



San Benito County Public Health Services



COVID-19 UPDATE: APRIL 23, 2021 Epidemiologic Week 16: 4/18/2021 - 4/24/2021

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San Benito County (SBC) Public Health Services continues to work with medical providers to identify and test individuals who meet criteria for COVID-19 testing. As of April 23, 2021, three new cases have been reported, for a total of 5,994 confirmed cases of COVID-19 in SBC. Confirmed cases include patients who have since recovered and those who are deceased. Fifty-three percent (3,173) of positive cases reported were female; ages ranged from 15 days to 101 years (median: 35 years). All results included in this update are current to April 23, 2021 at 3:00PM.

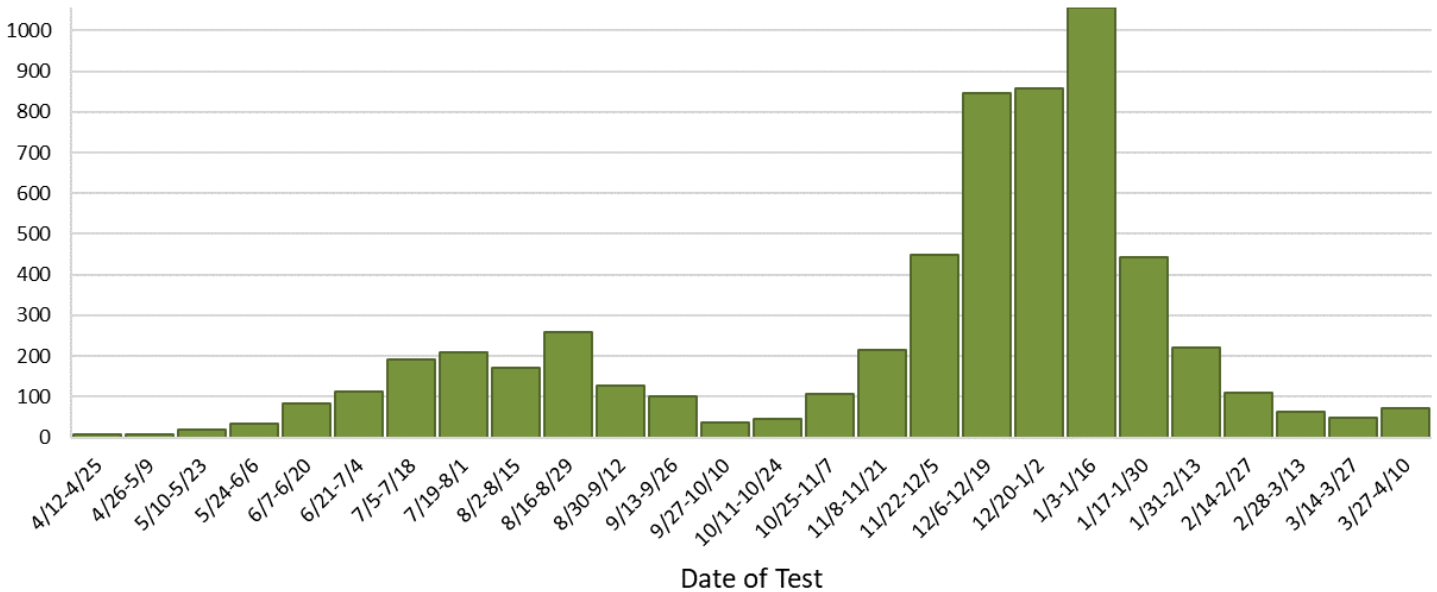
Total	Active	Recovered	Deaths
5,994	41	5,890	63
Negative Results		COVID-19 Required Hospitalizations	
29,702		243	

SBC Cases Likely Source of Exposure	
Classification	Cases
Travel-related	3%
Community Transmission	33%
Person-to-Person	64%

Community transmission occurs when the source of infection is unknown. **Person-to-person transmission** occurs when infection is spread through a confirmed contact. Person-to-person transmission typically occurs in close-contact environments, such as households or workplaces.

