



COVID Status Update

February 22, 2021

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PCR Cases

PCR Testing

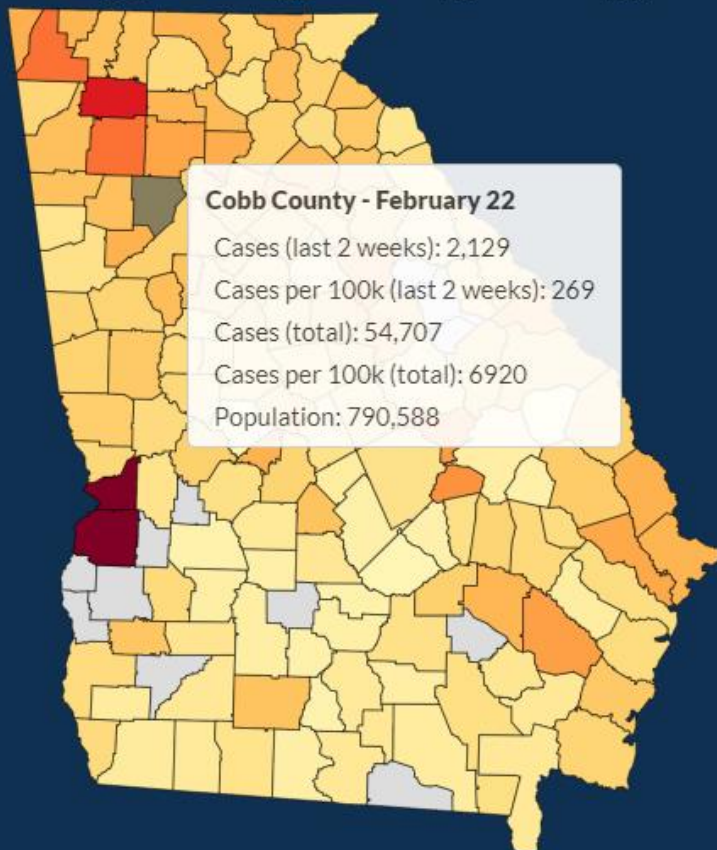
Confirmed Deaths

Total Cases

Last 2 Weeks▼

February 22nd

Reported PCR cases per 100,000 people last 14 days



Cobb County - February 22

Cases (last 2 weeks): 2,129
 Cases per 100k (last 2 weeks): 269
 Cases (total): 54,707
 Cases per 100k (total): 6920
 Population: 790,588

COVID-19 By County

PCR Cases

PCR Testing

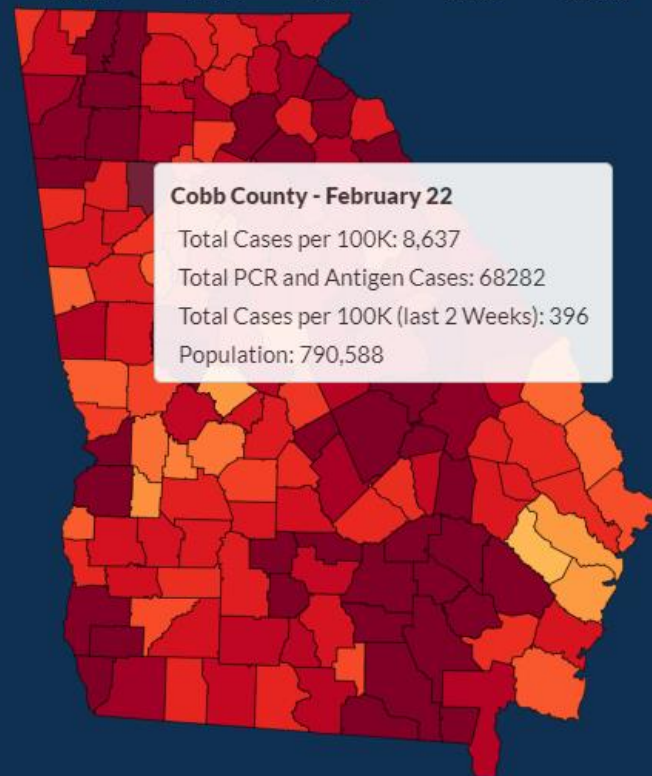
Confirmed Deaths

Total Cases

Total Cases per 100K▼

February 22nd

Total cases per 100K



Cobb County - February 22

Total Cases per 100K: 8,637
 Total PCR and Antigen Cases: 68282
 Total Cases per 100K (last 2 Weeks): 396
 Population: 790,588

