



COVID-19 RESPONSE

CITY OF PORTLAND
EMERGENCY COORDINATION CENTER



Situation Status Report

INCIDENT NAME: COVID-19

CITYWIDE READINESS STATUS: Full Activation

ECC GENERAL PHONE: 503-823-2323

INCIDENT WEBSITE: City of Portland [COVID-19 information website](#)

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A. VACCINE NEWS AND RESOURCES

CITY EMPLOYEE VACCINATION UPDATE

Oregon Residents and Workers

Using an equity framework, OHA is currently distributing COVID-19 vaccine in line with the phased approach recommended by CDC's Advisory Committee on Immunization Practice (ACIP), outlined in Oregon's Vaccination Program (<https://govstatus.egov.com/OR-OHA-COVID-19>). Neither the City (nor any other employer) has authority to determine their own prioritization categories.

- Multnomah County will be offering vaccine clinics for frontline workers that work for local public jurisdictions, over the next two weeks. Sign up information will be shared directly with the City frontline workers who have indicated they would still like access to a vaccine, as well as through bureaus to contractor staff.

Even after City employees begin receiving vaccinations, the [City's face covering directive](#) will remain in effect. Always continue wearing face coverings when working indoors, and when in the presence of others while working outside. Never come to work when experiencing illness symptoms. Speak up when colleagues are not following these directives. We are all responsible for our workplace safety culture.

PORTLAND METRO VACCINE SITES

- [Oregon Convention Center \(OCC\)](#)
- [PDX Airport Red Economy Parking Lot clinic](#)
- [OHSU clinic](#)

Oregon Vaccine Resources

- OHA [Vaccine finder](#)
- State of Oregon [COVID-19 Vaccination Plan](#).
- OHA [Phase 1a Vaccine Sequencing Plan](#).
- OHA [vaccine information](#).
- OHA vaccine [dashboard](#).
- [Página del OHA sobre la vacuna](#).
- OHA vaccine [information](#).
- OHA [vaccination](#) FAQ.
- [COVID-19 Vaccine Information for Older Oregonians](#)
- [COVID-19 Vaccine Information for Frontline Workers](#)
- [COVID-19 Vaccine Information for People with Underlying Health Conditions with Increased Risk](#)
- OHA [guidance](#) on what you need to know about the new COVID-19 vaccines.
- Multnomah County [vaccine page](#).
- Community members with technology or language barriers who are experiencing difficulty registering for vaccine appointments despite being eligible can get help in Multnomah County by calling 503-988-8939 or covidvaccineinfo@multco.us.
- NPR/OPB [vaccine tool](#).

Veterans

- On Monday April 5, the VA Portland Hospital expanded vaccinations to all veterans, caregivers and spouses.

- The [Veteran Affairs \(VA\) Portland Health Care System](#) offering COVID-19 Vaccines for Veterans.

Washington Residents

- As of April 15, Washington state's vaccine eligibility includes all Washingtonians 16 years of age and older.
- In Washington the vaccine is available to anyone 65 and older, and all people 50 and older who also live in a multigenerational household. This is in addition to populations eligible during phase 1A including health care workers at high risk for COVID-19 infection, first responders, people who live or work in long-term care facilities, and all other workers in health settings who are at risk of COVID-19.
- Residents must have proof of eligibility for COVID-19 vaccine before approaching any provider.

VANCOUVER METRO VACCINE SITES

- For specific locations for Vancouver metro area vaccines, see Washington Vaccine Resources (below).

Washington Vaccine Resources

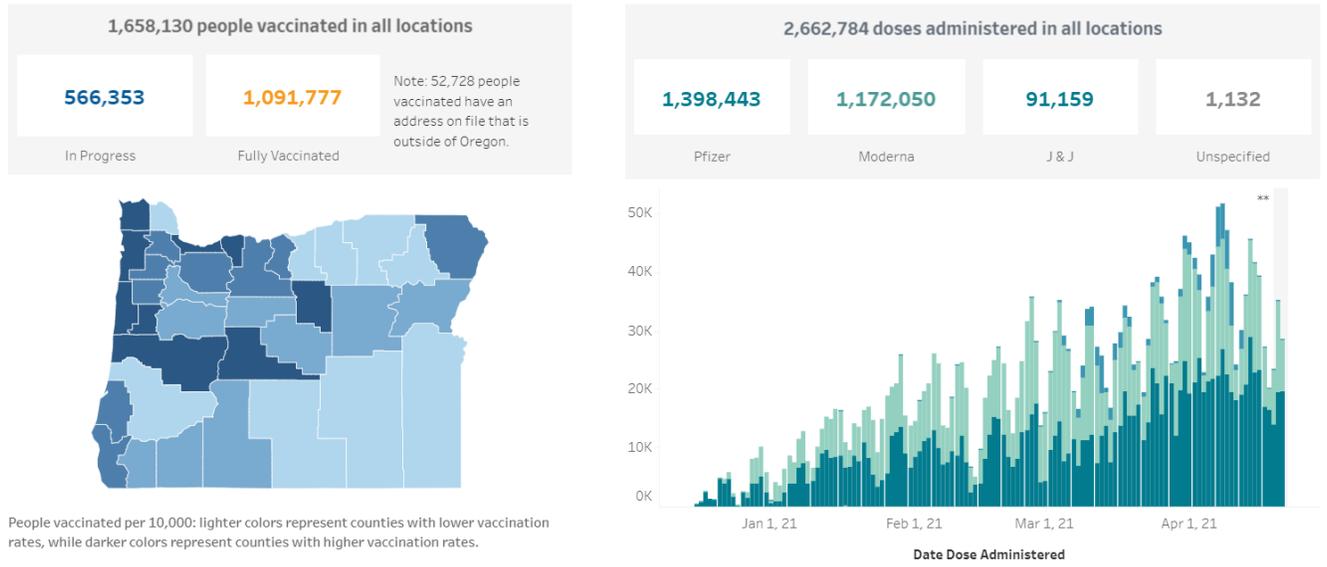
- [Washington Vaccine Information.](#)
- [Washington's COVID-19 Vaccine Phases.](#)

NATIONAL VACCINE RESOURCES

- CDC [essential worker guidance webpage.](#)
- CDC vaccine [information.](#)
- CDC [Interim Playbook for Jurisdiction Operations.](#)
- CDC [COVID-19 Vaccination FAQ.](#)
- CDC vaccine [tracker.](#)
- CDC [V-safe after vaccination health checker.](#) In multiple languages.
- Vaccine appointments at pharmacies:
 - [Walgreens](#)
 - [RiteAid](#)
 - [Safeway](#)
 - [Costco](#)

