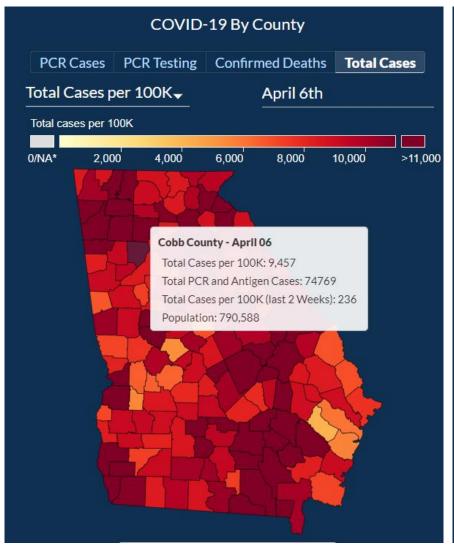


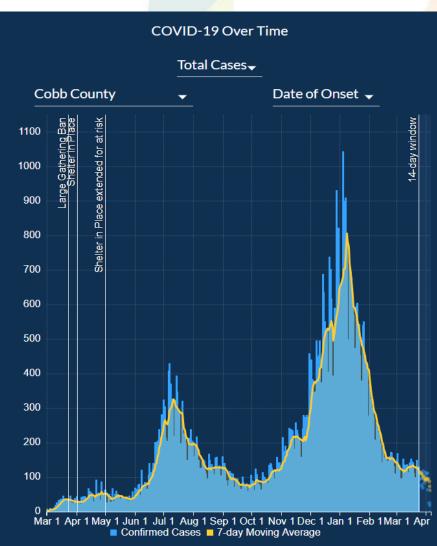
COVID-19 Status Update

April 7, 2021

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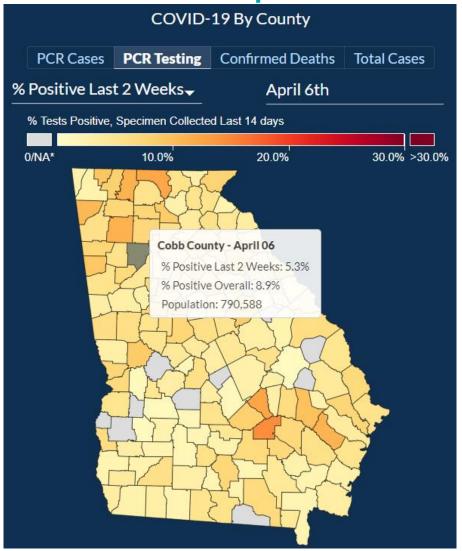
Total 2-week Positive Case Rate (236/100K) in Cobb County is still considered HIGH community transmission and has plateaued

