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**Florida Department of Health Updates New COVID-19 Cases,
Announces Seventy-Three Deaths Related to COVID-19
~486,384 positive cases in Florida residents and 5,500
positive cases in non-Florida residents~**

TALLAHASSEE —The Florida Department of Health (DOH), in order to provide more comprehensive data, releases a report on COVID-19 cases in Florida once per day. The DOH COVID-19 dashboard is also providing updates once per day. The state also provides a report detailing surveillance data for every Florida county, which is available [here](#).

In order to make the daily COVID-19 report easier to download and more accessible, the daily report will now separate case line data in a separate PDF. Both reports will continue to be updated daily. The case line data report is available [here](#).

Test results for more than 60,900 individuals were reported to DOH as of midnight, on Sunday, August 2. Today, as reported at 11 a.m., there are:

- 4,752 new positive COVID-19 cases (4,716 Florida residents and 36 non-Florida residents)
- 73 Florida resident deaths related to COVID-19

On August 2, 9.09 percent of new cases** tested positive.

There are a total of 491,884 Florida cases*** with 7,157 deaths related to COVID-19.

Since August 2, the death of seventy-three Florida residents who tested positive for COVID-19 have been reported in Bay, Broward, Columbia, Dade, Duval, Flagler, Hillsborough, Leon, Madison, Manatee, Marion, Nassau, Orange, Osceola, Palm Beach, Pasco, Pinellas, Seminole, Sumter, Suwannee and Volusia counties.

Florida long-term care facility data:

- The list of long-term care facilities with active COVID-19 cases is available [here](#).
- The list of long-term care facilities with deaths is available [here](#), which is updated weekly.
- To date, 3,066 individuals that were staff or residents of a long-term care facility have died.

The antibody COVID-19 test results report will be provided once a week and contains county, race and lab information on antibody COVID-19 tests conducted in Florida. The report for

antibody tests conducted by private health care providers is available [here](#) and the report for antibody tests conducted at state-supported COVID-19 testing sites is available [here](#).

More information can also be found [here](#).

Confirmed Cases in Florida Residents	486,384
Confirmed by DOH	16,195
Tested by private labs	470,189
Characteristics of Florida Resident Cases	
FL resident diagnosed & isolated out of state*	8
Deaths	7,157
Cases in Non-Florida Residents	5,500
Confirmed by DOH	205
Tested by private labs	5,295

Total Cases Overview	491,884
Traveled	3,737
Contact with confirmed case	133,732
Travel & contact with confirmed case	3,756
Unknown and Under Investigation	345,159

* Florida residents that are diagnosed with COVID-19 and isolated out of state are not reflected on the Florida map.

**This percentage is the number of people who test positive for the first time divided by all tests, excluding people who have previously tested positive.

***Total cases overview includes positive cases in Florida residents and non-Florida residents tested in Florida.

More Information on COVID-19

To find the most up-to-date information and guidance on COVID-19, please visit the Department of Health's dedicated [COVID-19 webpage](#). For information and advisories from Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC), please visit the [CDC COVID-19 website](#), this website is also available in Spanish and Creole. For more information about current travel advisories issued by the U.S. Department of State, please visit the [travel advisory website](#).

For any other questions related to COVID-19 in Florida, please contact the Department's dedicated COVID-19 Call Center by calling **1-866-779-6121**. The Call Center is available **24 hours per day**. Inquiries may also be emailed to **COVID-19@flhealth.gov**.

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