



Humboldt County COVID-19 Joint Information Center  
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## news release

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### 1 Death, 2 New Hospitalizations, 24 New Cases

Humboldt County Public Health reported today the death of a resident in their 60s due to COVID-19. Staff in the Department Operations Center extend their condolences to all who have lost a loved one to the virus.

Two new hospitalizations were reported, a resident in their 60s and another aged 80 or older. An additional 24 new positive cases were also reported, bringing the total number of confirmed cases in the county to 19,458.

Starting Feb. 28, the Joint Information Center (JIC) will begin reporting Case Count news releases and Data Dashboard updates three times a week instead of five. Those will be issued Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays with the goal of moving to once weekly updates as Humboldt County transitions from a pandemic to an endemic response.

A calculation error involving the total percentage of Humboldt County residents aged 5 and older who are fully vaccinated was identified by a caller to the Joint Information Center. This error has now been corrected. As of Tuesday, a total of 87,791 residents, or nearly 69% of the county's population aged 5 and older, were fully vaccinated. Approximately 7% of the population aged 5 and older has been partially vaccinated as of this reporting period.

Residents, particularly those who are unvaccinated, are urged to continue to take protective measures against COVID-19 by washing hands frequently, socially distancing, [wearing a well-fitted mask](#) approved by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and avoiding crowds and poorly ventilated spaces.

CDPH recommends individuals stay home and away from others and get tested if they become sick or experience COVID-19 symptoms that may include fever, cough, shortness of breath, fatigue or muscle aches.

Vaccines remain readily available and, as always, Humboldt County's vaccination and testing services are available free of charge. While walk-ins are allowed at all Public Health clinics and some pharmacy vaccination sites, appointments are recommended for all vaccinations and are the best way to ensure a shot is available during your visit. Appointments can be made at [MyTurn.ca.gov](https://www.myturn.ca.gov).

Vaccines, including boosters, are available at local pharmacies. To check the availability of a specific vaccine, visit the [vaccines.gov](https://www.vaccines.gov) page, or text your ZIP code to 438829 to locate a nearby pharmacy offering vaccines.

See the schedule below for specific Public Health vaccination and testing clinic dates, times, locations and available services. Questions about clinic services can be directed to the Joint Information Center at 1-707-441-5000.

**Bridgeville — Friday, Feb. 25, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

Bridgeville Community Center (38717 Kneeland Road)

Ages 5 and older

Pfizer/Johnson & Johnson/Moderna

PCR and rapid testing available on a first-come first-served basis

Appointments for vaccinations recommended.

**Eureka — Saturday, Feb. 26, 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

College of the Redwoods Gym Lobby (7351 Tompkins Hill Road)

Ages 5 and older

Pfizer/Johnson & Johnson/Moderna

PCR and rapid testing available on a first-come first-served basis

Appointments for vaccinations recommended.

**Eureka — Saturday, Feb. 26, 10 a.m. to 2 p.m.**

United Methodist Church (1901 F St.)

Ages 5 and older

Pfizer/Johnson & Johnson/Moderna

PCR and rapid testing available on a first-come first-served basis

Appointments for vaccinations recommended.

**Eureka — Monday, Feb. 28, 9 a.m. to 3:30 p.m. Closed from noon to 1 p.m.**

Public Health Main Office (529 I St.)

Ages 12 and older

Pfizer/Johnson & Johnson/Moderna

No testing available

\$25 gift card for adults receiving a first or second dose

Appointments recommended.

**Eureka — Tuesday, Mar. 1, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Closed from noon to 1 p.m.**

Public Health Main Office (529 I St.)

Ages 5 and older

Pfizer/Johnson & Johnson/Moderna

No testing available  
\$25 gift card for adults receiving a first or second dose  
Appointments recommended.

**Willow Creek — Tuesday, Mar. 1, 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Closed from noon to 1 p.m.**

Public Health Office (77 Walnut Way)  
Ages 5 and older  
Pfizer/Johnson & Johnson/Moderna  
PCR and rapid testing available on a first-come first-served basis  
\$25 gift card for adults receiving a first or second dose  
Appointments for vaccinations recommended.

**Eureka — Wednesday, Mar. 2, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

Humboldt County Agriculture Building (5630 S. Broadway)  
Ages 5 and older  
Pfizer/Johnson & Johnson/Moderna  
PCR and rapid testing available on a first-come first-served basis  
Appointments for vaccinations recommended.

**Blue Lake — Thursday, Mar. 3, 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.**

Blue Lake Resource Center (111 Greenwood Road)  
Ages 5 and older  
Pfizer/Johnson & Johnson/Moderna  
PCR and rapid testing available on a first-come first-served basis  
Appointments for vaccinations recommended.

View the Data Dashboard online at [humboldt.gov/dashboard](http://humboldt.gov/dashboard), or go to [humboldt.gov/DashboardArchives](http://humboldt.gov/DashboardArchives) to download data from a previous time. For the most recent COVID-19 information, visit [cdc.gov](http://cdc.gov) or [cdph.ca.gov](http://cdph.ca.gov). Local information is available at [humboldt.gov](http://humboldt.gov) or by contacting [covidinfo@co.humboldt.ca.us](mailto:covidinfo@co.humboldt.ca.us) or calling 1-707-441-5000.

Sign up for COVID-19 vaccination: [MyTurn.ca.gov](http://MyTurn.ca.gov)

Check for vaccine availability at a local pharmacy: [Vaccines.gov](http://Vaccines.gov)

Local COVID-19 vaccine information: [humboldt.gov/VaccineInfo](http://humboldt.gov/VaccineInfo)

Humboldt County COVID-19 Data Dashboard: [humboldt.gov/Dashboard](http://humboldt.gov/Dashboard)

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