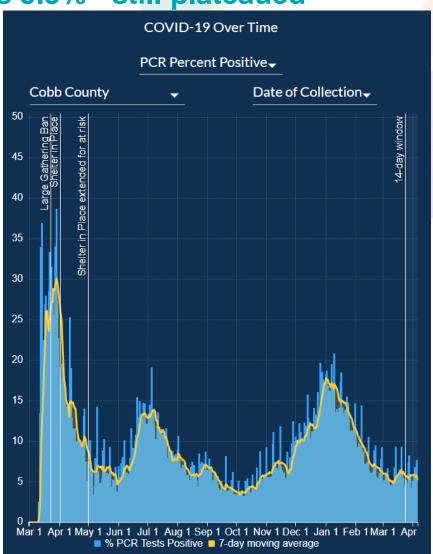




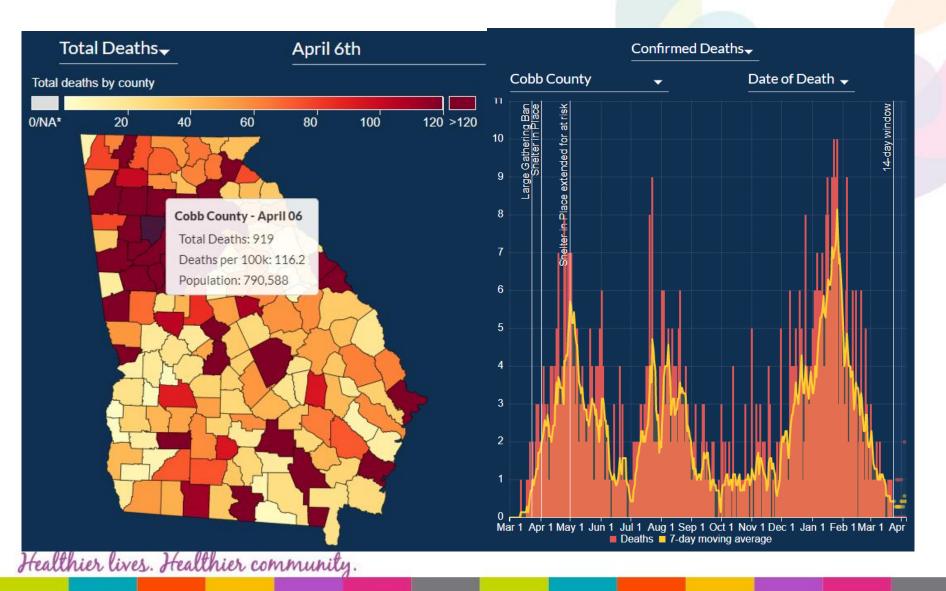
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Positivity Rate is the number of positive tests compared to total tests completed – Cobb is 5.3% - still plateaued





The number of Cobb residents who have died from COVID-19 (YTD confirmed and presumed) is 994 as of 4/6/21



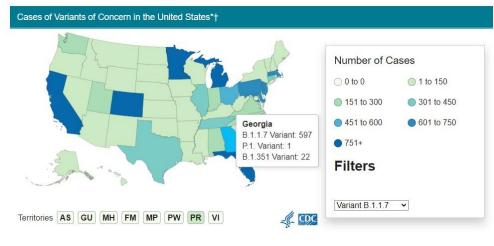
Variant Status

- Additional Variant COVID cases continue to be found in our county and statewide
- https://www.cdc.g ov/coronavirus/20 19ncov/transmission /variantcases.html

US COVID-19 Cases Caused by Variants

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Variant	Reported Cases in US	Number of Jurisdictions Reporting
B.1.1.7	15,511	52
B.1.351	374	33
P.1	289	25



Impact of viral variants on COVID-19 vaccine effectiveness

- B.1.1.7 ("UK variant")
- B.1.351 ("South African variant")
- P.1 ("Brazilian variant")
- These variants spread more easily and quickly than other variants; remember that only a small percentage of positive tests get processed for variants.
- UK variant may be associated with increased risk of death, but more studies needed
- Antibodies produced after receiving one of the currently authorized vaccines appear to recognize these variants, but more studies underway

COVID–19 Testing in Cobb County

Converted most testing sites to vaccination sites (250-500/day) on 3/31/21 in addition to JMP mass vaccination site (6 days/wk)

- MAKO Labs PCR Testing at JMP (M-F)
- KSU BrandSmart North Cobb (CORE Vaccination/PCR Testing TU/TH)
- St. Thomas Catholic Church Smyrna (CORE Vaccination/PCR Testing FR)
- Eastwood Baptist Marietta/East Cobb (Air National Guard (ANG) PCR Testing WED)
- Mosaic Community Center Smyrna (ANG PCR Testing FR)
- Legion Field –Austell Sat April 10
- Still need to register in advance
- Still 24-48 hour turnaround on test results with all sites above
- https://www.cobbanddouglaspublichealth.com/services/epidemiology-infectiousdisease/covid-testing/

COVID Vaccines Given to Date in Georgia (4/6/21)

GEORGIA VACCINES ADMINISTERED # ADMINISTERED 4,260,576 # ADMINISTERED PER 100K 40,951 RESIDENTS VACCINATED # At Least One Dose 2,820,957 % At Least One Dose 27% # Fully Vaccinated 1,510,159 % Fully Vaccinated

15%

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Cobb County VACCINES ADMINISTERED # ADMINISTERED 272,552 # ADMINISTERED PER 100K 36,281 RESIDENTS VACCINATED # At Least One Dose 175,561 % At Least One Dose 23% # Fully Vaccinated 99,147 % Fully Vaccinated 13%