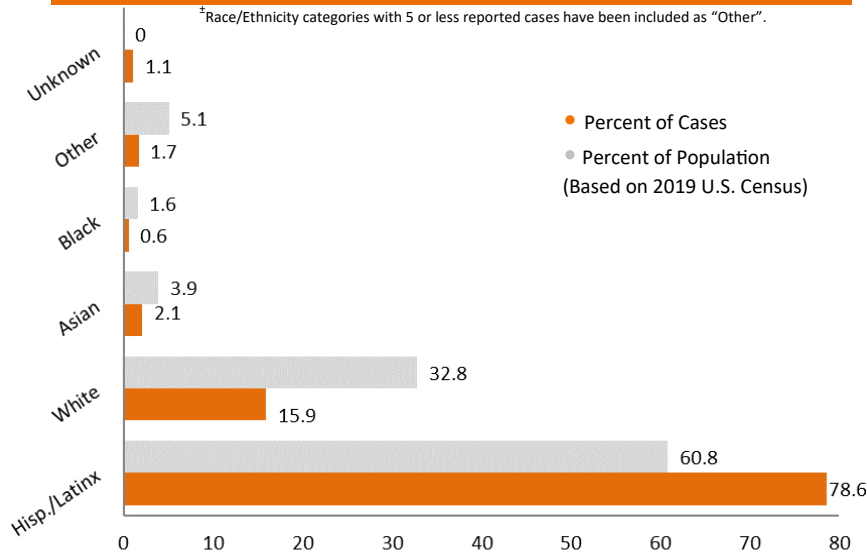
Confirmed COVID-19 Cases by Test Date in SBC

n=5,890

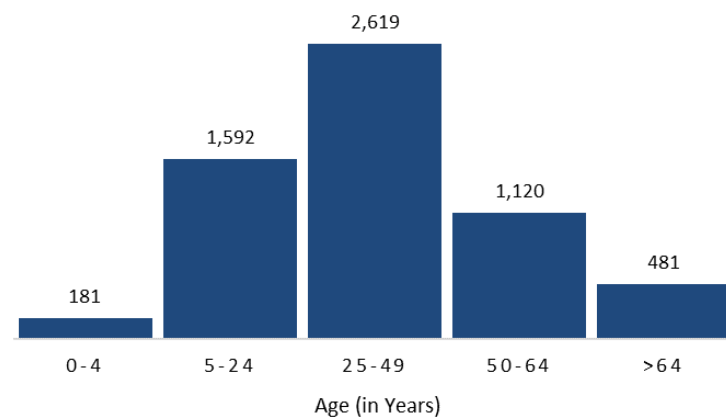


Cases in SBC by Race/Ethnicity²

²Race/Ethnicity categories with 5 or less reported cases have been included as "Other".



SBC COVID-19 Cases by Age Group





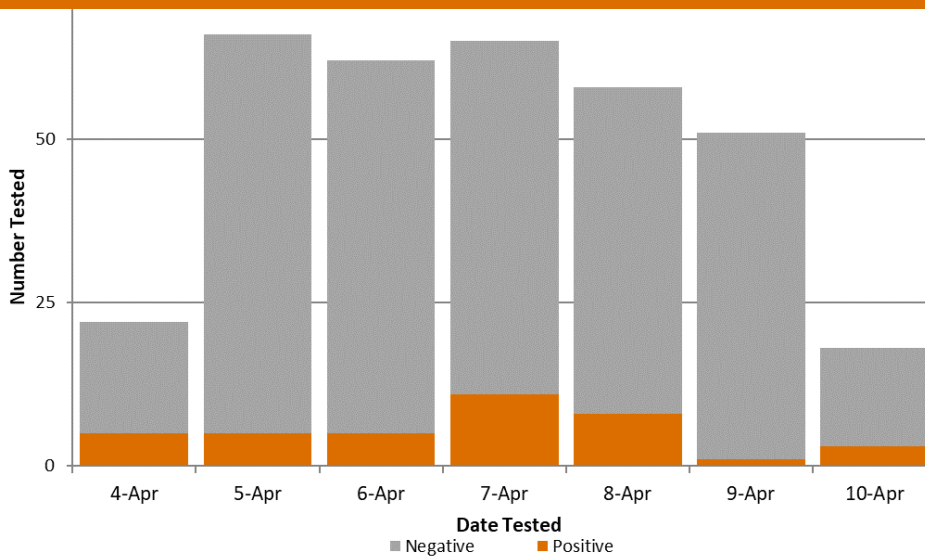
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Testing Results in SBC*