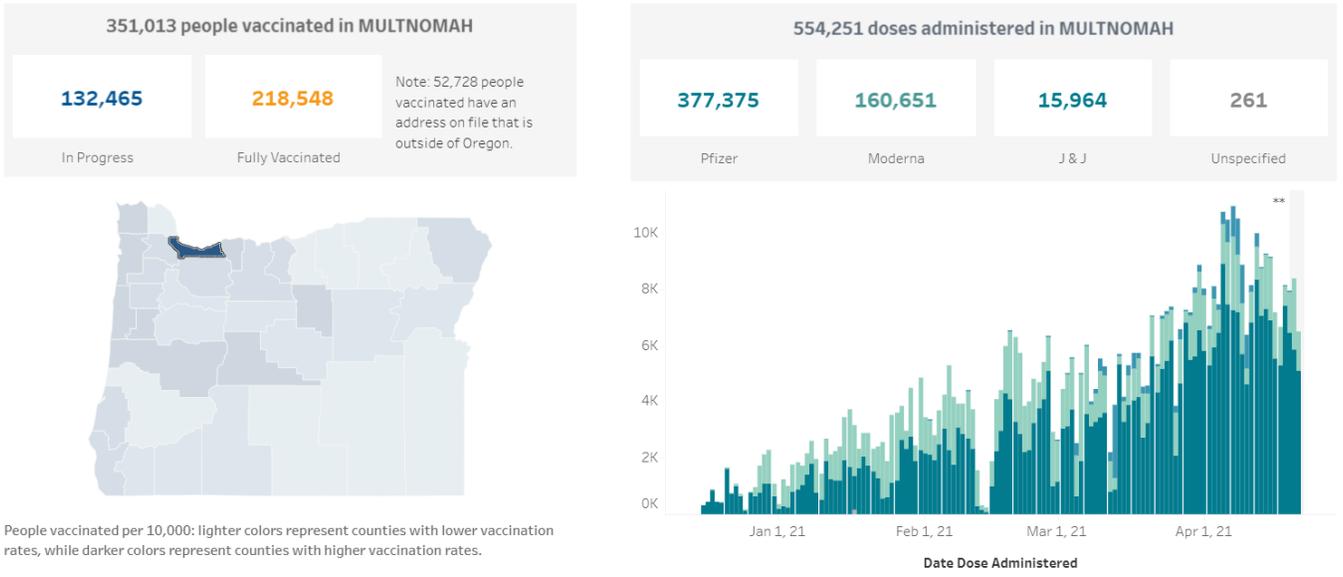
Oregon's Vaccination Trend: Doses Administered by Day as of April 22.

This chart shows the total number of COVID-19 vaccine doses that have been given in Oregon.



Multnomah Vaccination Trend: Doses Administered by Day as of April 22.

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Source: [OHA COVID-19 Vaccination Trends](#)

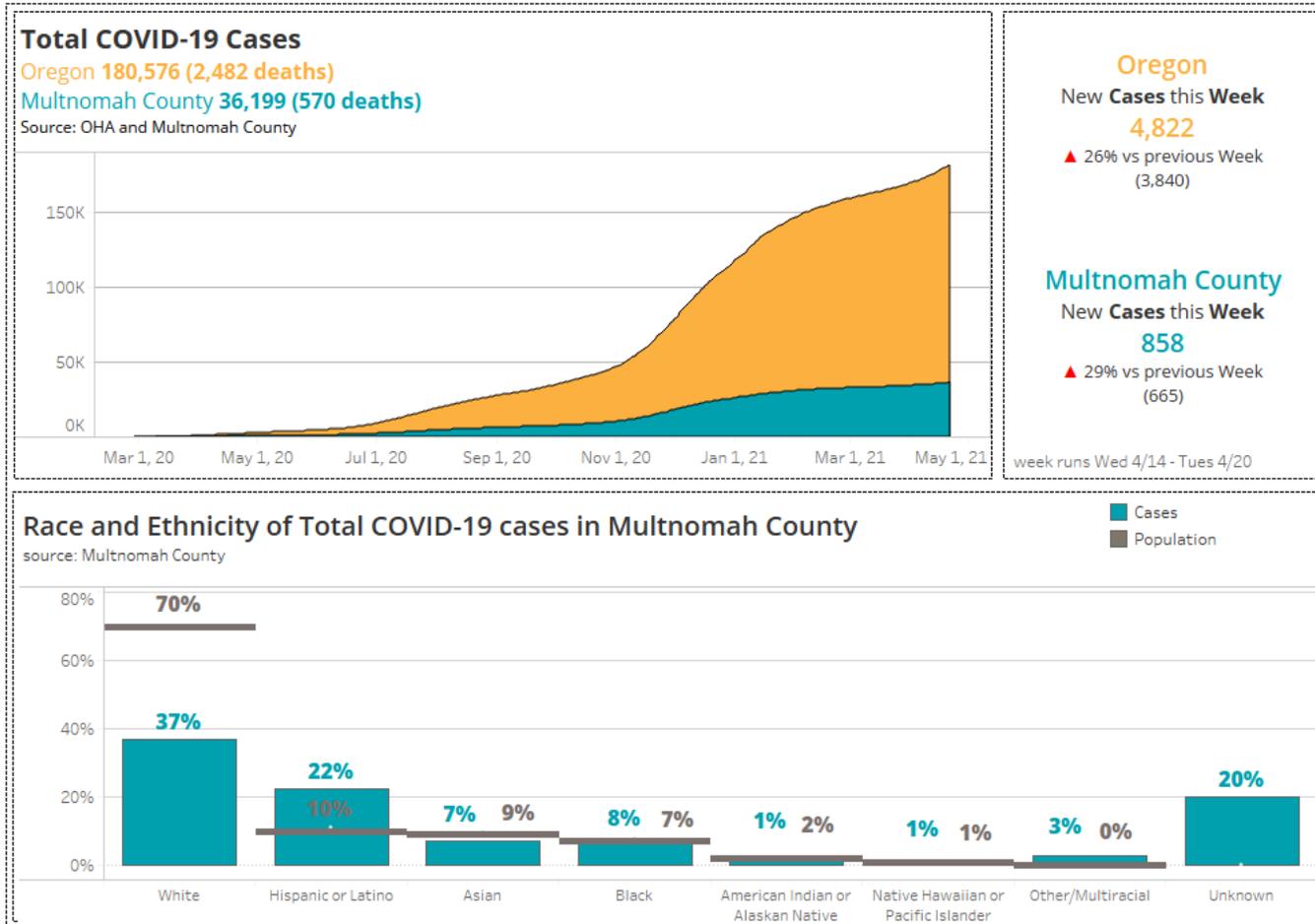
Local and Regional Vaccine News

- On April 21, [OPB reported](#) that Lewis & Clark College will require COVID-19 vaccinations for students.
- On April 20, [KATU News reported](#) that it's proven too hard for Americans to control COVID-19 by modifying our behaviors, the available and approved vaccines are the only things that doctors say will stop this ongoing pandemic.
- On April 19, [Fox News reported](#) that Portland students launched free tool to find COVID-19 vaccine appointments at pharmacies.

National and International Vaccine News

- On April 22, [ABC News reported](#) that 77 inmates at an Iowa prison were given overdoses of COVID-19 vaccine.
- On April 22, [ABC News reported](#) that the number of Americans getting vaccinated is on the decline.
- On April 22, [CNN reported](#) that a new study found only two breakthrough infections among hundreds of fully vaccinated people.
- On April 22, [The Washington Post reported](#) that health officials lean toward resuming Johnson & Johnson COVID-19 vaccine, but with a warning.
- On April 21, [OregonLive reported](#) that FDA inspection found problems at factory making Johnson & Johnson vaccine for COVID-19.
- On April 21, [The White House announced](#) that President Biden to call on all employers to provide paid time off for employees to get vaccinated after meeting goal of 200 million shots in the first 100 days.
- On April 21, [NBC News reported](#) that a CDC report shows that COVID-19 vaccine appears to be safe during pregnancy.
- On April 21, [NBC News reported](#) that as COVID-19 cases rise among young people, some high schools are stepping up to become teen vaccination sites.
- On April 21, [The Associated Press reported](#) that the first batch of COVID-19 vaccines lands in opposition-held Syria.
- On April 21, [NBC News reported](#) that E.U. regulator finds possible link between Johnson & Johnson COVID-19 vaccine and blood clots, the European Medicines Agency said the overall benefits of the Johnson & Johnson vaccine still outweigh the risks of side effects.
- On April 21, [USA Today reported](#) that America reaches milestone with COVID-19 vaccine widely available to those who want it, but hesitancy still casts a shadow.
- On April 21, [CNN reported](#) that US may soon reach a tipping point on COVID-19 vaccine demand, here's why that's concerning.