CDPH doses administered to date: 55,701

CDPH COBB doses administered: 42,417

https://dph.georgia.gov/

Benefits of COVID-19 vaccination

- Effective at preventing symptomatic COVID-19
- May prevent serious illness in those who do get COVID-19
- May protect others from COVID-19
- Visit with other fully vaccinated people indoors without wearing masks or physical distancing
- Visit with unvaccinated people from a single household who are at low risk for severe COVID-19 disease indoors without wearing masks or physical distancing
- Refrain from quarantine and testing following a known exposure if asymptomatic

GA DPH Vaccine Eligibility (as of TH 3/25/21)

All Georgia residents over 16 years of age are eligible to get vaccinated

* Note: only Pfizer Vaccine can be given to 16 & 17 year olds

Scheduling a COVID-19 vaccine appointment at a Cobb & **Douglas Public** Health sites and other public health locations around Georgia:



https://www.cobbanddouglaspublichealth.com/

COVID-19 Vaccines -Safe. Tested. Effective.

>> Search the Vaccine Locator



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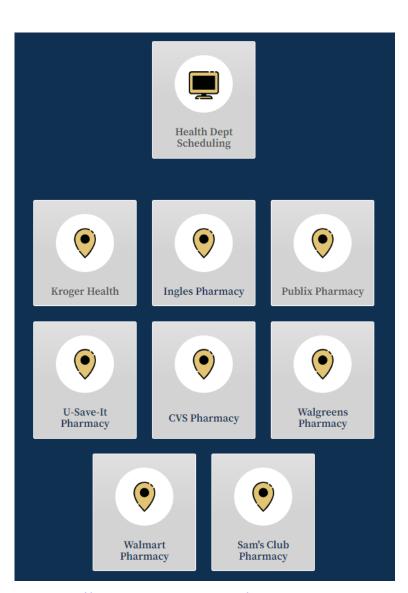
Find a Covid Vaccination Site

Search Cobb ×

Location Name	County	Address
Cobb & Douglas Public Health (COVID Site)	Cobb	Jim R. Miller Park 2245 Callaway Road SW Marietta, GA 30008 United States
<u>Due West Pharmacy</u>	Cobb	3880 Due West Road Marietta, GA 30064 United States
East Marietta Drugs	Cobb	1480 Roswell Road Marietta, GA

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

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https://myvaccinegeorgia.com/







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CDPH is putting our new Mobile Health Van to work!

Special thanks to the Cobb County Community Development Block Grant!

CDPH/Wellstar Outreach

Partnering to reach vulnerable residents who have difficulty getting to a Mass Site Began with Senior Centers and now expanding to churches, shelters and other locations

SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
28	29	30	31	1	2	3
		8:00 am - 12:30 pm	8:00 am - 12:30 pm	2:00 pm - 6:00 pm		
		North Cobb Senior Cente	North Cobb Senior Cente	Shaw Temple First Dose		
4	5	6	7	8	9	10
11	12	13 8:00 am - 1:00 pm	14 8:00 am - 1:00 pm	15	16	17
		Woodle Fite Senior Cents	West Cobb Senior Center			
18	19	20	21	2:00 pm - 6:00 pm Shaw Temple Second Do	23	24
25	26	27	28	29	30	1
		8:00 am - 12:30 pm North Cobb Senior Cente	8:00 am - 12:30 pm North Cobb Senior Cente			

Pending:

St. Joseph's Catholic

Church

History Maker's

Church

The Zone

The Extension

Center for Children &

Young Adults

CDPH helped vaccinate the Peachtree Santas Inc. on 3/30 and 3/31



Key Points this Week...

- Watching plateaued trends of case rates, positivity, hospitalizations in light of increasing variant cases and possible Spring Break exposures
- CDPH and other providers releasing more appointments each week;
 Please take whichever brand of vaccine you have access to all have excellent effectiveness
- Cobb County Government/CDPH working together to launch COVID Call Center next week
- CDPH gearing up to provide 5,000+ second doses to Cobb County School staff on 4/16 and 4/23
- Prevention must <u>still</u> be adhered to:
 - Wearing masks
 - Physical distancing
 - Washing hands
 - Limit gathering outside of households

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