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HAWAI'I COVID-19 JOINT INFORMATION CENTER
DAILY NEWS DIGEST
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Department of Health:

Seven New COVID-19 Cases Reported on Lāna'i

There were seven (7) new COVID-19 cases reported on Lāna'i today by DOH. The cumulative total now stands at 94 confirmed cases on the island (reported since Feb. 28). The active community cluster currently includes 93 confirmed and 3 probable cases for a total of 96 cases. Large social gatherings and household transmission have been identified by DOH as the main drivers of this outbreak. Weekend drive-thru testing results are still being reported out. DOH is working closely with Lāna'i healthcare providers to support community outreach, testing and contact tracing. The hospital is conducting surveillance testing several times a week.

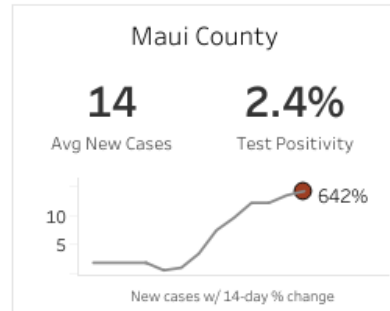
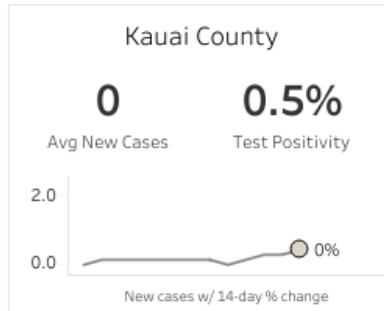
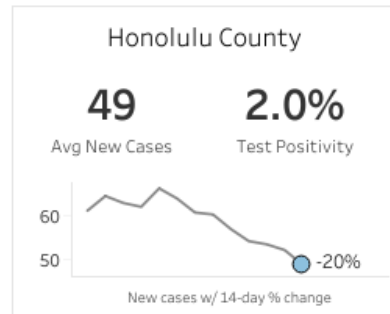
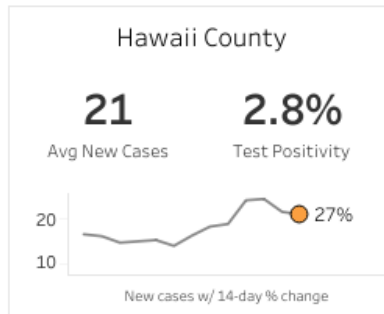
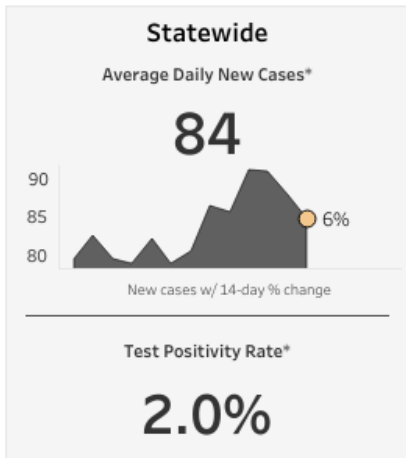
Hawai'i COVID-19 Counts as of 12:00 noon, Oct. 28, 2020

Island of Diagnosis	New Cases	Reported since 2/28/2020 (including new cases)
O'ahu	41	12,953
Hawai'i	5	1,238
Maui	2	405
Kaua'i	1	63
Moloka'i	0	17
Lāna'i	7	94
HI residents diagnosed outside of HI	6	64
Total Cases	62	14,834++
Deaths	-2	213**

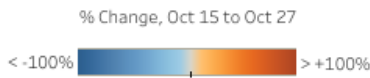
Hospitalization count as of 10/27/20 at 5:54 pm: 10-Hawai'i, 2-Maui, 53-O'ahu, 0-Kaua'i

++As a result of updated information, one case from O'ahu was removed from the counts.

