## CORONAVIRUS

(COVID-19)

# Situational Update

Monday, April 12, 2021



#### WHERE WE ARE TODAY

Current Values (data through 4/10/21)

Level of Community **Spread** 

Daily case rate 7-day avg. 16.1 per 100,000 (Apr 10) pop.

Rate of transmission Effective 0.92 reproduction (Mar 31) number (R(t))

4.3% positive from (Apr 8) RT-PCR tests

Test positivity rate

New cases from quarantined contacts 15.2% 7-day

(Apr 8)

**Health System** Capacity

of available beds without (Apr 10)

Percent hospital

utilization

Percent COVID-19 patients

of daily 6.9% hospital census, 7-(Apr 10) day average Mean test turnaround time

(days) 2.0 7-day average (Apr 10)

Diagnostic tests conducted

average

7-day avg. 5,668 per million (Apr 8) pop.

**Public Health System** Capacity

Positive cases with contact attempt 95.7% 7-day avg. attempt (Apr 9) within 1 day Close contacts with contact attempt

96.3% 7-day avg. (Apr 8) within 2 days

Positive cases interviewed

7-day avg. completed (Apr 8) within 3 days

Positive cases who provide close contacts

**39.7%** 7-day avg. (Apr 8)

Mean number close contacts provided

7-day avg. 1.2 mean per positive case (Apr 8)

**Exposure Notification** Opt-in

cumulative # of smart phones 749,090 official exposure (Apr 8) notification

Community **Engagement** 

Correct mask-wearing 74.0% observed

(Mar 21)

Percent full COVID-19 vaccine coverage cumulative

12.3% Updated (Apr 2) weekly.

Data Source: DC Health



Updated

every 4 weeks.

#### **OUR PROGRESS ON VACCINATIONS**

185,074

DC residents are partially or fully vaccinated.

#### PRE-REGISTER TODAY:

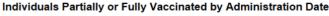


vaccinate.dc.gov



1-855-363-0333

TOTAL DOSES ADMINISTERED % OF DOSES ADMINISTERED % RESIDENTS PARTIALLY OR FULLY VACCINATED % RESIDENTS FULLY VACCINATED 14.9%





	PARTIALLY/FULLY VACCINATE	FULLY VACCINATED	TOTAL DOSES ADMINISTERED	DOSE 7-DAY AVERAGE
DC Resident	185,074	104,837	277,547	3,472
Non-resident	66,062	45,732	110,315	785
Total	251,136	150,569	387,862	4,257

Source: DC Health Data are subject to change

Metric Definition: Number of administrations reported by DC-area providers by date of vaccine administration. The 7-day rolling average represents the average number of administrations including the past 6 days.

Data Considerations: There may be a lag time between vaccine administration and provider report. This may impact the reporting of vaccine administered, especially in the three most recent days of report, highlighted in red above. DC residents may be vaccinated outside of the DC-area and are not included in this report. Non-DC residents may be vaccinated within DC, especially those who fall into prioritized non-resident categories. Administration may be impacted by holidays and weekends, and is impacted by the size of prioritized groups and vaccine supply. Individuals who receive single dose regimens such as J&J are considered fully vaccinated.

Last Updated: 4/9/2021



#### Upcoming Faith in the Vaccine Clinics:



Shrine of the Sacred Heart (Ward 1)

Wednesday, April 14 and Saturday, April 17, Thursday, April 22 and Saturday, April 24



St. Luke's Catholic Church (Ward 7)

Wednesday, April 28 and Thursday, April 29



Emory Fellowship United Methodist Church (Ward 4)

Friday, April 30 and Saturday, May 1

To date,
2,900 people
have been
vaccinated
through Faith
in the Vaccine.









## Beginning today,

# ALL DC RESIDENTS 16 AND OLDER

are eligible to receive the COVID-19 vaccine in Washington, DC.





#### **DC RESIDENTS:**

Pre-register in DC at vaccinate.dc.gov 1-855-363-0333



#### **MARYLAND RESIDENTS:**

Pre-register in
Maryland at
covidvax.maryland.gov
1-855-634-6829



#### **VIRGINIA RESIDENTS:**

Pre-register in
Virginia at
vaccinate.virginia.gov
877-829-4682



#### FUNERAL ASSISTANCE

Under the Coronavirus Response and Relief Supplemental Appropriations Act of 2021 and the American Rescue Plan Act of 2021, the Federal Emergency Management Agency (FEMA) will provide financial assistance to individuals nationwide who incurred COVID-19-related funeral expenses after January 20, 2020.



For more information, go to fema.gov or call 844-684-6333.



# RECOVERY UPDATES



"Give light and people will find the way."

~Ella Baker

## EXISTING PROGRAMS TO SUPPORT RENTERS AND ADDRESS HOUSING INSTABILITY DURING THE PANDEMIC

Multiple programs have been created, or expanded, during the public health emergency to address housing instability and protect DC's affordable housing.