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COVID-19 By County

PCR Cases

PCR Testing

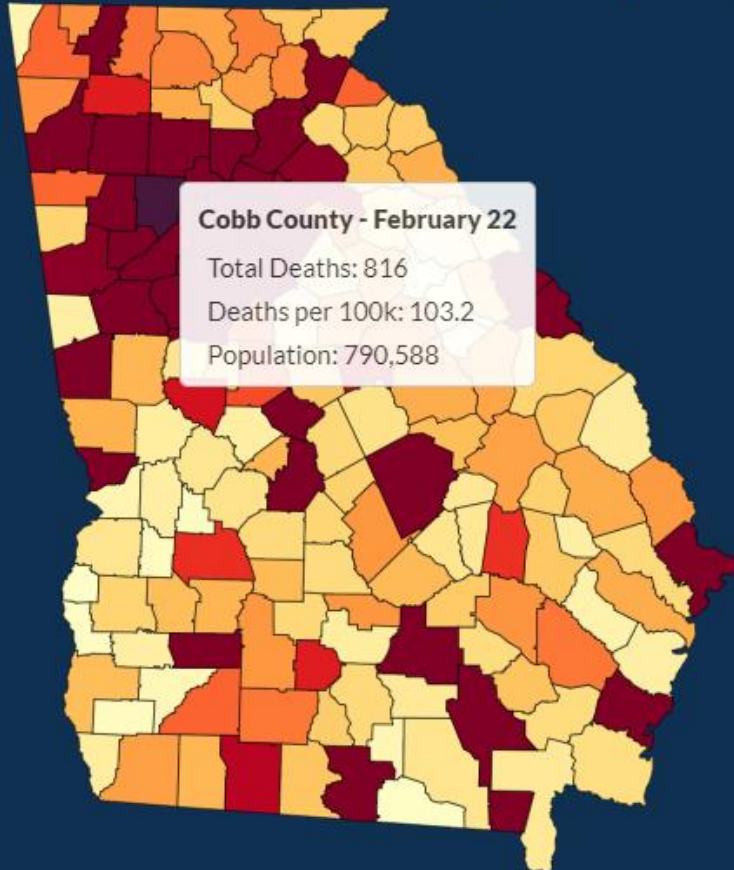
Confirmed Deaths

Total Cases

Total Deaths▼

February 22nd

Total deaths by county

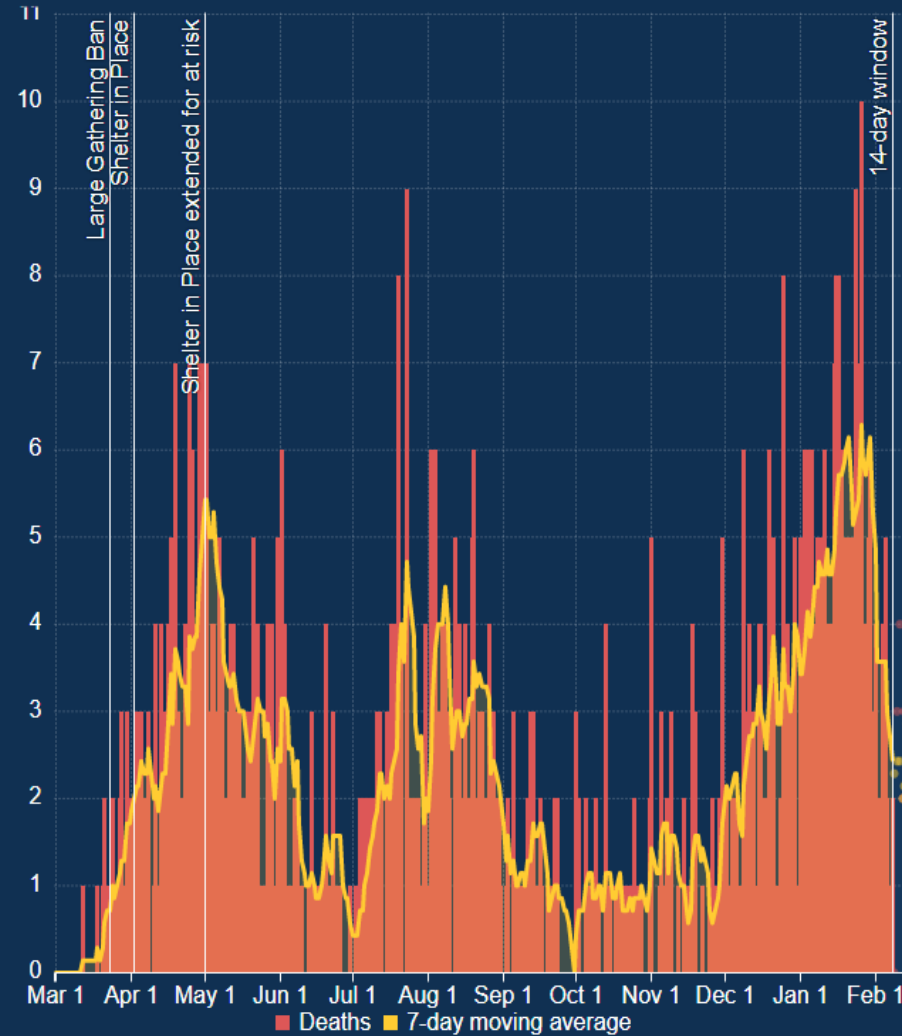


COVID-19 Over Time

Confirmed Deaths▼

Cobb County ▼

Date of Death ▼



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Stats

- Cases to date:
 - PCR and Antigens-68,282
- 2-week case rate combined-396/100,000. Very High, but decreasing
- Deaths 883 with confirmed and probable
- Decrease in district COVID admissions-closely monitoring

GA DPH Phase 1A+

More Georgians to Become Eligible to Receive COVID-19 Vaccine

DECEMBER 30, 2020

Vaccine Administration in Georgia

WE ARE IN PHASE

1A+

- Healthcare workers including nurses, physicians, EMS, laboratory technicians, environmental services
- Long-term care facilities (LTCF) staff and residents
- Adults 65+ and their caregivers
- Law enforcement, fire personnel (including volunteer fire departments), dispatchers, 9-1-1 operators

1B

- Essential workers (non-healthcare) who perform job tasks across critical infrastructure sectors, ensuring continuity of functions critical to public health, safety, economic and national security

1C

- Persons aged 16-64 with medical conditions that increase the risk for severe COVID-19

