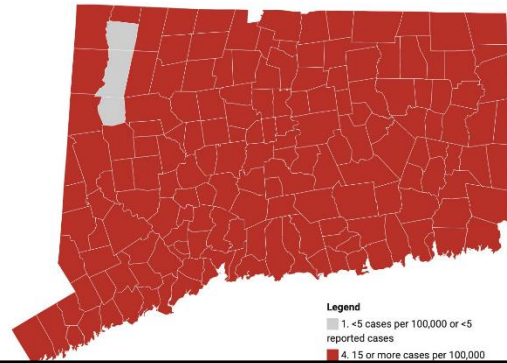
Figure 4. Countries reporting cases of VOC 202012/01 worldwide, as of 19 January 2021



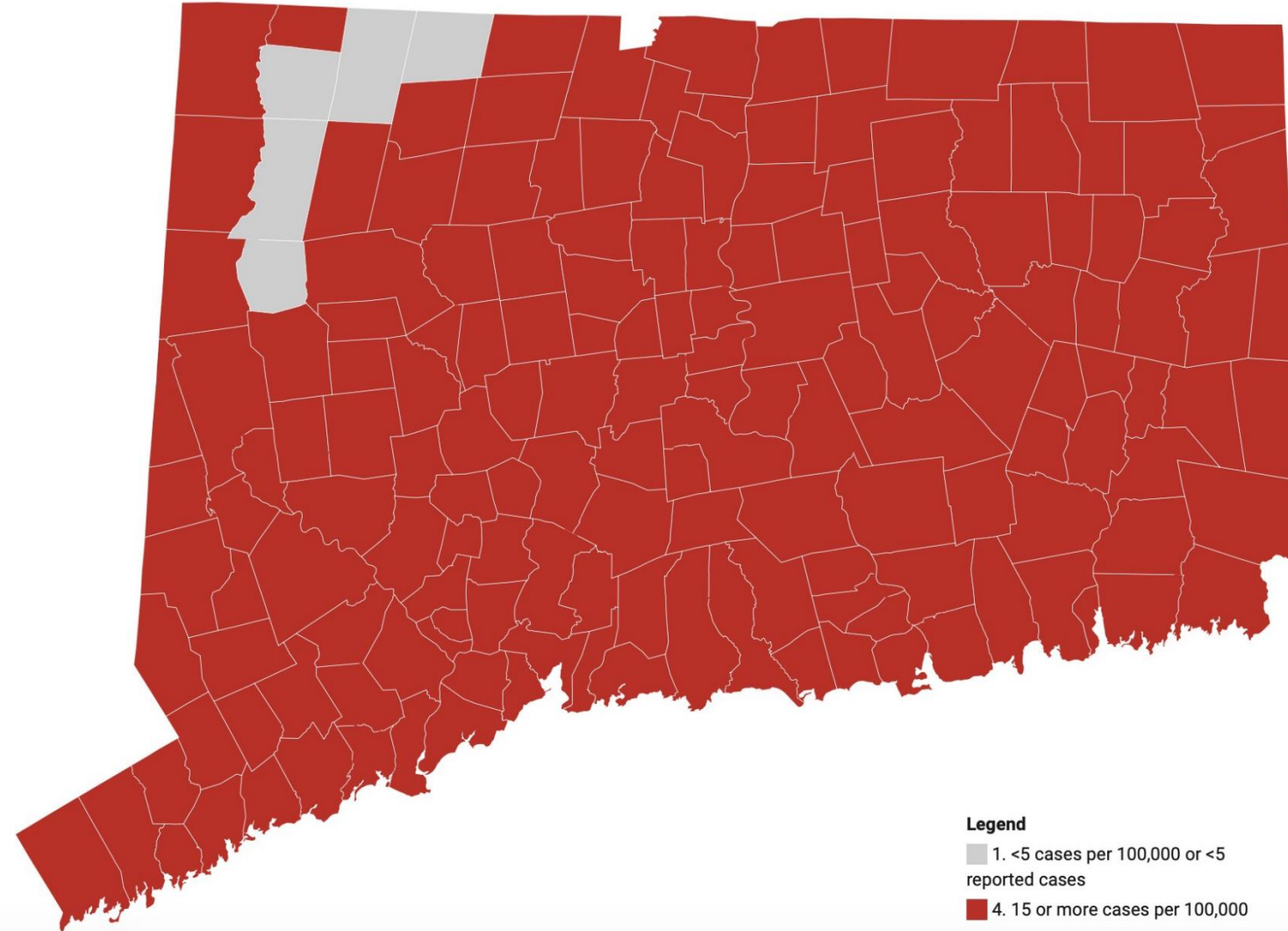
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Average Daily Rate of COVID-19 Cases Among Persons Living in Community Settings per 100,000 Population By Town