B. SITUATION SUMMARY



OVERVIEW

Significant events in this reporting period

Governor Kate Brown loosens restrictions on indoor sports; Portland to launch renter-landlord mediation program to avert some evictions; India reported more than 314,000 new COVID-19 cases, the world's biggest ever single-day jump of new infections, as the country struggled to keep a surge of infections from overwhelming its healthcare system.

Local and Regional News

- As of April 22, there are 283 confirmed coronavirus hospitalizations in Oregon. The [Oregon Health Authority \(OHA\)](#) releases these numbers daily.
- On April 22, [OregonLive reported](#) that US jobless claims fall to lowest level of pandemic, Oregon claims are down too.
- On April 21, [OregonLive reported](#) that Portland to launch renter-landlord mediation program to avert some evictions.
- On April 21, [KATU News reported](#) that frequently changing county risk levels impact Oregon's event industry.
- On April 21, [Washington State announced](#) that COVID-19 Immigrant Relief Fund expands with \$65M in additional funding on April 21.

- On April 21, [The Columbian reported](#) that Clark County school districts follow own courses to finish out school year.
- On April 20, [OPB reported](#) that more than half of Oregon counties at high risk for COVID-19 transmission.
- On April 20, [OregonLive reported](#) that as COVID-19 hospitalizations jump and Oregon reports 580 new cases, Governor Kate Brown loosens restrictions on indoor sports.
- On April 20, [KOIN News reported](#) that COVID-19 case forces Oregon House to suspend floor sessions.
- On April 20, [OregonLive reported](#) that Portland’s World Naked Bike Ride is canceled this year, but organizers still want you to ride your bike naked.

National and International News

- On April 22, [The Washington Post reported](#) that COVID-19 reaches Everest base camp, creating perfect setup for a super spreader event.
- On April 22, [The Wall Street Journal reported](#) that India reported more than 314,000 new COVID-19 cases, the world’s biggest ever single-day jump of new infections, as the country struggled to keep a surge of infections from overwhelming its healthcare system.
- On April 22, [USA Today reported](#) how long will masks be required on planes, flight attendants say mandate should be extended.
- On April 21, [The Guardian reported](#) that hundreds of Indians, including Delhi government administrators, have begged for help finding supplies of oxygen and other crucial medical supplies on social media as India reels from a devastating second wave of COVID-19, leading to caseloads growing by nearly 300,000 every day.
- On April 21, [ABC News reported](#) that Paris perfumers help COVID-19 long-haulers regain their sense of smell.
- On April 21, [ABC reported](#) that US urges Americans not to travel to a majority of countries amid unprecedented risk, the State Department updated its travel warning system to sync with the CDC's.

WEATHER

April 8 to April 12 Forecast by [National Weather Service](#):



C. ECC ACTIONS

COMMAND

- Co-facilitated interviews for Vaccine Operations Administrative Assistants with Co-Lead.

- **Shared opportunities for County vaccine clinics with City frontline staff and contractors.**
- **Attended Reasonable Employment Accommodations training.**

VACCINE OPERATION SECTION

Portland Fire & Rescue and the ECC partnered to create a community vaccine clinic plan and are hosting an appointment-only drive through clinic every Friday and Saturday, in partnership with Multnomah County. Appointment invites are conducted via Multnomah County's outreach program to communities of color and immigrant and refugee communities.

- **Hired a new CSA staff member, projected start date Thursday April 29.**

COORDINATION SECTION

Food Security

Address food security needs with the most vulnerable communities in Portland.

GENERAL

[ECC Food Security Project Dashboard](#)

HOUSEHOLD ASSISTANCE CARDS

Working with \$1.5 million for the general funds. 750K will be spent on cards in \$150 increments split into three (3) phases of distribution. Recipients will be selected in partnership with Community Based Organizations (CBOs) identified by the Joint Volunteer Information Center (JVIC) and people with disabilities. This CBO engagement ensures assistance reaches those who may not qualify for federal aid based on immigration status, and hesitation about accessing government services.

- **Checked-in with staff at the Equitable Giving Circle; first deliveries expected to be delivered soon.**
- **Phase 1 distribution is wrapping up; two more no-value contracts with CBOs are complete and distribution to planned.**
 - **Four more contracts to be completed.**
 - **Eight cards are reserved for JVIC's allocation for community members with disabilities.**

Phase 2 Distribution started; cards purchased and are at the ECC and working with JVIC to allocate them.

SUN School Household Assistance Cards:

- **Hiring process for internal candidate for part-time SUN Schools Coordinator underway.**
- **Continue receiving distribution logs from SUN Schools and continued data entry.**
- **Troubleshooting household assistance cards that are not working properly.**

Joint Volunteer Information Center (JVIC):

The goal of this program is to reach those with the greatest food security needs and to focus on populations that will continue to be most impacted over time. The JVIC coordinates volunteers and respond to offers and requests for assistance from the community.

- **Finished final formatting/editing of the JVIC CBOs summit summary report.**

- Emergency sponsorships ordinance submitted by PBEM administration on April 20.
- Portland NET volunteers working with Meals on Wheels People to connect the elderly to vaccine appointments.
- Coordinated with PP&R to provide summer camps information to JVIC advocates and the CBOs requesting this information.

Sheltering and Restroom Access

Provide houseless individuals access to shelters that allow safe physical distancing, and additional hygiene facilities to promote public health.

- Ongoing review of potential sites for the temporary Outdoor Emergency Shelters run by ***Creating Conscious Communities for People Outside:***
 - Parking lot at 84 NE Weidler St.
 - Parking lot at 2300 SW Naito Parkway
- Do Good Multnomah continues to move in new residents at St. John’s Village and expects to be at full capacity by April 23.

ECC FINANCE

ECC Finance supports finance management for the Coordination Section projects.

- Met with Resource Unit and PBEM staff to discuss plan to transition ECC staff timekeeping duties to ECC Finance team.
- Updated temporary Outdoor Emergency Shelter expense projections through June 2021 with flexibility to remove expenses as they are transitioned to Joint Office of Homeless Services.
- Prepared billing packets for the CARES projects that have been completed.
- Reviewed the Contractor Agreement Template for ERAP (Emergency Rent Assistance Program).

EQUITY & LANGUAGE ACCESS

Ensure compliance with Civil Rights Title VI and ADA Title II by institutionalizing an equity framework in all ECC services, communications, decision-making, and resource allocation. Provide equity and language access advisement to all ECC sections and provide guidance in the use of citywide equity tools, guidance, procedures, and resources.

- Provided language access advisement for vaccine clinic operating procedures to ensure the vaccination clinic staff are prepared and trained to respond to public-initiated requests for access, in compliance with civil rights laws.