***2 deaths that occurred earlier in the pandemic were removed from counts as a result of updated information indicating they were not COVID-19 related.*



* Metrics represent 7-day moving averages
 Data as of 11:59pm October 27, 2020



COVID-19 Epi Curve*, Hawaii 2020

Updated October 28, 2020

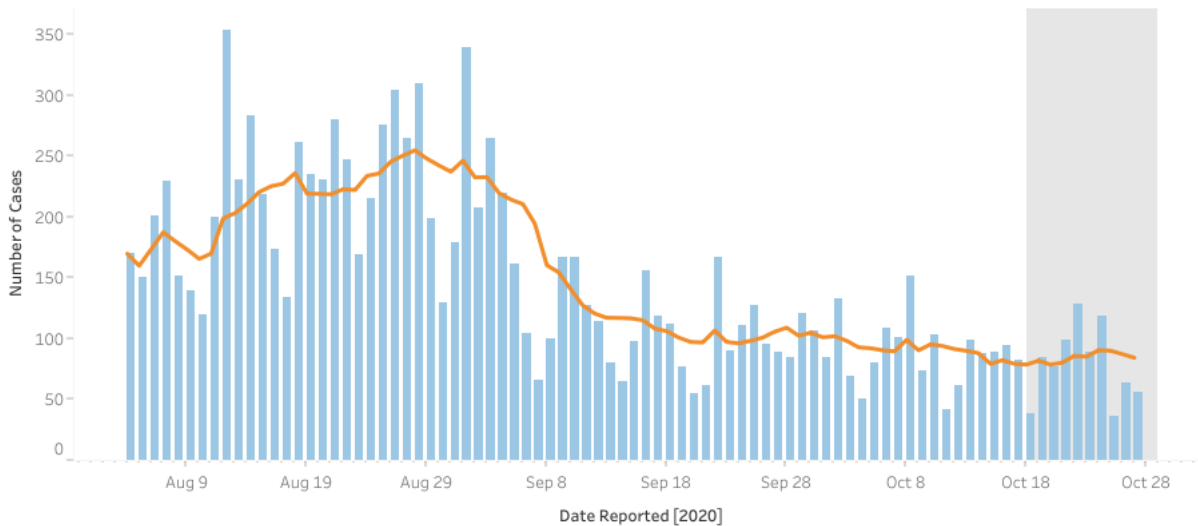
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Average cases/day
(past 7 days)

14,770
Total Cases



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 Statewide

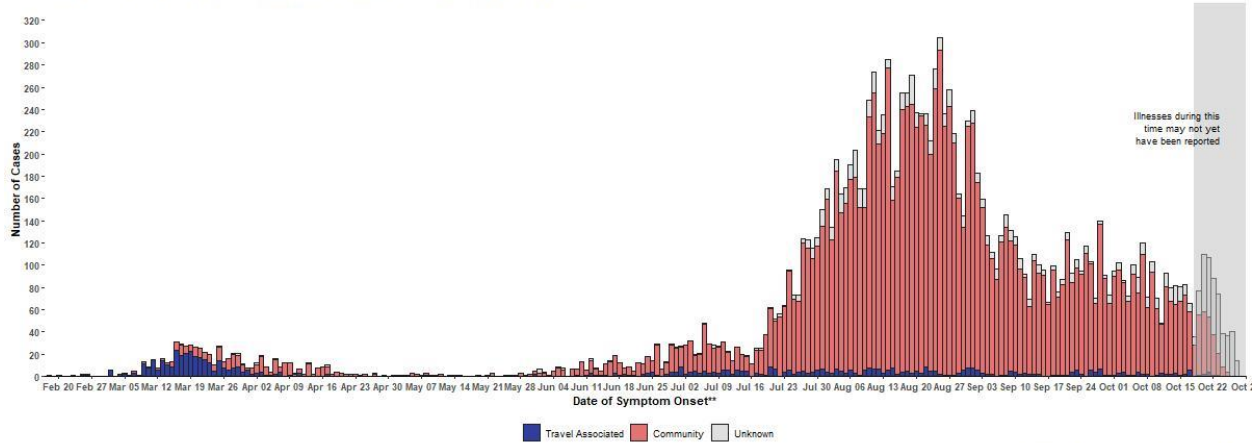


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*Illnesses that began in the past 10 days may not yet have been reported;
 Includes all cases diagnosed in the state (non-residents and residents)

COVID-19 Cases* by Exposure-Hawaii, 2020 (N=14742)

Data as of October 27, 2020. All cases to date may not be included because of missing or pending data.