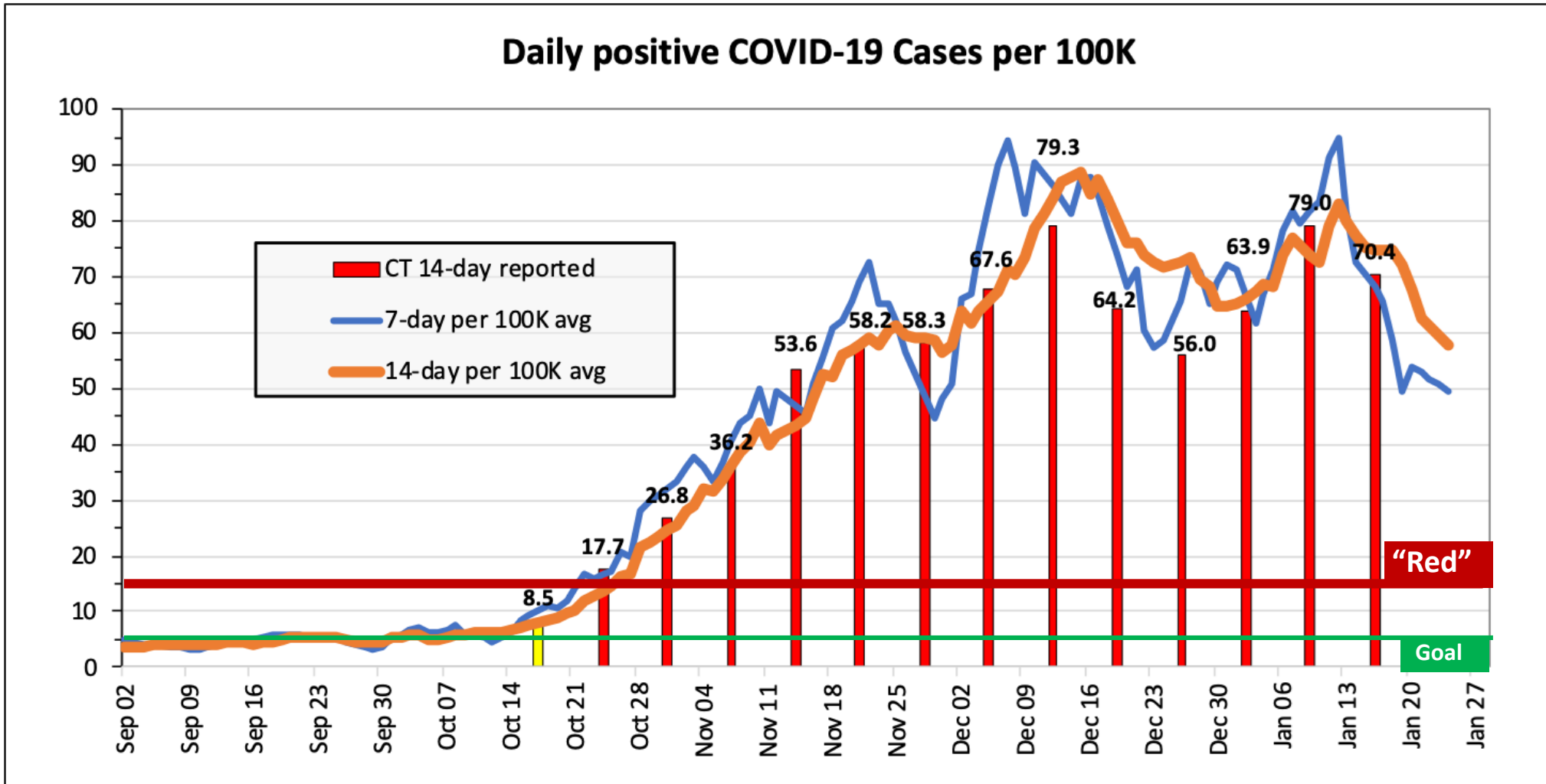


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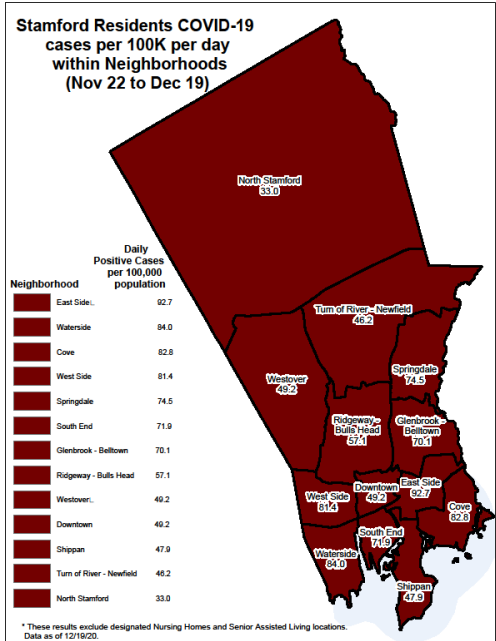


Source: CT.GOV
 Daily case averages through 1/14, downloaded 1/18.
 CT 14-day reported for previous 2-week period (12/27-1/9), as reported 1/14