JOINT INFORMATION CENTER (JIC)

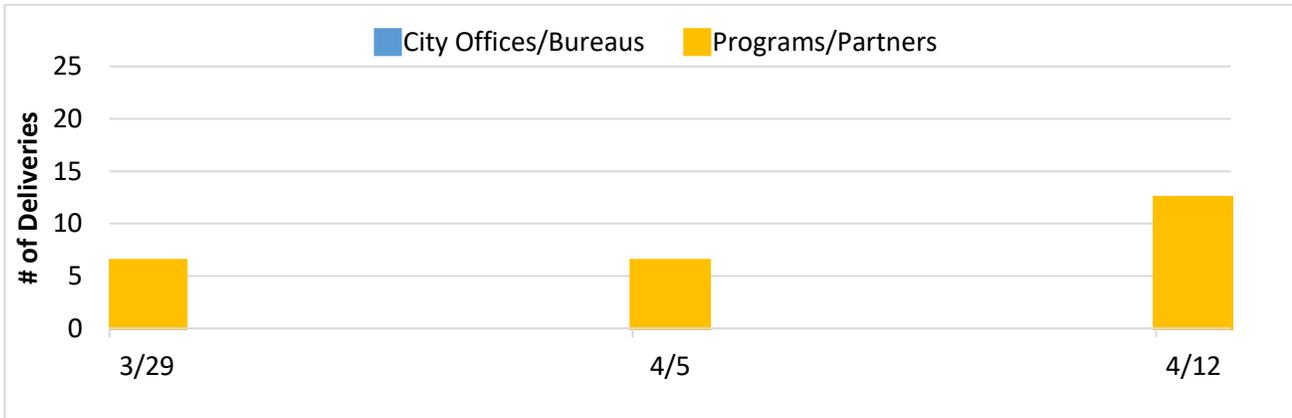
- Participated in onboarding of JIC Social Media Content Producer.
- Provided graphic design support for Facebook vaccination clinic frames.

LOGISTICS SECTION

Accomplishments (as of 4/20/2021):

- 222,769 meals delivered to temporary Outdoor Emergency Shelters.
- Partnered with Multnomah County and Portland Fire & Rescue for several vaccine clinics serving hundreds of community members.

Deliveries to City Offices/Bureaus & Programs/Partners



Deliveries by Week

Efforts to support the emergency supply needs for City of Portland Bureaus continue as needed. From April 14 – April 20 the Supply Unit continues to make progress towards distributing cleaning supplies and PPE to City Bureaus and affiliates.

Bureaus are currently being advised to coordinate delivery and payment of any needed cleaning supplies or PPE with their Bureau-designated Supply Contact.

The Supply Unit also continues to purchase and distribute toiletries and paper products in support of the JVIC (Joint Volunteer Information Center). The JVIC is a joint City of Portland/Multnomah County government project. They connect requests for donations and other materials from local Community Based Organizations to households who can fulfill those requests. From April 14 – April 20, supplies were delivered to the following community partners.

- Risen
- Karen and Zomi Refugees
- Human Solutions
- Historic Park Rose
- Somali Bantu Citizen Group
- Black Community of Portland
- Pacific Islander Community
- Familias En Accion
- Rohingya Youth
- NAYA
- Iraqi Society
- SW Somali

JVIC Distributions

ITEM	DISTRIBUTED
Disposable Mask	33,160
Anti-Perspirant - Men's	6,052
Anti-Perspirant - Women's	5,082
Bar Soap	13,589
Hand Soap, 8 oz. Bottle	6,782
Laundry Soap, ≈ 80 loads	5,181

ITEM	DISTRIBUTED
Disinfectant Wipes, Pack of 20	7,785
Dish Soap, 16-32 oz. Bottle	5,998
Dish Soap, 96-120 oz. Bottle	1,239
Disinfectant, 16-32 oz. Spray Bottle (Industrial)	2,911
Disinfectant, 16-32 oz. Spray Bottle (Commercial)	1,886
Disinfectant, 32 oz. bottle 3% Hydrogen Peroxide	1,392
Bags (Paper Grocery 12"x7"x14")	6,460
Bags (Garbage 13 Gallon)	8,101
Shampoo, 30 oz. Bottle	5,099
Conditioner, 30 oz. Bottle	4,774
Maxipads, Box of 50 - 100 Count	3,456
Tampons, Box of 20 - 50 Count	2,419
Tissue	8,804
Paper Towels	16,060
Toilet Paper	28,940
Disposable Razor	5,586
Toothpaste	9,716
Toothbrush	11,864
Cloth Face Coverings - Child Size	6,480
Cloth Face Coverings - Adult Size	8,420
Chapstick	1,902

Critical Eight Remobilization Inventory for City Bureaus

Item	On Hand
Bottles (various sizes)	6,394
Disinfectant Spray (gal)	180
Face Coverings	2,238
Gloves (various sizes)	229,500
Hand Sanitizer (gal)	538
N95 Masks	4,531
Procedure Masks	47,695
Wipes (packs/cannisters)	58

Critical Eight Distributions by Entity

Distributed to Date	Bottles for Disinfectant /Sanitizer	Disinfectant Spray (gal)	Face Coverings	Gloves	Hand Sanitizer (gal)	N95 Mask	Procedure Mask	Wipes (cannisters)
BDS	322	0	1,500	0	12	200	0	0
BES	44	4	430	0	1	60	200	39
BFPDR	0	0	51	0	0	0	0	0
BHR	3	0	270	200	0	0	50	0
BOEC	144	0	450	8,100	9	0	1,050	71
BPS	0	0	320	0	0	0	0	0
BRFS	0	0	600	50	0	0	0	0
BTS	14	1	788	0	1	20	0	0
OMF/Fleet	271	20	775	200	19	200	1,210	3
PBEM/ECC	39	2	173	430	3	53	202	5
PBOT	2,509	28,193	3,265	11,300	204	720	13,862	118
PF&R	437	0	0	30	95	260	200	198
PHB	17	0	220	700	1	0	270	7
PP&R	1,305	7,050	4,477	45,100	152	906	8,580	184
PPB	386	2	7,152	0	3	2,000	0	150
PWB	372	11	1,833	10,350	43	100	2,412	105
Other Offices/Bureaus*	163	1	890	324	9	152	0	4
Other Programs/Partners+	12,328	114	168	66,556	35	255	3,270	1,221
Total	18,354	35,398	23,362	143,340	587	4,926	31,306	2,105

Notes:

* Includes, but is not limited to, the City Attorney's Office, City Auditor's Office, Commissioners' Offices, Mayor's Office, the Office of Civic Life, and the Office of Equity and Human Rights.

+ Includes, but is not limited to, NET, Aging and Disability Program, JVIC and temporary Outdoor Emergency Shelters.

JVIC Inventory (Not Included in Above)

To date, the Logistics Section has made deliveries to the following 51 organizations through the Joint Volunteer Information Center: Africa Family Holistic Health Organization, African Youth and Community, Asian Pacific American Network of Oregon (APANO), Black Parent Initiative, Beyond Black, Bhutanese Refugees, Bienestar de la Familia, Black Community of Portland, Brown Hope, Community Alliance of Tenants (CAT), Disabled Refugee Alliance, Division Midway Alliance, Ebony Collective, Ethiopian and

Eritrean Cultural and Resource Center, Familias en Accion, Guerreras Latinas, Home Forward, Human Solutions, Impact NW, Interfaith Movement*, Iraqi Society of Oregon, IRCO - Africa House, Karen Speaking Community, Karen and Zomi Refugees, Metropolitan Family Services – Belmont, Mingala Grocery, New Avenues for Youth (NAFY), Nepali Bhutanese Community, Oregon Latino Health Coalition, Oregon Public Health Institute, Pacific Community Thru AFC, Pacific Islander Community through AFC, Portland Community Reinvestment Initiative (PCRI), Portland Mask Project, Portland Opportunities Industrialization Center, Reach CDC, REAP, Risen, Rose CDC, Rosewood Initiative, Samoan/Chuukese Community (North Portland): IRCO, Self Enhancement Incorporated, Slavic Community Center of NW, Somali Bantu Citizen Group, TOGO Core, United Congolese Community Organization of Oregon (UCCO), Urban League Senior Center, Utopia PDX, Verde, Village Gardens, Voz Workers’ Rights.

