

SITUATION REPORT: 12-31-20 OPERATIONAL AREA LAKE COUNTY

Active Event or Incident(s): 2019 Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19)

View Report: <http://health.co.lake.ca.us/Coronavirus.htm>

DOC Hours of Operation: Mon-Fri 8-5 pm; Holiday Closure Friday 1-1-21

BLUEPRINT FOR A SAFER ECONOMY STATUS: LAKE COUNTY

Tier Color	Assess Business or Activity Risk Status	Industry Guidance
PURPLE Widespread Transmission	https://covid19.ca.gov/safer-economy/	https://covid19.ca.gov/industry-guidance/

COUNTY AND REGIONAL HEALTH SYSTEM CAPACITY

Between December 15-21, 2020

- the Test Positivity rate (7-day average, 7-day lag) was 11.4%
- the daily Case Rate was 48.4 per 100,000 - *both are all-time highs for Lake County.*

STATS

Lake County COVID-19 Cases	Active Cases	Cases Currently Hospitalized	Confirmed Cases	Recovered	Fatalities
	220	15	1,846	1,592	24
7-day Change	↓ -3	↓ -3	↑ +220	↑ +212	↑ +1

SITUATION REPORT BRIEFING

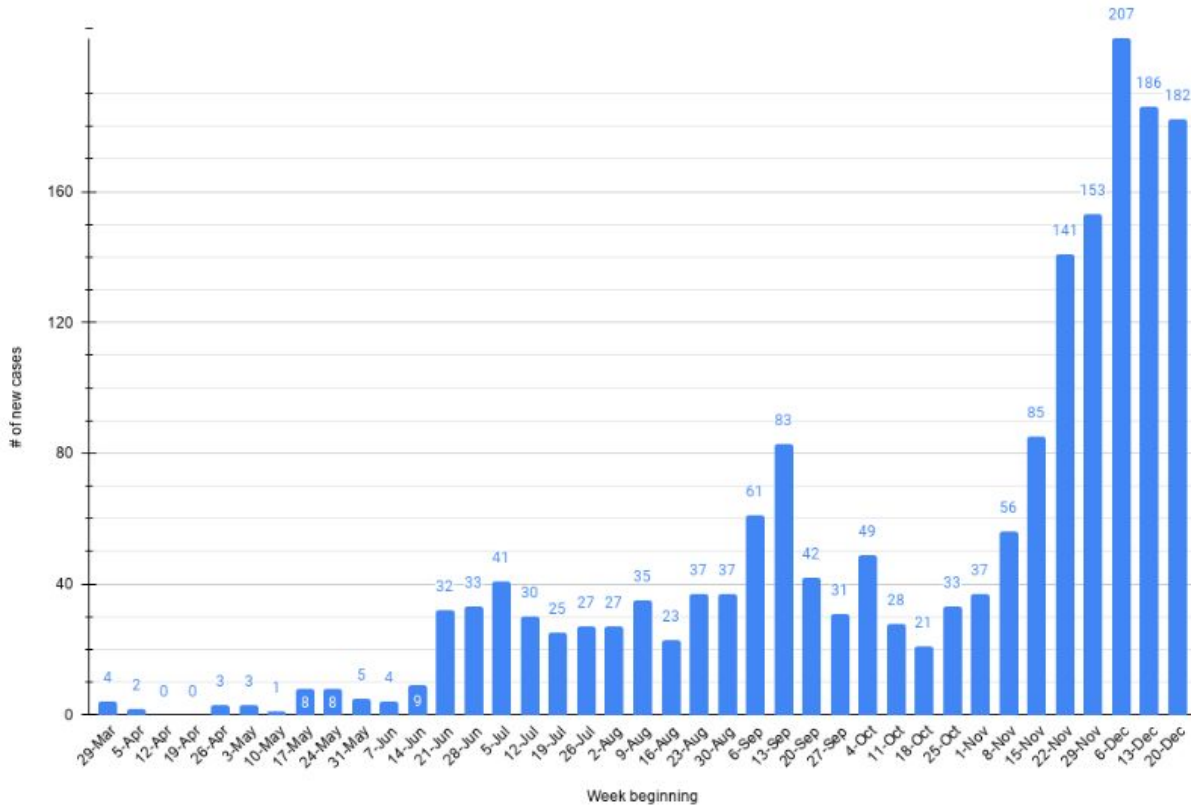
Cases are increasing throughout the County. Public Health is working with local tribes on outbreak, they seem to be contained and numbers are beginning to decrease. Two of the three nursing homes are still dealing with some positive cases; the SNFs are doing well managing the situation. Schools are currently closed. Public Health is getting calls from local businesses and residents worried about how to manage positive cases and those who have come in contact. When Public Health is made aware of outbreaks at local businesses there is a protocol for following-up. Businesses will not be required to shut down for a 24-hour period as in the past unless there is a special situation; Public Health will provide education on proper disinfecting and implementing contact tracing practices. Vaccinations are underway for Tier 1A. Public Health encourages everyone to get educated on COVID-19 Vaccines and receive the vaccines when their tier prioritization is announced. Testing Update: New testing services will be offered by OptumServe to begin on 1-8-21. Verily Mobile Testing will be discontinued as of 1-7-21. In the upcoming days and weeks, Public Health in collaboration with local partners will be issuing targeted public messaging. To slow the rate of spread, everyone is encouraged to stay home and work remotely as much as possible.