- \$1.5M for the Tenant Based Rental Assistance Program (TBRA)
- \$20M for the COVID-19 Housing Assistance Program (CHAP)
- \$11.5M for the Housing Stabilization Grants
- \$1M for the DC Mortgage Assistance Program (DC MAP)

- \$14M for the Emergency Rental Assistance Program (ERAP)
- \$27.7M for the Emergency Solutions Grants
- \$16M for the Low Income Home Energy Assistance Program (LIHEAP)

STAY DC replaces CHAP and will augment ERAP and LIHEAP.

#### STAY DC



STAY DC is the District's new emergency rental assistance program to help households unable to pay rent and utilities due to the COVID-19 pandemic.

The District is receiving approximately

\$352 million in new federal Emergency
Rental Assistance (ERA) funds for STAY DC
and related efforts.

#### STAY DC

STAY DC helps DC residents facing housing instability due to the pandemic pay up to 12 months of past due rent/ utilities and 3 months of forward rent/utilities at a time.

Household Size	Income
1	\$57,650
2	\$65,850
3	\$74,100
4	\$82,300
5	\$88,900
6	\$95,500
7	\$102,100
8	\$108,650

The STAY DC program is administered by the Department of Human Services (DHS) in collaboration with the Office of the Deputy Mayor for Planning and Economic Development (DMPED), the Office of the Deputy Mayor for Health and Human Services (DMHHS), Department of Housing and Community Development (DHCD), and the Department of Energy and the Environment (DOEE).

#### STAY DC will provide support to residents through:

- Back Rent: Funding can be used to pay unpaid rent going back to April 1, 2020
- Upcoming Rent: Money can be used to pay forward rent, up to 3 months at a time
- Utility Expenses: Water, gas, and electricity expenses can be paid on your behalf
- Extended Support: Housing support is available for up to 18 months, per tenant

#### STAY DC

### Learn more and apply for assistance at stay.dc.gov.

Applicants can call 833-4-STAYDC from 7:00 a.m. – 7:00 p.m., Monday through Friday to get assistance. Call takers will answer your questions during the call, or in some cases may need to call you back. Please be prepared to leave your name and contact information.

- Call center staff speak English and Spanish.
   Interpretation services will be available for French,
   Cantonese/Mandarin, Korean, Vietnamese and
   Amharic.
- Web based application is available in 100+ languages.
- Guides for applications are available in English, Spanish, Amharic, French, Cantonese/Mandarin, Vietnamese.
- Paper application is available in English, Spanish, Amharic.



### RECOVERY WEEKLY CHECK-IN WITH DMPED

Join us for a discussion on the District's \$350M rent and utility assistance program:

Stronger Together by Assisting You (STAYDC).

#### **FEATURING UPDATES FROM:**

John Falcicchio, Deputy Mayor, DMPED

Councilmember Anita Bonds, At Large, Council of the District of Columbia

Polly Donaldson, Director, Department of Housing and Community Development (DHCD)

Laura Zeilinger, Director, Department of Human Services (DHS)

#### **SPECIAL GUESTS:**

George Lambert, President and CEO, Greater Washington Urban League And More!

Tuesday, April 13 at 4:00 PM EST

You can view the presentation on Mayor Bowser's social media accounts or at mayor.dc.gov/live.

RSVP bit.ly/DERTCallO41321



# GENERAL UPDATES







All public schools in Washington, DC

will fully open for in-person learning, five days a week,

with all educators back in the classroom.

the uniform per student funding formula (UPSFF).
Additionally, the District will receive from the American Rescue Plan a third round of Elementary and Secondary School Emergency Relief funds totaling over \$386 million.

The upcoming budget will

include a 3.6% increase to

DCPS enrollment is now open at enrolldcps.dc.gov



#### HEALTH INSURANCE SAVINGS

The American Rescue Plan lowers health insurance premiums. For DC residents, the American Rescue Plan reduces premiums for health insurance through DC Health Link, provides health insurance for as little as \$2/month to people who lost their jobs, and pays for 100% of COBRA premiums for laid-off workers.

On March 29, the District opened its online health insurance marketplace - DC Health Link - with all expanded health insurance benefits provided by the American Rescue Plan. DC residents can go to DCHealthLink.com right now to preview their premium savings and enroll in a health plan.



# We thank Chairwoman Maloney and Congresswoman Norton for this week's markup and vote on H.R. 51, the Washington, DC Admission Act.



The markup and vote will take place on Wednesday, April 14 at 10:00 a.m.

This vote will pave the way for the full House to vote on DC statehood during the week of April 19.

4:00pm on WUSA 9

8:00pm on DCN



On Friday, April 16, we will celebrate

## DC EMANCIPATION DAY



Produced by **NEWorks Productions** 

This Emancipation Day, don't miss this one-hour special exploring the history of D.C.'s fight for full democracy featuring members of Congress, city officials (past and present), business leaders, and more.