PLANNING SECTION

- Staffed community vaccine clinics held on April 16 and 17.
- Transferred most vaccine clinic tasks to the Vaccine Clinic Operations Team.
- Assisted Vaccine Clinic Operations Team on data entry, data analysis, and cleanup.
- Continued language access and language line work and contracting for the Vaccine Clinic.
- Integrated ECC Resources Support Staff into Planning Section Team.
- Presented Forward Planning Trends Report to ECC All Staff Briefing on April 22.

ECC RESOURCE UNIT

- Reviewed Position Taskbook draft.
- Implemented document custody and timekeeping procedure.
- Conducted interviews for open vaccine admin positions.
- Posted job bulletin for Logistics Driver position.
- Interviewed SUN School Coordinator candidate.
- Reassigned resource unit tasks, projects and processes.

ECC SAFETY OFFICER

- No updates this reporting period.

D. CITY BUREAU CONTINUITY OF OPERATIONS PLAN (COOP) STATUS

Bureaus with impaired Essential Functions or a COOP status other than “Active” are displayed in the table below. All other bureaus not displayed in this table have COOPs in Active status and no essential functions impacted.

Bureau/Office	COOP/Incident Command Post Status	Essential Function* Status
Development Services (BDS)	Inactive	BDS has expanded Development Hub PDX (DevHub) functionality to allow customers to submit applications and development plans for all residential and commercial building permits, as well as trade permits that require plan review, electronically at any time without an appointment. This is a big change benefiting our customers.
CityFleet	Active	No impacts to essential functions. Discontinued graveyard shift, limiting vendor access to our Kerby

Bureau/Office	COOP/Incident Command Post Status	Essential Function* Status
		Garage. Fleet has discontinued Graham Garage and operations have been relocated to the Kerby Garage. Continued staggered work shifts and 7% of Fleet employees continue to telework.
Emergency Communications / 911 (BOEC)	Partially Active	No Essential functions impacted
Fire & Rescue (PF&R)	Inactive	One Tier 3 essential function suspended: public education office.
Housing	Active	HOME rental inspections delayed
OMF Technology Services	Active	BTS has paused any non-essential projects and has previously set bureau expectations for project delays. P&D continues to deliver meals to the three City sponsored camps seven days a week.
Parks & Recreation (PP&R)	Active, BICP Active	Some essential functions modified.
Police (PPB)	Active, BICP active	Two Tier 1 essential functions are impaired, by 5% or less. 16 Tier 2 and 3 essential functions are impacted to varying degrees.
Water (PWB)	Enhanced Operations	No Essential functions impacted.

**Bureau level essential functions are categorized in four tiers based on the targeted duration of time and a service level within which a function must be restored after a disruption to avoid unacceptable consequences.*

Tier 1: 0-12 hours; Tier 2: 12-72 hours; Tier 3: 72 hours – 10 days; Tier 4: 10-30 days

E. BUREAU DETAILS

Portland Bureau of Emergency Management (PBEM)

- **During this period more than 380 shifts per week are being filled by NET (Neighborhood Emergency Team) and BEECN (Basic Earthquake Emergency Communication Node) Volunteers, working seven days a week for nine simultaneous COVID-19 deployments. PBEM is conducting more in-depth medical industry background checks (FACIS 3) for volunteers at OHSU clinics to meet their legal requirements and maintain a more flexibly deployable workforce. All deployments are included in OERS #2021-0538.**
 - **NET Applicants are now eligible for volunteer shifts at City clinics and are being processed through the normal background check protocol. Seventeen have signed up for shifts in the first 12 hours.**
 - **ECC vaccination clinic at the former Kmart site: Weekly, a few dozen NETs are working at the clinic and subsequent data entry shifts.**
 - **Meals on Wheels People: Seven days/week, 58 Volunteers, scheduling vaccine appointments and arranging round-trip transportation.**
 - **Oregon Convention Center vaccination clinic: Five days/week, 20 Volunteers/day, 7,700 patients/day. Various nonmedical roles through at least June.**
 - **MultCo REACH/OHSU at Emmanuel Church clinic: Three days, 60 Volunteers, 1,244 patients. Focused outreach to BIPOC communities.**
 - **MultCo REACH/OHSU at QUEST clinic: One day, 6 Volunteers, 250 patients. Focused outreach to BIPOC communities.**

- Clackamas Town Center COVID vaccination clinic: 12 Volunteers over two days, 3,500+ patients. Robust traffic management positions at the request of the local CERT (Community Emergency Response Team) and Clackamas Fire District.
- OHSU at the Airport and Multnomah Pavilion vaccination clinics: 104 NET and BEECN Volunteers are in the pool and working at both sites through at least June.
- An OHA clinic volunteer request for volunteers statewide has been shared with NETs.

Portland Fire & Rescue (PF&R)

VACCINATION EVENTS- APRIL 9- 19, 2021

- 15,342 Vaccinations Administered (Since Jan 1, 2021)
- Vaccination Events- April 16-April 19, 2021
 - Friday April 16, 2021- 0630-1800, City of Portland KMART Drive thru- BIPOC Community Groups. (Forty plus City Staff/PF&R Staff on Site).
 - Total Moderna doses given = 287.
 - Saturday, March 17, 2021 0630-1800, City of Portland KMART Drive thru- BIPOC Community Groups. (Forty plus City Staff/PF&R Staff on Site).
 - Total Moderna doses given = 531
 - Saturday April 17, 2021 0800-1830, Holy Redeemer Catholic School. (Four PF&R vaccinators)
 - Total number of vaccinations given = 533
 - Sunday, April 18, 2021 0700-1830, Highland Haven Church. (Four PF&R vaccinators)
 - Total number of vaccinations given = 147
 - Monday, April 19, 2021 0700-1700, Multnomah County Detention Center. (Four PF&R vaccinators).
 - Total number of vaccinations given = 110
- Upcoming Vaccination events
 - Friday April 23, 2021- 0630-1800, City of Portland KMART Drive thru- BIPOC Community Groups. (Forty plus City Staff/PF&R Staff on Site).
 - Saturday, March 24, 2021 0630-1800, City of Portland KMART Drive thru- BIPOC Community Groups. (Forty plus City Staff/PF&R Staff on Site).

F. PARTNERS INFORMATION

STATE

Oregon Health Authority (OHA)

- OHA [COVID-19 Weekly Report](#), released today, shows a fourth consecutive week of surging daily cases and higher hospitalizations than the previous week.
- OHA [guidance](#) on remember to take good care of yourself.
- OHA [announces](#) New Safe + Strong [videos](#) answer vaccine questions.
- OHA [guidance](#) on updates to county risk levels take effect this Friday, April 23.
- OHA [video](#) answers questions about vaccination for 16 and 17-year-old people.
- OHA [announces](#) that the Center for Health Statistics is excited to offer another option for the public to order or change vital record certificates. Required order forms and supporting

documentation can now be submitted in a secure drop box located at the Portland State Office Building.

- [State Risk Level Guidance Chart](#)
- [Find the Status of Activities in Your County](#)

G. RESOURCES

RESOURCES UPDATE

Our resource information is now located on the [COVID-19 webpage](#). The resources page will have information on resources from Multnomah County, City of Portland, Asking Questions and Getting Help, Equity, Volunteering, About COVID-19, Well-being, Housing, Homelessness, Workplace, Food Security and Portland Area Schools & Universities.