*HI residents diagnosed outside of HI are not included.
**If onset date was not available, specimen collection date was used.

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Department of Public Safety:

Broad-Based Testing Continues at Correctional Facilities Statewide

PSD has directed CoreCivic to conduct mass testing of all Hawai'i inmates at its Saguaro Correctional Center in Eloy, AZ. The broad-based testing being administered by CoreCivic Health Services staff will begin Thursday. The total number of Hawai'i inmates in medical isolation at Saguaro with active positive COVID cases is 61. There are seven (7) inmates in the hospital, and 741 inmates in a precautionary 14-day quarantine at the facility.

PSD's Health Care Division is working with DOH, the Hawai'i National Guard (HING) and community partners, to conduct mass testing for COVID-19 at all correctional facilities statewide. No new test results were reported for neighbor island facilities. DOH testing of O'ahu Community Correctional Center (OCCC) inmates is continuous. No new OCCC staff or inmate test results were received today. There are no OCCC inmates in the hospital. Additionally, 90% of staff who tested positive for COVID-19 have recovered. Information on PSD's planning and response to COVID-19 can be found at:

<http://dps.hawaii.gov/blog/2020/03/17/coronavirus-covid-19-information-and-resources/>.

Department of Human Services:

Open Enrollment Period to Begin for Qualified Applicants Needing Federal Health Insurance

DHS Med-QUEST Division wants the public to know that those who need affordable health insurance and who do not qualify for Medicaid coverage have 45 days to enroll in an affordable health plan through the federal health insurance marketplace: www.healthcare.gov.

The open enrollment period is from Nov. 1 to Dec. 15 for health coverage that begins January 2021. Applicants can create an account at www.healthcare.gov to determine their eligibility for coverage for health plans and subsidies that help make the plans more affordable. Interested applicants also have the option of applying over the phone by calling 1-800-318-2596.

[Click here for more information about language assistance.](#)

[Click here for the Key Dates for the Health Insurance Marketplace flyer.](#)

The Med-QUEST Division of DHS assists with community outreach and education for the federal marketplace, which manages eligibility and enrollment functions. More information can be found at: <http://humanservices.hawaii.gov/blog/federal-marketplace-open-enrollment-period-begins-nov-1-and-continues-until-dec-15-for-health-insurance-coverage-to-begin-january-2021/>

Hawai'i Tourism Authority:

4,371 Passengers Arrive on Tuesday

Yesterday, a total of 4,371 people arrived in Hawai'i from out of state. The majority of the passengers, or 1,284 people, indicated they came to Hawai'i for vacation. There were also 1,088 returning residents. The trans-Pacific passenger arrival data is derived from data provided by the Safe Travels digital system.

Oct 27	Honolulu (HNL)	Kahului (OGG)	Kona (KOA)	Līhu'e (LIH)	Grand Total
Airline Crew	270	65	42	32	409
Essential Worker	88	12	12	6	118
Honeymoon	10	4	0	2	16
Intended Resident	129	18	18	7	172
Military or Federal Government	132	0	0	0	132
Other	32	13	6	7	58
Other Business	103	31	23	12	169
Pleasure/Vacation	491	495	123	175	1,284
Returning Resident	774	152	112	50	1,088
To Attend School	8	1	0	0	9
To Get Married	1	2	0	0	3
Transit	183	0	1	0	184
Visiting Friends or Relatives	520	118	63	28	729
Grand Total	2,741	911	400	319	4,371