Equity Statement: In each population group, vaccine access will be prioritized geographically, based on vaccine accessibility, disease burden and risk associated with socio-economic status, race and ethnicity, and geographic location. Final populations are dependent on approved EUA guidance and ACIP vaccine eligibility recommendations (e.g., children and pregnant women).



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<https://dph.georgia.gov/covid-vaccine>

Vaccine Update

- No Vaccines given at Jim Miller Park today.
- 25,363 Vaccines total by CDPH
- 21,048 at JMP
- **Delay** in shipping of vaccines noted due to inclement weather. Saturday and Monday appts moved. Will vaccinate a small number of people tomorrow already on the list.
- Awaiting shipment notice before adding appts. Received notice that 2nd dose vaccines will be sent sometime this week.

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- 4 GEMA mega sites to open across state TODAY
 - Register at
<https://myvaccinegeorgia.com/>
 - Locations: Albany, Clayton, Macon and Habersham

Status

- Vaccine supplies remain limited from federal government
- Mostly 2nd doses with some first doses for outreach events
- Vaccine supply not thought to be increasing much until March-April
- Johnson and Johnson applied for Emergency Use Approval from FDA. FDA has scheduled meeting February 26 for review.

Johnson and Johnson

- One dose vaccine
- DNA Vaccine to produce mRNA produce spike proteins
- Similar safety profile (fever), no anaphylaxis
- 72% effectiveness in the US
- At 28 days-no hospitalization or death.