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H. APPENDIX A – FORWARD PLANNING DIGEST



COVID-19 RESPONSE

CITY OF PORTLAND
EMERGENCY COORDINATION CENTER



FORWARD PLANNING DIGEST

April 22, 2021

LOCAL AND NATIONAL TRENDS

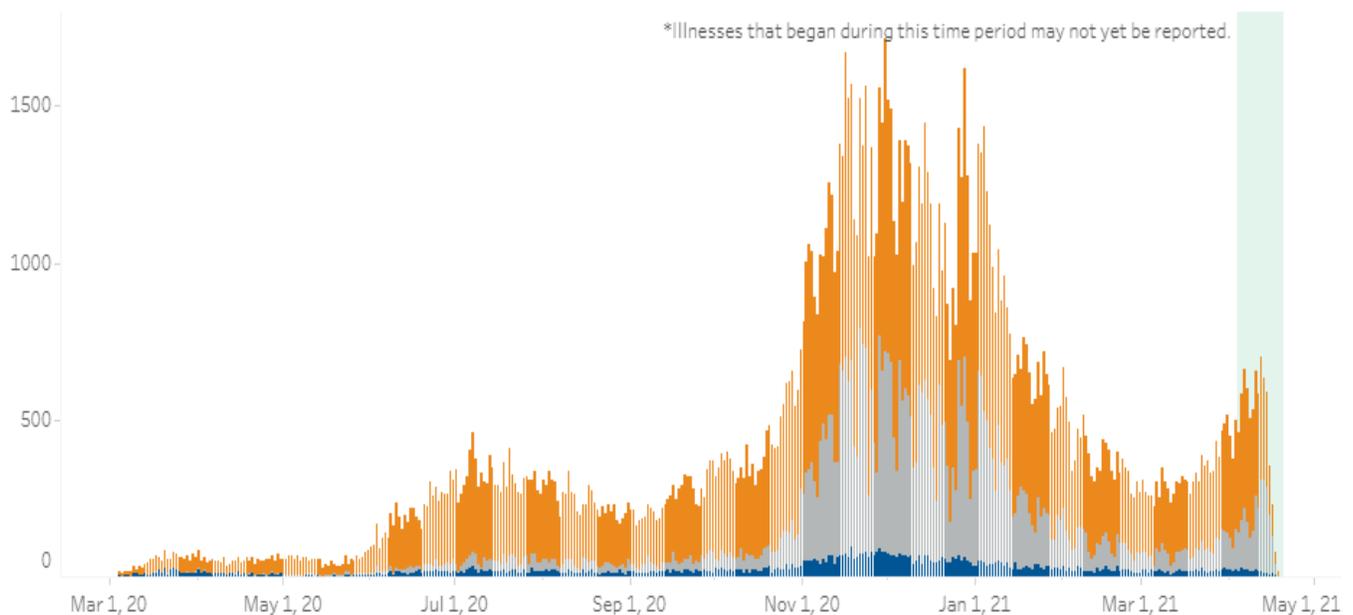
Portland Metropolitan Regional Update

CASES: On April 1, the Oregon Health Authority reported 989 new and presumptive cases of COVID-19, bringing the state total to 176,000. This is the highest number of cases reported in a single day since the pandemic started in Oregon. Oregon has reported 6 deaths statewide, bringing the state total 2,466 deaths from COVID-19.

Oregon's Epi Curve: COVID-19 cases

This chart shows the number of Oregonians who have been identified as COVID-19 cases and whether they were ever hospitalized for their illness.‡

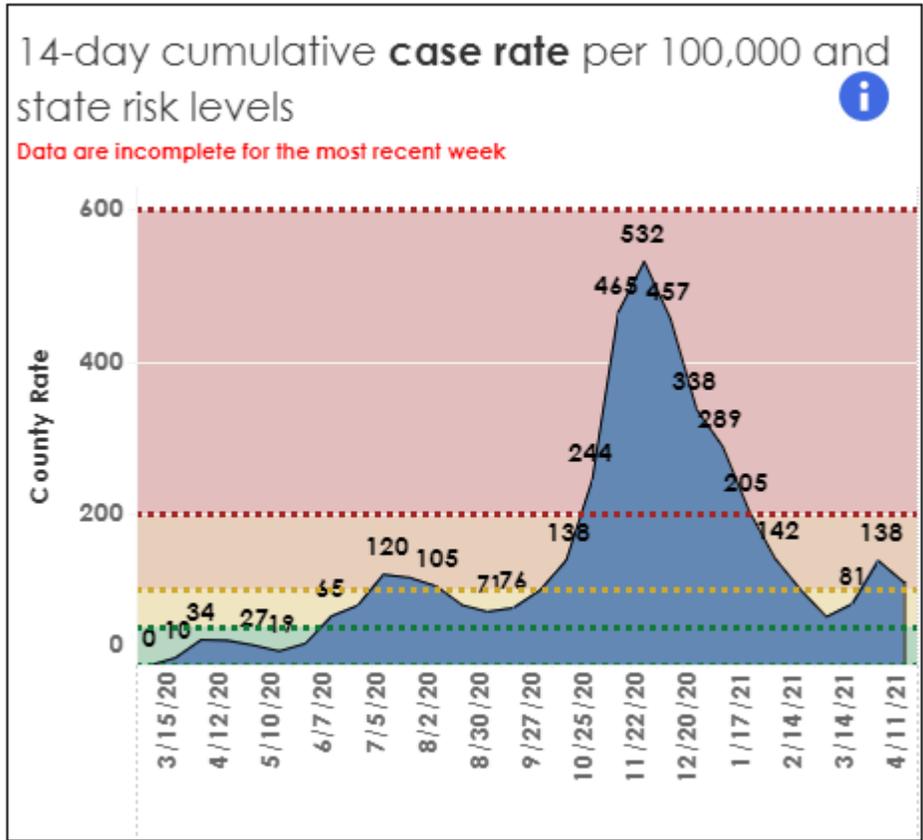
Total Cases	Hospitalized	Not Hospitalized	Hospitalization Status Unknown
176,157	9,693	118,827	47,637



Trending Issues

- LOCAL AND NATIONAL STATUS
- OREGON IS HIT HARD BY NEW INFECTIONS
- YOUR RISK OF CATCHING THE VIRUS FROM A CONTAMINATED SURFACE
- NEW COVID-19 VARIANT MAY BE RESISTANT TO ANTIBODIES
- PREPARING FOR YOUR COVID-19 VACCINE SHOT

Multnomah County



Risk levels and school metrics



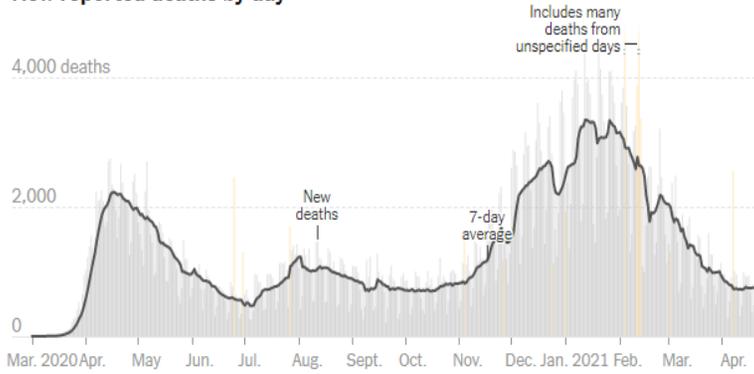
Clackamas, Multnomah, Washington, and Yamhill are all in the "High Risk" category. Based on data from 3/27/21 - 4/10/21