State of the City: COVID19 Neighborhood Case Levels

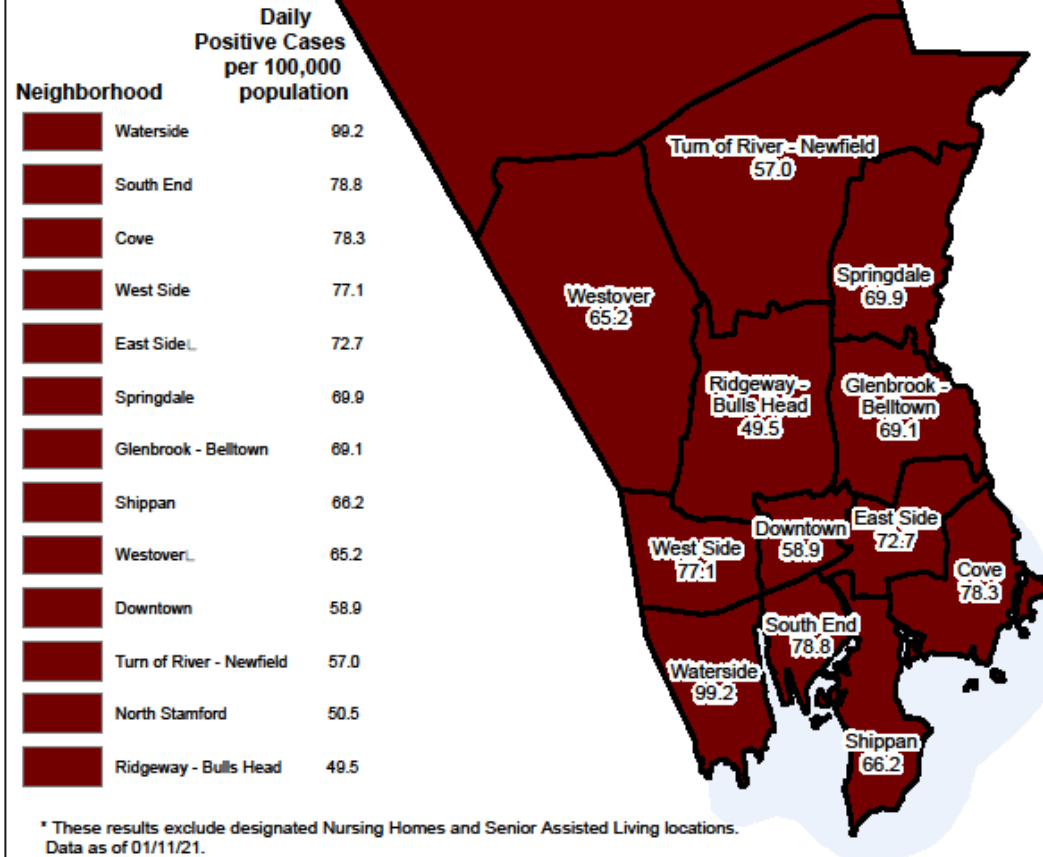


**Every Stamford
Neighborhood is "Purple-
Red" with Coronavirus**