CDC Guidelines Updates

However, vaccinated persons with an exposure to someone with suspected or confirmed COVID-19 are not required to quarantine if they meet all of the following criteria[†]:

- Are fully vaccinated (i.e., ≥ 2 weeks following receipt of the second dose in a 2-dose series, or ≥ 2 weeks following receipt of one dose of a single-dose vaccine)
- Are within 3 months following receipt of the last dose in the series
- Have remained asymptomatic since the current COVID-19 exposure

Persons who do not meet all 3 of the above criteria should continue to follow current [quarantine guidance](#) after exposure to someone with suspected or confirmed COVID-19.

<https://www.cdc.gov/vaccines/covid-19/info-by-product/clinical-considerations.html>

- Vaccinated persons should still watch for symptoms during quarantine
- Get tested if they develop symptoms.
- Continue to follow all other prevention guidance-Wear Masks, Maintain 6 feet, do not gather with groups of people, wash hands frequently.

Exception:

- Vaccinated inpatients and residents in healthcare settings should continue to quarantine following an exposure to someone with suspected or confirmed COVID-19; outpatients should be cared for using appropriate Transmission-Based Precautions.

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Variant

- UK B 1.1.7. variant identified in the state
- Cobb and Douglas counties identified with multiple cases
- Thought to be roughly 50% more contagious
- Possibly more deadly
- Doubling time in US thought to be about every 10 days
- Vaccines do seem to be effective

Due to a very generous donation from one of our COVID-19 partners, **Ipsum Diagnostics** to the **Cobb & Douglas Health Foundation**, we are able to provide thousands of food boxes to our families in need at our **CORE** testing sites

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FREE FOOD BOXES

TO ASSIST FAMILIES AND SENIORS IN NEED

January 28 – March 20
10:00 AM – 2:00 PM or while supplies last

Thursdays - Woodie Fite Senior Center
8750 Dorris Road
Douglasville, GA 30134

Fridays - Kingdom Builders
8271 Cedar Mountain Road
Douglasville, GA 30134

Fridays - Legion Park
5514 Austell Powder Springs Road SW
Austell, GA 30106

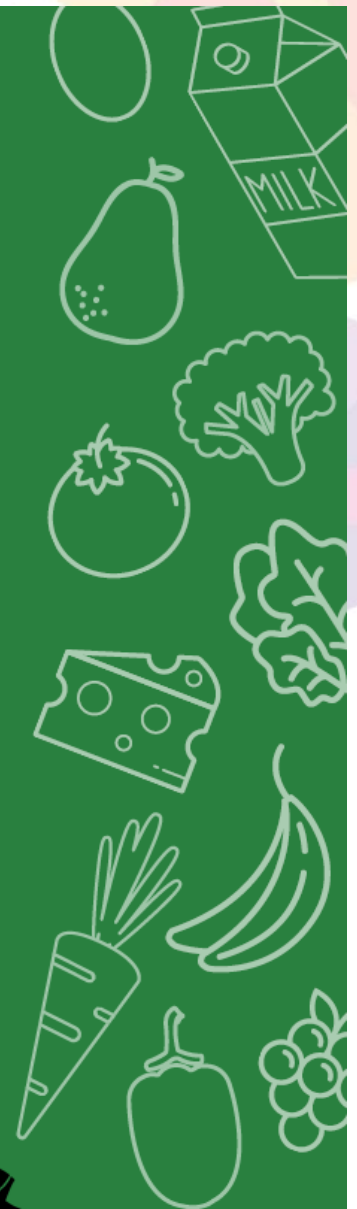
Saturdays - Eastwood Baptist Church
1150 Allgood Road NE
Marietta, GA 30062

Food boxes of fresh items sponsored by



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CORE
Community Organized Relief Effort



Takeaways...

- Hope for more vaccines on the horizon in the next few months
- Concerns for the variant strains in the state and community. Identified multiple cases of UK Strain in the district. More are being identified.
- Prevention must be adhered to:
 - Wearing masks
 - Physical distancing
 - Washing hands
 - Not gathering outside of households

Thank you.



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