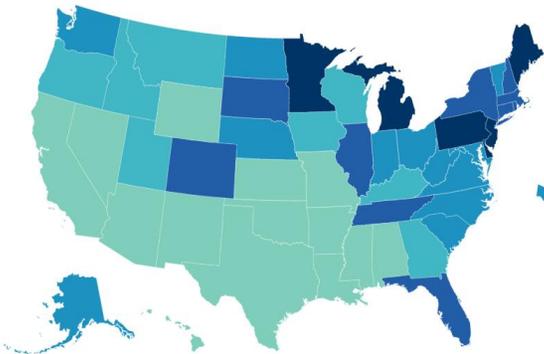
	Clackamas	Multnomah	Washington	Yamhill	Total
No. of Cases	15,440	35,152	23,488	4,120	78,200
Hospitalized %	7%	10%	6%	3%	8%
Deaths	207	578	230	75	1,104

Nationwide COVID-19 Cases & COVID-19 Hotspots in the United States

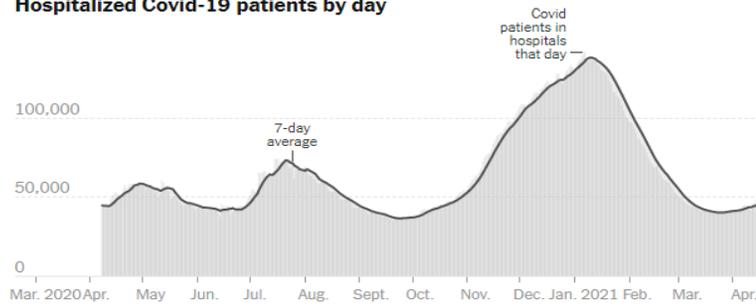
New reported deaths by day



New reported cases by day



Hospitalized Covid-19 patients by day



OREGON IS HIT HARD BY NEW INFECTIONS

- Oregon is sixth in the nation in the number of new per capita COVID-19 infections.
- In the last seven days, Oregon had 108 new cases per 100,000 people.
- This represents an increase of 23% in the last seven days.
- Overall, the U.S. seven-day average of newly reported COVID-19 cases dropped slightly, down two percent from the previous week.

COULD SCHOOLS CLOSE DOWN AGAIN?

- Schools across Oregon have begun reopening for in person learning.
- Transmission between children in schools has been low.
- The risk of transmission is lowest among younger kids and increases by middle and high school.
- In the event of an outbreak that can't be controlled, the school administrator would have the authority to close a school.

YOUR RISK OF CATCHING THE VIRUS FROM A CONTAMINATED SURFACE

- A top Oregon health official is considering indefinitely extending rules requiring masks at all businesses in the state.
- Michael Wood, administrator of the state's Department of Occupational Safety and Health said we are not out of the woods yet.
- Wood said the move is necessary to address a technicality in state law.
- The proposal has generated a record number of public responses, mostly critical, and nearly 60,000 residents signed a petition against the proposal.

NEW COVID-19 VARIANT MAY BE RESISTANT TO ANTIBODIES

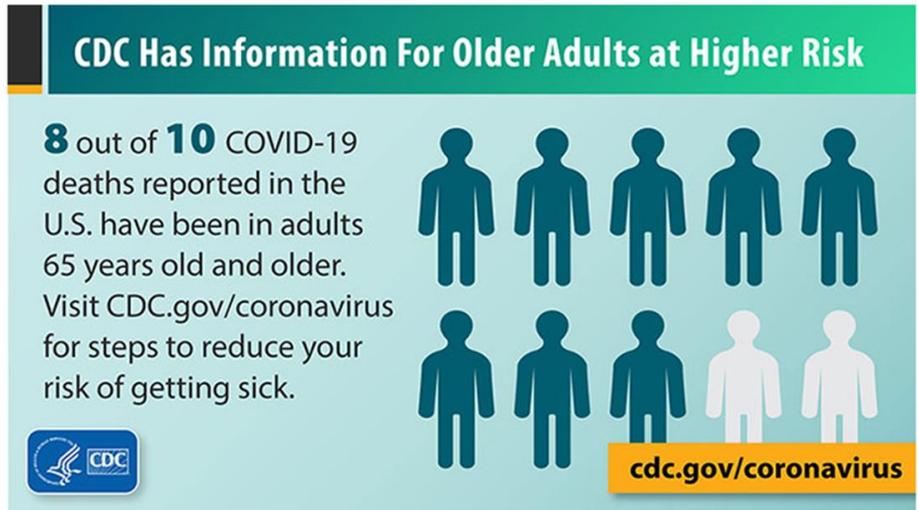
- Researchers at Texas A&M University have identified a new COVID-19 variant called BV-1.
- It was taken from a student as part of an ongoing testing program. Researchers believe it is related to the United Kingdom variant.
- This new variant may cause a longer than normal infection in young adults, and researchers are worried that the variant shows resistance to antibodies.

U.S.-CANADA COVID-19 BORDER CLOSURE EXTENDED AGAIN

- The closure of the border to non-essential travel between the United States and Canada due to COVID-19 has been extended for the 13th time.
- The border closure is now set to last until at least May 21st.
- The border between the two countries first closed 14 months ago in an effort to help slow the spread of the coronavirus.
- Travel restrictions across the U.S.-Mexican border have also been extended until at least May 21st.

AGE INCREASES RISK FOR SEVERE ILLNESS FROM COVID-19

- The risk for severe illness from COVID-19 increases with age, with older adults at highest risk.
- The greatest risk for severe illness from COVID-19 is among those aged 85 or older.
- Compared to younger adults, older adults are more likely to require hospitalization if they get COVID-19.



COVID-19 RISK FROM TOUCHING A CONTAMINATED SURFACE IS EXTREMELY LOW

- The Center for Disease Control says your COVID-19 risk from touching a contaminated surface is less than 1 in 10,000.
- Most people are infected with the coronavirus through exposure to respiratory droplets carrying the virus.
- It is possible for people to be infected through contact with contaminated surfaces or objects, but the risk is considered low.

PREPARING FOR YOUR COVID-19 VACCINATION

- It is not recommended to avoid, discontinue, or delay medications for underlying medical conditions around the time of a COVID-19 vaccination.
- It is not recommended you take over the counter medicine, such as ibuprofen, aspirin, or acetaminophen before your vaccination for the purpose of trying to prevent vaccine related side effects.
- It is not known how these medications might affect how well the vaccine works.

OTTERS TEST POSITIVE FOR COVID-19

- Otters at an aquarium in Atlanta, Georgia, have tested positive for COVID-19, but are expected to make full recoveries and are reported to be doing well.
- According to the aquarium, the otters began exhibiting mild respiratory symptoms such as sneezing, runny noses and coughing.
- It is suspected that the otters may have acquired the infection from an asymptomatic staff member.
- Such transmission is rare, and the otters are off exhibit while they recover.