Last Neighborhood Map

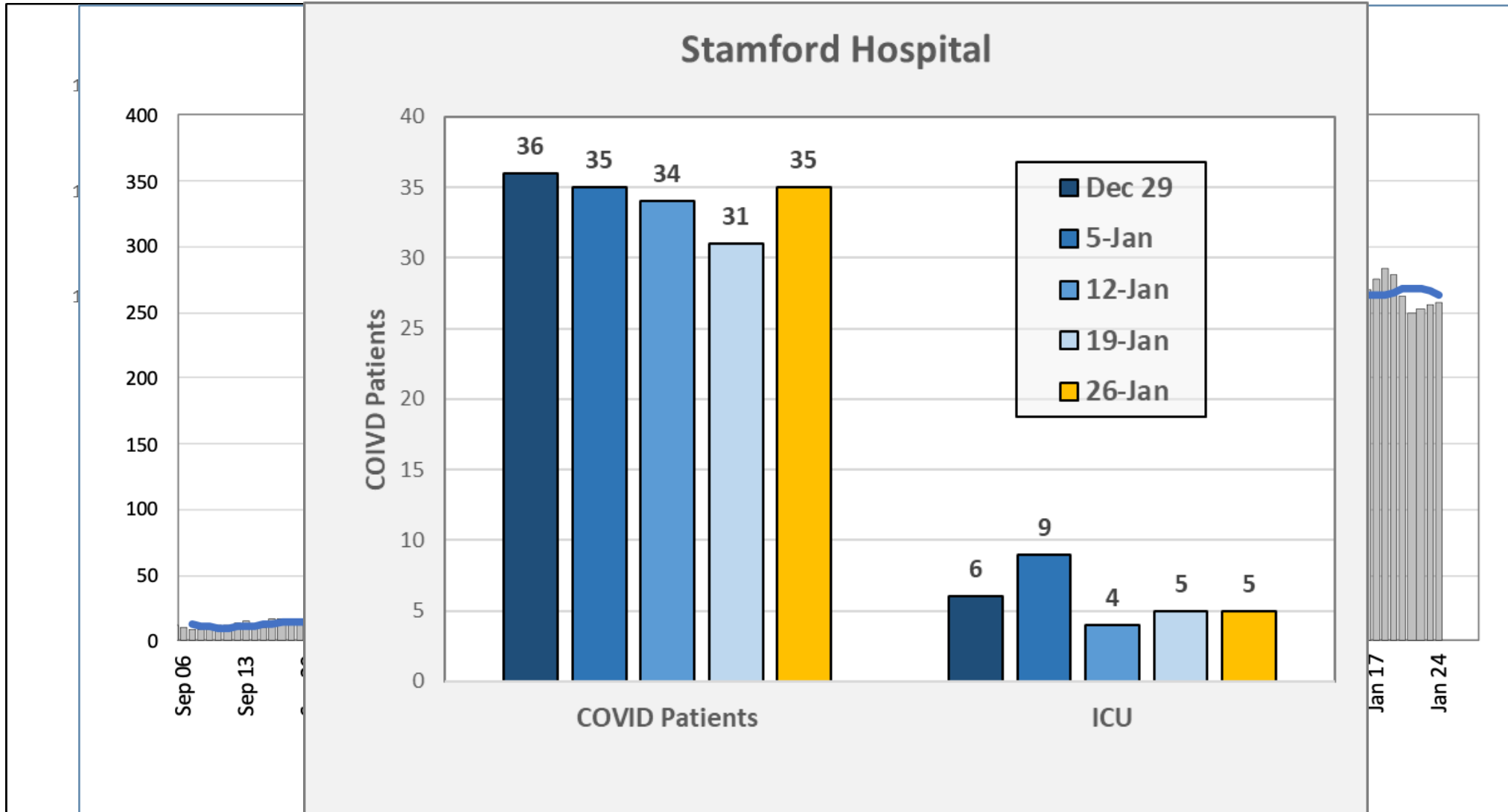
Stamford Residents COVID-19 cases per 100K per day within Neighborhoods (Dec 20 to Jan 11)