To view more: <https://www.hawaiitourismauthority.org/covid-19-updates/trans-pacific-passenger-arrivals/>

Helpful Resources



SAFE TRAVELS HAWAI'I QUICK FACTS



Domestic Trans-Pacific Travel



14-Day Quarantine

To Bypass Quarantine:

- Show proof of negative test result upon arrival or remain in quarantine until received
- Must take a nucleic acid amplification (NAAT) pre-travel test within 72 hours from the final leg of departure. The State of Hawai'i will accept test results ONLY from TRUSTED TESTING AND TRAVEL PARTNERS.
- Applies to all passengers ages 5 and over; travelers pay for test
- Must complete Safe Travels Hawai'i online form prior to arrival
- Or other exemption provided by the state
- Travelers arriving in Hawai'i with pending test results will remain in quarantine until negative test results uploaded to the Safe Travels Hawai'i account and Safe Travels Hawai'i issues confirmation by email that traveler is removed from quarantine

Second Test After Arrival

City and County of Honolulu Not required	County of Hawai'i Required at airport; free	Maui County Voluntary 72 hours after arrival; free	Kaua'i County Voluntary 72 hours after arrival; free
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Traveling Inter-Counties (between counties)



14-Day Quarantine

To Bypass Quarantine:

- Traveling into City and County of Honolulu
No test and no quarantine required
- Traveling into County of Hawai'i
OPTION 1: Pre-test 72 hours prior to departure, same requirements as domestic Trans-Pacific; OR
OPTION 2: Post-arrival test in quarantine until negative test received and verified. May break quarantine to test.
- Traveling into Maui County
Pre-test 72 hours prior to departure, same requirements as domestic Trans-Pacific
- Traveling into Kaua'i County
Pre-test 72 hours prior to departure, same requirements as domestic Trans-Pacific
- Or other exemption provided by the state or county

International Trans-Pacific Travel



14-Day Quarantine

To Bypass Quarantine:

- Travelers from Japan
Beginning November 6, pre-test 72 hours prior to departure, same requirements as domestic Trans-Pacific
- Currently no other pre-travel test exemptions

For more information, visit
HawaiiCOVID19.com
1-800-GOHAWAII

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Trusted Testing and Travel Partners



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State of Hawai'i: Inter-County Trusted Testing Partners



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Safe Travels Hawai'i Program

Program overview: <https://hawaiicovid19.com/travel/>

FAQs: <https://hawaiicovid19.com/travel/faqs/>

Email: info@gohawaii.com

Call Center Number: 1-800-GO-HAWAII

COVID-19 Tables, Charts, and Visualizations

<https://health.hawaii.gov/coronavirusdisease2019/what-you-should-know/current-situation-in-hawaii>

Trans-Pacific Passenger Arrivals Statistics

<https://www.hawaiitourismauthority.org/covid-19-updates/trans-pacific-passenger-arrivals/>

Kaua'i County

Kaua'i COVID-19 webpage: <https://www.kauai.gov/COVID-19>

To report violators: <https://www.kauai.gov/KPD-Online-Reporting>

Rest, Test, Enjoy! Voluntary visitor post-travel test: <https://www.kauai.gov/visitorposttest>

Resident post-travel test: <https://www.kauai.gov/residentposttest>

Maui County

Maui County travel and COVID-19 information:

<https://www.mauicounty.gov>

To report violators: (808) 244-6400 or mpdquarantine@mpd.net

Hawai'i County

Hawai'i County COVID-19 webpage:

<https://coronavirus-response-county-of-hawaii-hawaiicountygis.hub.arcgis.com/pages/travel>

Critical infrastructure and medical travel

request: <https://survey123.arcgis.com/share/e2f4ce19aa854964a8fd60bec7fbe78c>

To report violators: 808-935-3311

City & County of Honolulu

Honolulu COVID-19 webpage: oneoahu.org

Interisland passengers arriving on O'ahu are not subject to the mandatory quarantine.

To report violators: 808-723-3900 or HPDcovidenforce@honolulu.gov

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