



# COVID-19 UPDATE REPORT

Jackson County Health Department — Jan. 4, 2023

| Source | New Cases per 100k | COVID-19 Hospital Admissions | Community Level | Context                        |
|--------|--------------------|------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------------|
| CDC    | 148.93             | 14.5 per 100k                | Medium          | Includes all of Jackson County |

Find COVID-19 recommendations by CDC Community Level (low, medium, high) [here](#).

## COVID-19 Case Rate



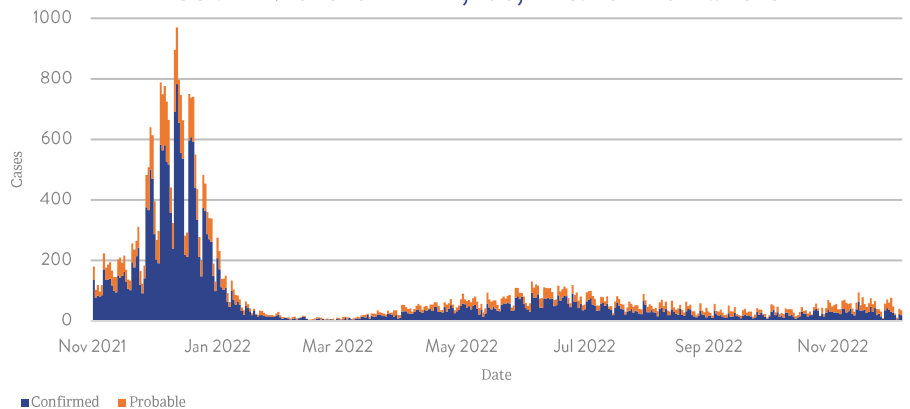
128.9

7-day case rate per 100,000

0.6%

increase from 4 weeks previous

## COVID-19 CASES BY DAY, EJC, DEC. 2021 – JAN. 2023



## Hospitalizations



24

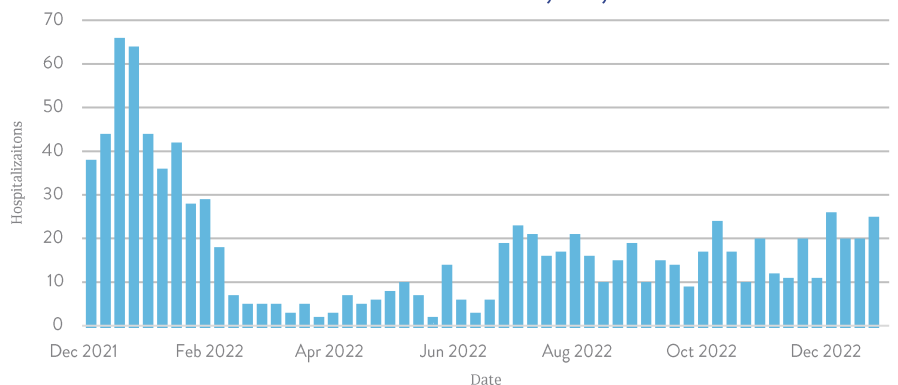
hospitalizations in past 7 days

200%

increase from 4 weeks previous

\*MARC is no longer reporting this data. EpiTrax reporting of hospitalization will be used moving forward.

## COVID-19 HOSPITALIZATIONS BY WEEK, EJC, DEC. 2021 - JAN. 2023



## Eastern Jackson County Vaccinations

| % First Dose Only | % Completed Vaccination | % Up-to-Date* | Doses Administered by JACOHD |
|-------------------|-------------------------|---------------|------------------------------|
| 63.71%            | 59.48%                  | 7.97%         | 90,887                       |

## COVID-19 Deaths in Eastern Jackson County

| Change in COVID-19 Deaths | % Overall COVID-19 Case Fatality | Total COVID-19 Deaths |
|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|
| +7                        | 1.05%                            | 867                   |

The health department continues to offer weekly COVID-19 testing and vaccination — [jacohd.org/events](https://jacohd.org/events). Metro vaccine sites are available at [vaccinatekc.org](https://vaccinatekc.org) [Click here](#) to view the KCMO COVID-19 Dashboard for more vaccination and case rate information.

## Response Notes

The health department is offering the **bivalent (updated) COVID-19 boosters** to those aged **6+ months** at our clinic. These updated vaccines are tailored to fight the BA.4 and BA.5 omicron variants, which make up almost all new cases in the US. [Click here](#) to learn more!

This week we had **377 new cases**. The 7-day case rate **decreased** from 134.1 (week: 12/18) to 128.9 (week: 12/25).

The Health Department is actively distributing free rapid tests and masks to community members and partners. Residents can visit <https://jacohd.org/masks/#section1> or call (816) 404-6416 to find the nearest location where these resources are available.

\*Up-to-date vaccination: the percent of the EJC population aged 5+ that has received a bivalent booster. EJC vaccination records are current as of 10/31.

Per CDC totals for all of Jackson County, 14.3% of the 5+ population has received the bivalent booster.