Excludes Nursing Homes/Senior Care Facilities

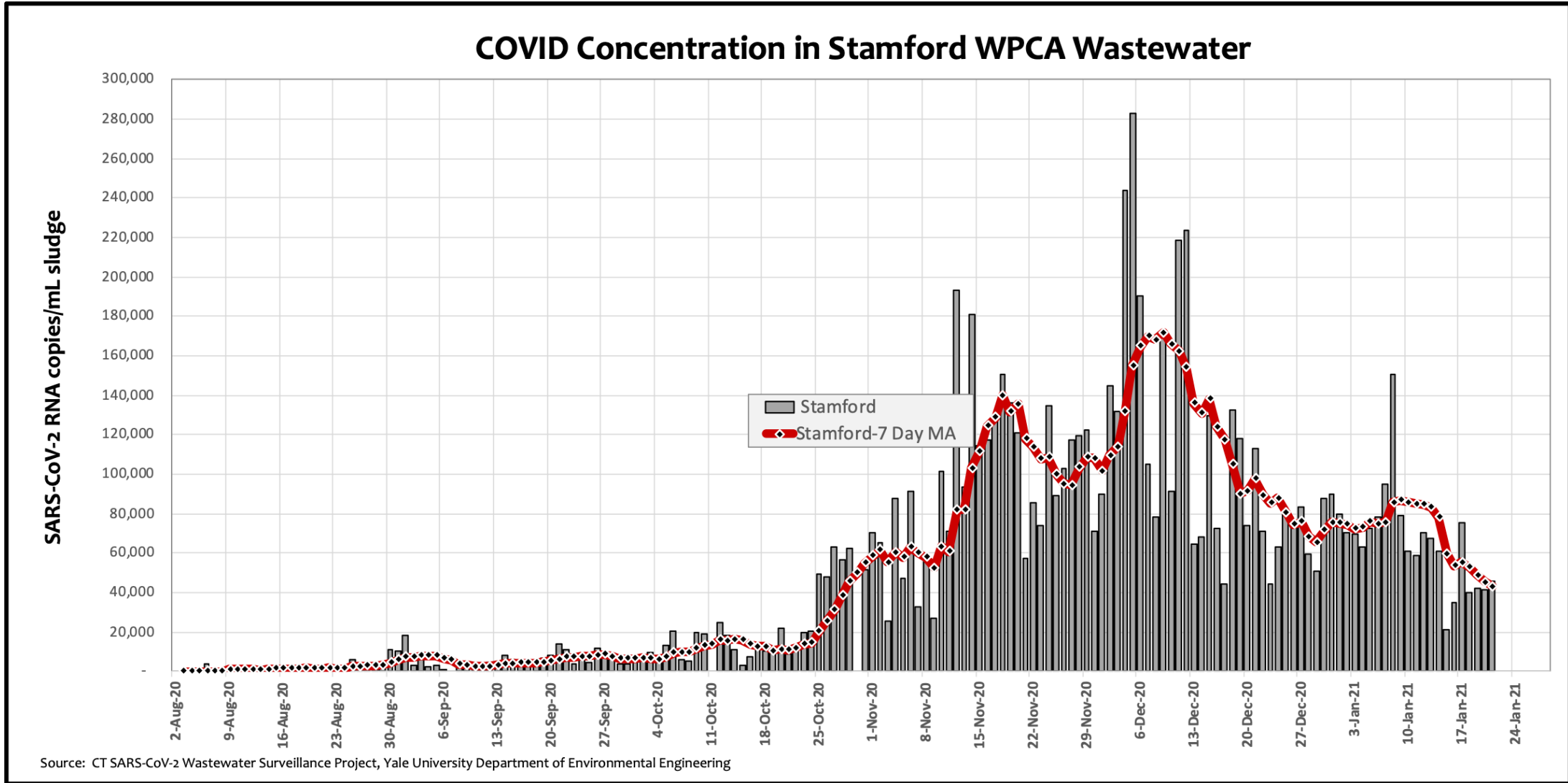
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Hospitalization Rate