SBC Positivity Rate*

3.3%

GOAL: Less than 2% testing positive for 2 consecutive weeks.

SBC New Cases*

7.6

GOAL: Less than 2 daily new cases (per 100k) for 2 consecutive weeks.

California Statewide Data

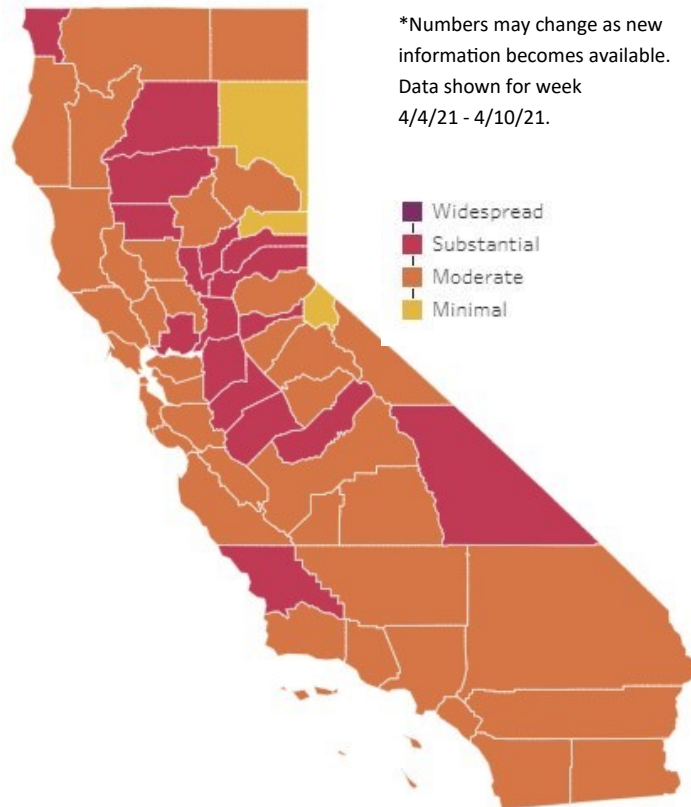
Positivity Rate**

1.7%

New Cases**

5.0

** Data shown for week 4/4/21 - 4/10/21.



California Blueprint for a Safer Economy

TIER 1: WIDESPREAD

- More than 10 daily new cases (per 100k).
- More than 8% positive tests.

TIER 2: SUBSTANTIAL

- 6-10 daily new cases (per 100k).
- 5-8% positive tests.

TIER 3: MODERATE

- 2-5.9 daily new cases (per 100k).
- 2-4.9% positive tests.

TIER 4: MINIMAL

- Less than 2 daily new cases (per 100k).
- Less than 2% positive tests.

County	San Benito	Santa Clara	Santa Cruz	Monterey	Merced
Total Confirmed COVID-19 Cases	5,994	117,678	15,831	43,366	31,358
Population	64,022	1,967,585	273,999	448,732	287,420
Adjusted Case Rate* (per 100K population)	7.6	3.2	1.4	2.7	8.0
Current Positivity Rate*	3.3%	1.2%	0.6%	1.2%	3.6%

* Confirmed cases are updated daily (Monday-Friday). Rates are updated by CDPH.