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NEW CASES IN LAKE COUNTY, BY WEEK (UPDATED WEEKLY)

Lake County COVID-19 cases, by episode week, through December 26, 2020 (N=1,789) as of 12/31/20



DATA HIGHLIGHTS

- In the last week, new cases were identified in nearly every zip code in Lake County.
- As of a few days ago, there were more than 700 cases with an episode date in December. This means that more than 40% of all Lake County COVID-19 cases became infected in December.
- In the last month, community transmission became the leading source of transmission (increased to about 37% of all cases) and household contact was 33% of all cases. Workplace exposure (excluding congregate living settings) remained stable at about 10%. Overall, exposure at congregate living settings decreased (to 13% of all cases).
- In the last month, there was an increase in the rate of cases among Native American and white, non-Hispanics.
- Younger people (20-44 years) continue to be disproportionately infected with COVID compared to older populations.

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TESTING DATA & SITES

Lake County Testing Positivity March through December 27, 2020		
Result	Total Resulted	Percent of Tests
Positive	1,791	7.8%
Negative	21,031	92.2%
Total	22,822	100%

Source: Lake County Healthcare Partners and CalREDIE

Mobile Testing Sites: Verily Contract is being discontinued on Thursday (1-7-21) afternoon. Middletown and Upper Lake sites in collaboration with Public Health have been discontinued.

Location	Service Provided	How to Sign-Up
Lakeport, California	Wednesday & Thursday; Drive-Thru COVID testing. By appointment. Free. No cost. Must bring ID card + insurance + appointment confirmation (text or email).	To schedule appointment: www.projectbaseline.com
Clearlake, California	Monday & Tuesday; Drive-Thru COVID testing. By appointment. Free. No cost. Must bring ID card + insurance + appointment confirmation (text or email).	To schedule appointment: www.projectbaseline.com

NEW! Testing service provider: OptumServe Testing Beginning 1-8-21

Location	Service Provided	How to Sign-Up
Lakeport Community Center, Lakeport	Testing Services Beg. 1-8-21; Mondays, Fridays & Saturdays from 7 - 7 pm. Testing for adults and children 12 years and older with guardian consent. Appointments highly recommended. Limited onsite registration available.	Schedule online at: https://lhi.care/covidtesting , or by calling 888-634-1123.
Lower Lake Town Hall, Lower Lake	Testing Services Beg. 1-8-21; Tuesdays, Wednesdays & Thursdays from 7 - 7 pm. Testing for adults and children 12 years and older with guardian consent. Appointments highly recommended. Limited onsite registration available.	Schedule online at: https://lhi.care/covidtesting , or by calling 888-634-1123.
Rite Aid, Clearlake	Services offered in Clearlake & Ukiah. Drive-Thru testing for adults and children 13 years and older with guardian consent. Insurance is not required.	Schedule online at: https://www.riteaid.com/pharmacy/services/covid-19-testing
Pixel Lab Corp Mail In Tests	Home testing option that does not require insurance.	Request for Kits: www.pixel.labcorp.com Note: The tests are mail-in.
Lake County Tribal Health	Must be established patient. By appointment. M-F (8am-5pm) Open to patients with or without symptoms & with or without insurance.	707-263-8382