I. APPENDIX B – CURRENT EAP OBJECTIVES 4/09/21- 4/23/21

COMMAND'S EMPHASIS FOR OPERATIONAL PERIOD (4/09/21 - 4/23/21):

1. Directly protect human life and public health, including the safety and health of all City employees, and incident responders.
2. Proactively identify issues that could pose financial, legal or other risks to the City and our staff. Develop policies that reduce risk to the City and our workers, including reducing the risk of virus transmission. Ensure that response actions do not introduce new risk to the City, staff or volunteers.
3. Support the delivery of emergency services that the City and public depends on.
4. Create and maintain an ECC workforce that is oriented towards sustainability for a long-term incident requiring remote work and promoting ECC staff health and safety.
5. Minimize non-essential efforts and make wise use of resources in anticipation of a long-duration incident.
6. Uphold confidence in City government and demonstrate a unified City effort in response. Use established chains of command and agreed-upon processes for decision-making and communication.
7. Maintain unity of effort for strategic response and recovery planning for economic assistance to affected communities; maintain frequent and open communication between the ECC and City leadership, Prosper Portland, the Mayor's office, and state and federal agencies working on economic recovery efforts.
8. Address the immediate food security, personal protective equipment, and sheltering needs of Portland community members experiencing the largest disparities. Work to recognize, assess, and reduce disparities in the provision of all services and resources provided to the public. By focusing on decreasing disparities, we create an emergency response system that works for everyone.
9. Ensure compliance with Civil Rights Title VI and ADA Title II in all ECC functions. Center our work in service to communities most impacted by COVID-19, which are: Black and Indigenous communities, communities of color, immigrant and refugee communities, people with disabilities and underlying conditions, and people with intersectional experiences of oppression.
10. Create an equitable workplace where employees experience a culture of belonging and inclusivity. Serve as a model of equity and collaboration for other bureaus.
11. Create opportunities for Portland employees who are also members of impacted communities to grow professionally and demonstrate leadership through work in the ECC.
12. Build relationships of trust with community members, partner organizations, and jurisdictional partners, and work to ensure our recovery is building towards a resilient, prosperous, healthy, equitable, and just city for all.

ECC OBJECTIVES (4/09/21 - 4/23/21)

1. ***ECC-Administration/Command:***

- a. Develop position Task Book Training Program of qualifications for specific ECC positions for future deployment. Task books should identify the competencies, skillsets, and responsibilities that personnel should demonstrate to become qualified for a defined ECC position. Complete task books for Chiefs by April 23.
- b. Create ECC Supervisor Handbook for ECC supervisors. Share outline with Command staff by April 23.
- c. Complete leadership training for new supervisors by May 7.

- d. Expand use of the [City's Equity Toolkit for COVID-19 Community Response and Recovery Efforts \(Equity Toolkit\)](#) and the Results-Based Accountability framework across all ECC objectives, projects and priorities.
- e. Use the ECC Effective Communications Guide in all external communications to help ensure ADA compliance and further our equity goals. A person with a disability should be able to share and receive information from the ECC as effectively as a person who doesn't have a disability.
- f. Use the Language Access Guidance for the COVID-19 Response in all external communications to help ensure nondiscrimination on the basis of national origin. External communications should be accessible to all communities in simple language (8th grade reading level), more languages, mindful of cultural norms, and formats or platforms that facilitate meaningful access, such as audio, audio-video, etc.

2. **Vaccine Operations Section**

- a. Transition vaccine operations management from ECC Manager to Co-Lead by April 16.
- b. Transfer duties previously assigned to the Planning Section to the Vaccine Operations section by April 16.
- c. Implement an updated second dose scheduling procedure by April 16.

3. **Coordination:**

- a. St Johns Village shelter opened for its 19 residents on March 29, now working to get all residents moved in over this operational period.
- b. Review and consider two sites to host temporary Outdoor Emergency Shelters; community stakeholder meetings are being held during this next operational period.
- c. Old Town Village site is undergoing maintenance on the wash pod over this operational period.
- d. Continue to monitor progress for contract negotiations between Joint Office of Homeless Services and Right to Dream Two; contract expected to be finalized by April 15.
- e. Begin to coordinate with the Oregon Food Bank, the Children's Levy and PP&R Community SUN Schools to plan for potential federal American Recovery Plan funding.
- f. Coordinate with the Bureau of Human Resources (BHR) on external recruitment for part-time SUN School Coordinator through April 23.
- g. Allocate quantities of PDX Household Assistance Cards from the most recent order to Community Based Organizations (CBOs) by April 16.
- h. Complete PDX Household Assistance Card counting at the ECC by April 23.
- i. Begin delivering food boxes for seniors and people with disabilities to 500 households over the course of four weeks by April 19.
- j. Continue to work with Finance Section and ECC's City Attorney on the City ordinance for CBOs' emergency assistance under a new sponsorship model, file ordinance through PBEM by April 16.
- k. Compile notes from JVIC CBO Summit and share with City officials by April 15.
- l. Continue collecting community inputs inform future investments from the JVIC budget through April 15.
- m. Evaluating the JVIC partnership with The Diaper Bank and reporting needs; adjustments to be completed by April 20.
- n. Continue JVIC partnership with Meals on Wheels to connect seniors with vaccine appointments through April 23.

- o. JVIC to continue on-going vetting of new CBOs to allow their participation in the next round(s) of PDX Household Assistance Cards and household supplies distribution through June 30.

4. **Finance:**

- a. Support CARES Act program and bureau partners until December 30.
- b. Monitor CARES Act funding allocation to identify underutilized funds to be spent by June 30.
- c. Review and audit incident expenses, overtime costs and submit applications for Fire Bureau (FY21 AP 1-9) expenses to FEMA for potential reimbursement by May 15.
- d. Develop initial FEMA vaccine expense reimbursement project by April 30.
- e. Provide financial guidance and support to the temporary Outdoor Emergency Shelters until the transition to JOHS on April 15.
- f. Provide financial and project management support of the central eastside (Blocks B and C) relocation of the temporary Outdoor Emergency Shelters.
- g. Continue to track the status of contracts and agreements through the City procurement process throughout the activation period.
- h. Monitor budgets from Fall Budget Monitoring Process (BMP) allocations for temporary Outdoor Emergency Shelters, hygiene stations and ECC Staff through December 31.
- i. Monitor Federal regulations for the Emergency Rent Assistance Program (ERAP).
- j. Work with Council Offices and City Leadership to plan for future relief and recovery funding.

5. **Joint Information Center (JIC):**

- a. Continue to onboard new Social Media Strategist and develop stories of interest around City COVID-19 response.

6. **Logistics:**

- a. Monitor and anticipate the need to assist in City led community vaccination event through June 30. Provide on-site logistical assistance during vaccine events.
- b. Assemble and deliver Columbia Sportswear “Clothing Kits” to community-based organizations identified by the JVIC by April 30.
- c. Order shipping containers for storage of bi-weekly JVIC supply requests and establish updated delivery procedures in coordination with BTS. Complete by end April 15.
- d. Assist the Food Security Unit with the distribution of household assistance cards through the end of May.

7. **Planning:**

- a. Transition vaccination clinic planning and operational tasks to Vaccine Operations Section by April 16.
- b. Attend and staff vaccine clinic events and assist with pre and post clinic planning and work through the end of the operational period.
- c. Prepare for the April 22 Disaster Policy Council meeting, in coordination with the ECC Manager and PBEM Director.
- d. Update and implement proposal for round four public health poster information campaign by the end of the operational period.

8. **Safety Officer:**

- a. Coordinate with Portland Fire & Rescue to update and modify vaccine clinic safety plan, as necessary.

- b. Provide information on CDC's updated cleaning guidelines for the JVIC newsletter by April 16.

9. **Equity Officer:**

- a. Develop an Equity lens based on the Equity Toolkit, national best practices and resources, and in alignment with existing citywide equity guidance set by the Office of Equity and Human Rights, for use in all decision-making, planning, program design, program and service delivery, resource allocation, and communications to ensure institutionalization of Equity throughout the ECC by end of operational period.
- b. Continue process of creating a draft of an adapted version of the city budget equity assessment tool utilized in city bureau budget process for use in ECC budgetary and resource allocation decision-making by end of operational period.
- c. Continue to provide Equity and Language Access advisement for public-facing vaccination clinic operations in order to ensure the vaccination clinic staff are prepared and trained to respond to public-initiated requests for access, and to put in place protocols to be proactive in compliance with civil rights laws.
- d. Provide written recommendations to ECC Manager and PBEM Director regarding the demobilization of the JVIC by end of operational period.