



San Benito County Public Health Services



COVID-19 UPDATE: NOVEMBER 16, 2022

Epidemiologic Week 46: 11/13/2022 - 11/19/2022

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COVID-19 Snapshot

Total Cases	Active	Recovered	Deaths
16,513	17	16,405	108
Hospitalizations	Primary Dose Completed	Booster Dose Received	
438	45,336 (73%)	24,931 (40%)	

San Benito County Public Health Services continues to work with medical providers to identify and test individuals who meet criteria for COVID-19 testing. There have been 38 new cases reported since November 16 for a total of 16,513 confirmed cases of COVID-19 in SBC. Confirmed cases include patients who have since recovered and those who are deceased. Fifty-three percent (8,799 of positive cases reported) were female; ages ranged from 1 day to 101 years (median: 36 years). All results included in this update are current to November 16, 2022 at 3:00PM.

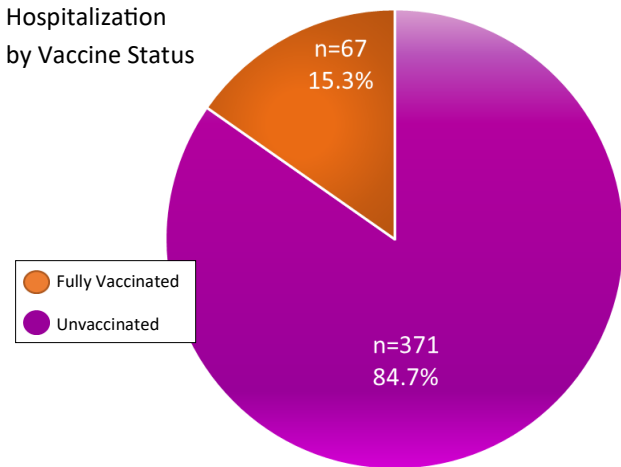
COVID-19 Hospital Data

Demographics
Total: 438 Hospitalized
Average Age: 61.4 Years
Range: 2 Months - 100 Years
Male: 54.1% (n=237)
Female: 45.9% (n=201)

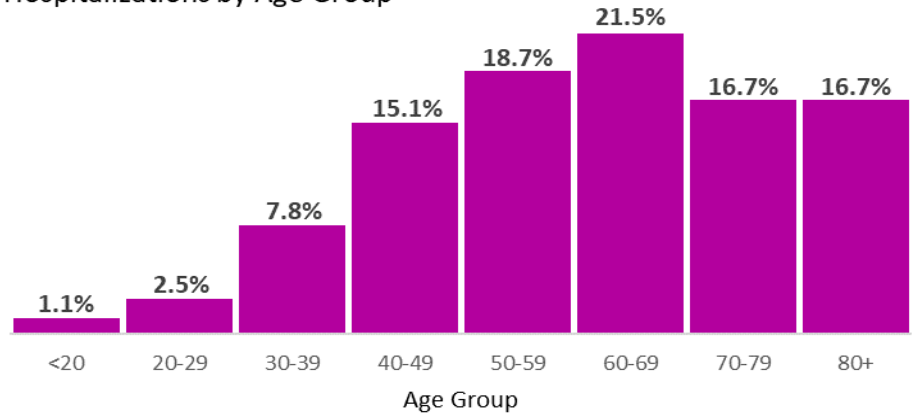
Hospitalization Trend



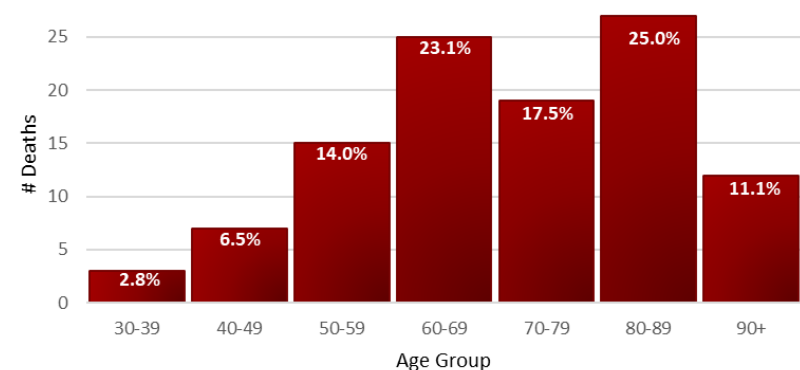
Hospitalization by Vaccine Status



Hospitalizations by Age Group



COVID-19 Deaths



Total COVID-19 Deaths: 108	
Unvaccinated Deaths: 94	Fully Vaccinated Deaths: 14
Male 67.6% (n=73)	Female 32.4% (n=35)
Average Age: 71.1 Years	Range: 38-101 Years