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WPCA Wastewater COVID Concentration

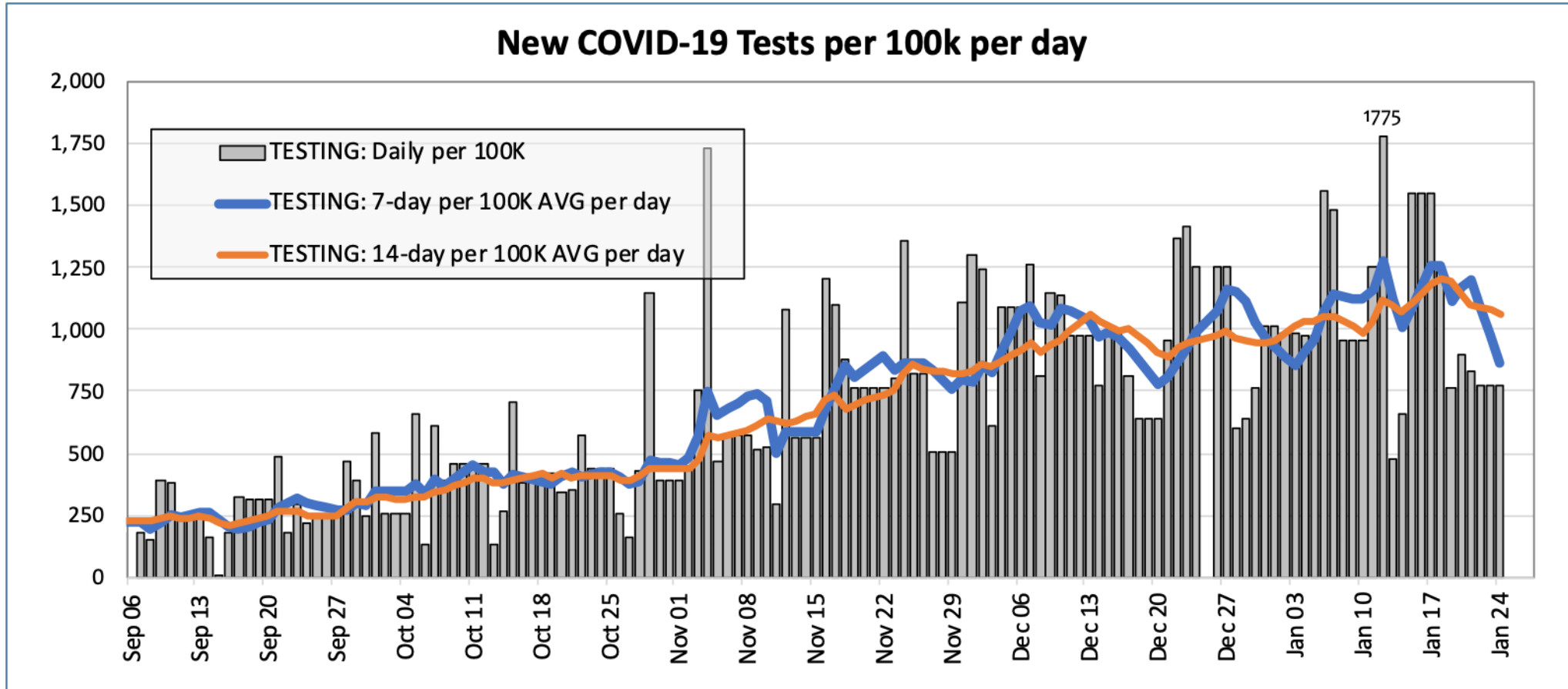


Data through 1/21/2021, retrieved 1/25/2021

Source: CT SARS-CoV-2 Wastewater Surveillance Project, Yale University Department of Environmental Engineering

