

# San Benito County Public Health Services

# COVID-19 UPDATE: FEBRUARY 15, 2023

Epidemiologic Week 7: 2/6/2023 - 2/18/2023

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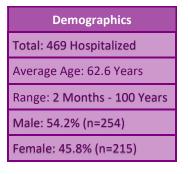


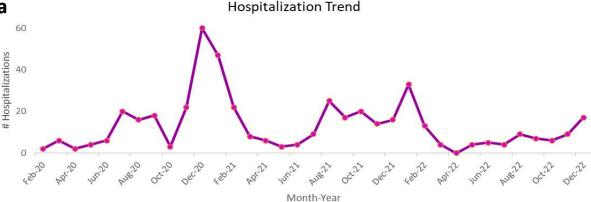
### **COVID-19 Snapshot**

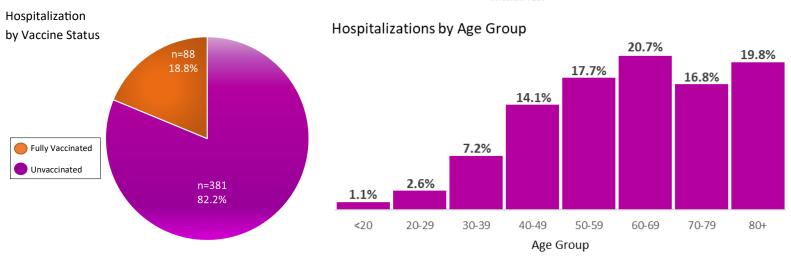
Total Cases	Active	Recovered	Deaths	
17,642	22	17,502	118	
Hospitalizations	Primary Dose Completed		Booster Dose Received	
469	44,879 (73	%) 25,49	0 (41%)	

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 February 9 for a total of 17,642 confirmed cases of COVID-19 in SBC. Confirmed cases include patients who have since recovered and those who are deceased. Fifty-three percent (9,449 of positive cases reported) were female; ages ranged from 1 day to 101 years (median: 37 years). All results included in this update are current to February 15, 2023 at 4:00PM.

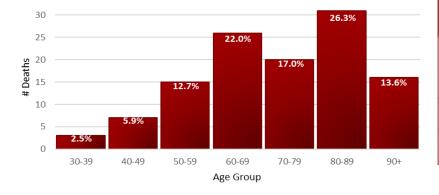
## **COVID-19 Hospital Data**







#### **COVID-19 Deaths**



Total COVID-19 Deaths: 118				
Unvaccinated	Fully Vaccinated			
Deaths: 96	Deaths: 22			
Male 65.3% (n=77)	Female 34.7% (n=41)			
Average Age: 72.3 Years	Range: 38-101 Years			



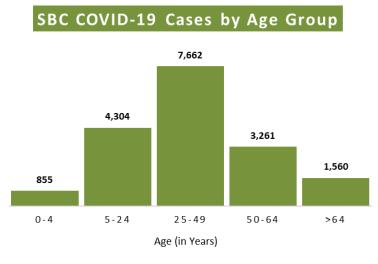
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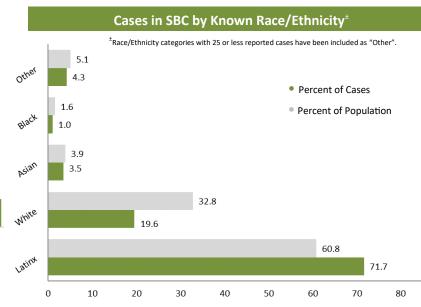




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### **Case Demographics**





#### **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
- **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 (lota) 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
- B.1.1.529 (Omicron) variants are associated with increased transmission. San Benito County reported its

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Variants Identified in SBC			
Variant	# Cases		
B.1.1.7	26		
B.1.351	3		
B.1.427/	291		
B.1.429			
B.1.526	7		
P.1	8		
B.1.617.2	552		
B.1.1.529	700		

### Cases by City/Zip Code and County

County	Cases	Population	Rate <sup>*</sup>
San Benito	17,642	64,022	5.8
Santa Clara	473,424	1,967,585	8.2
Santa Cruz	67,990	270,861	6.9
Monterey	98,965	448,732	4.4
Merced	75,935	288,420	6.5



<sup>\*</sup>County rate is a rolling 7-day average and per 100K population.