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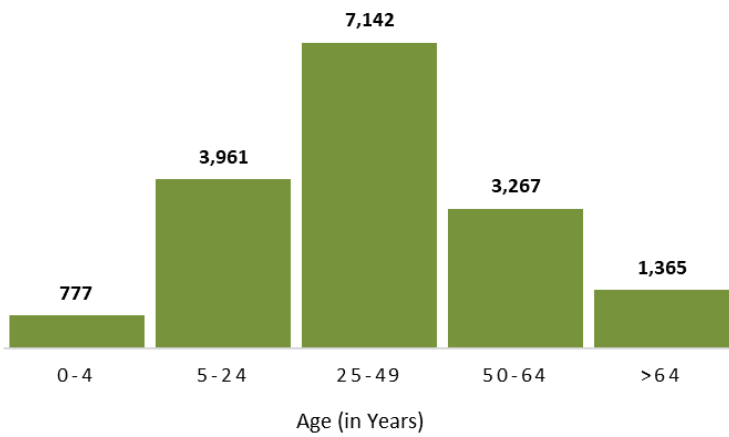


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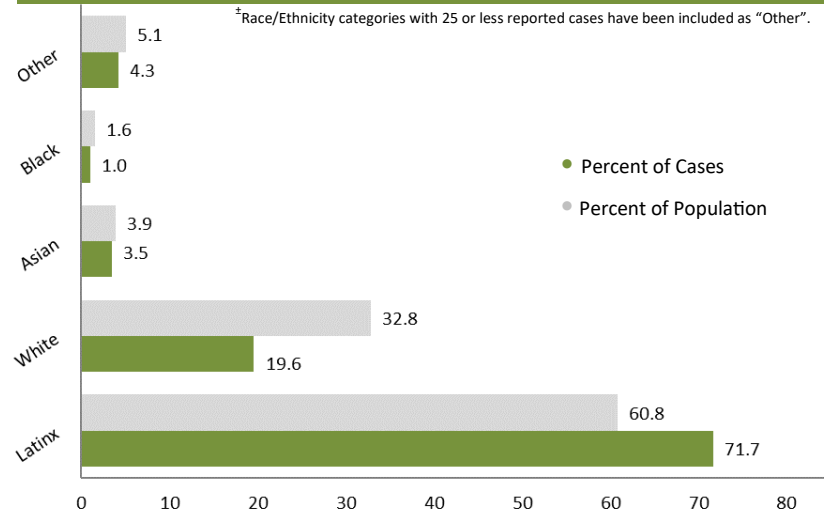
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Case Demographics

SBC COVID-19 Cases by Age Group



Cases in SBC by Known Race/Ethnicity[±]



Cases in SBC by Vaccine Status

Test Date	5/30 - 6/26	6/27 - 7/24	7/25 - 8/21	8/22 - 9/18	9/19 - 10/16	10/17 - 11/13	11/14 - 12/11	12/12 - 1/8	1/9 - 2/5	2/6-Current
Vaccinated	4	24	85	94	89	94	108	1,083	1,578	2,703
Unvaccinated	27	111	309	239	212	169	243	758	970	1,183

Variants

- **B.1.1.7** (Alpha) variants are associated with approximately 50% increased transmission, and likely with increased disease severity and risk of death. Appears to have minimal impact on the effectiveness of treatments with antibodies.
- **B.1.351** (Beta) variants are associated with approximately 50% increased transmission. May have moderately decreased response to antibody treatments.
- **B.1.427** and **B.1.429** (Epsilon) are associated with approximately 20% increased transmission. There is significantly reduced efficacy of some antibody treatments.
- **B.1.526** (Iota) is associated with significantly reduced efficacy of some antibody treatments.
- **P.1** (Gamma) variants may have moderately decreased response to some antibody treatments.
- **B.1.617.2** (Delta) variants are associated with approximately 200% increased transmission. May have moderately decreased response to antibody treatments (Delta totals include all Delta AY sublineages).
- **B.1.1.529** (Omicron) variants are associated with increased transmission. San Benito County reported its first case of the Omicron variant on December 8, 2021 (Omicron totals include all BA sublineages).

Variants Identified in SBC

Variant	# Cases
B.1.1.7	26
B.1.351	3
B.1.427/B.1.429	288
B.1.526	7
P.1	8
B.1.617.2	551
B.1.1.529	583

Cases by City/Zip Code and County

County	Cases	Population	Rate [*]
San Benito	16,513	64,022	7.1
Santa Clara	442,044	1,967,585	8.9
Santa Cruz	64,661	270,861	7.6
Monterey	96,241	448,732	4.4
Merced	72,817	288,420	5.4

*County rate is a rolling 7-day average and per 100K population.