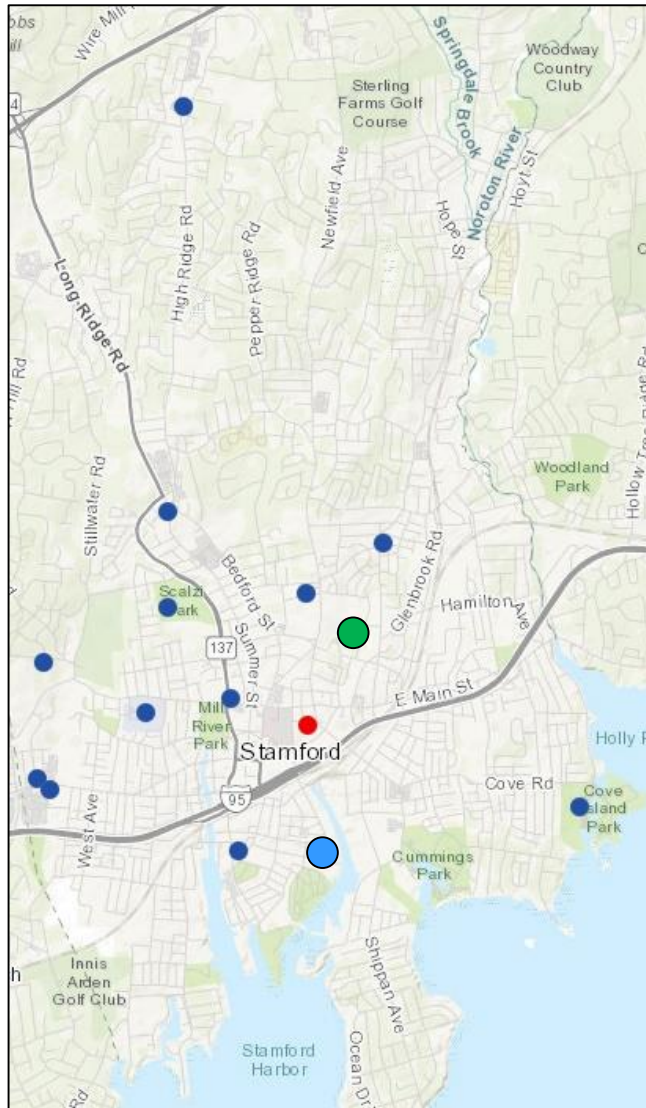
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Testing Trends



Source: CT.GOV, data through 1/24, downloaded 1/25

COVID-19 Testing Update



FREE Test Sites with Quick Throughput and Results

- CIC Health at Dinosaur BBQ Site – 845 Canal Street
 - <https://www.cic-health.com/test>
 - Walk-in; self administered PCR Test
 - Appointments Required
 - Results in 24-36 hours
 - Monday – Friday 8am-7:45pm
 - Saturday-Sunday 12pm-5pm
- Sema 4 at Stamford High School Hillendale Parking Lot
 - Drive Through
 - Results in 24-48 hours
 - Sunday, 10am-2pm
 - Monday- Friday, 4pm-7pm

COVID-19 Testing



Click Here to View Our Interactive Map of Testing Sites

www.stamfordct.gov/covid-testing

Welcome to the City of Stamford's COVID-19 Testing Sites Map

Through this map anyone can access updated information about COVID-19 testing sites in the City of Stamford.

Use the filter bar on the right to pick a day of the week you want to be tested and other preferences like testing sites that don't require appointments or insurance coverage. Then choose a testing site on the map to find the address and testing hours as well as other information. Check back for frequent updates.

Red - temporary pop-up testing site
Blue - ongoing permanent testing site

Find address or place

NO APPOINTMENT REQUIRED

NO INSURANCE REQUIRED

NO PRESCRIPTION REQUIRED

Monday Testing

Tuesday Testing

Wednesday Testing

Thursday Testing

Friday Testing

Saturday Testing

Sunday Testing

Vaccines are coming...



...but COVID-19 is still a concern!



Wear Mask Over Nose & Mouth



Social Distancing



Frequent Handwashing

NO LARGE GATHERINGS/PARTIES