

# COVID-19 NEWS

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## Media Alert: Daily COVID-19 Case Counts\* for DuPage County

<b>Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Case Counts* in DuPage County, 2020-2021</b>
<b>Total cases in DuPage County residents</b>
<b>90,373, including 1,342 deaths</b>

\*Probable cases have been added to confirmed cases to reflect total COVID-19 cases, effective 3/14/2021. Data are provisional as of 8:00 am 5/12/2021 and subject to change.

**NOTE:** Effective 3/14/2021, DuPage County Health Department (DCHD) incorporated COVID-19 probable cases and deaths into the [COVID-19 data dashboard](#) counts and graphs; confirmed and probable cases account for total case and death counts. COVID-19 probable cases include those cases that meet clinical criteria AND epidemiologic linkage with no confirmatory laboratory testing performed for SARS-CoV-2, or meet presumptive laboratory evidence, or meet vital records criteria with no confirmatory laboratory evidence for SARS-CoV-2. DCHD is including these probable cases and deaths to align with the [COVID-19 case definition](#) as well as Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH) updates which include probable cases and deaths in regional, county, and school metrics on the [IDPH website](#).

The DuPage County Health Department provides further information on the data dashboard for COVID-19-related cases by age group, hospitalizations, deaths, lab positivity, outbreak-associated counts by municipality and community transmission level.

Information is also available for COVID-19 cases and deaths among DuPage County residents by race, ethnicity, severity, vaccination status, long-term care facility outcomes, underlying medical conditions, doubling time, recovery rate, and outbreaks by setting. Visit the DuPage County COVID-19 Dashboard at [www.dupagehealth.org/covid19data](http://www.dupagehealth.org/covid19data).

Individual long-term care facility outbreak updates are provided on the Illinois Department of Public Health website.

Since yesterday, there are 129 new cases of COVID-19 in DuPage County with no deaths of persons with COVID-19 infection reported.

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**STAY SAFE  
DUPAGE**



**WEAR  
A MASK**



**WATCH  
YOUR DISTANCE**



**WASH  
YOUR HANDS**

DuPage County Health Department remains committed to address the significant impact and unfortunate loss of life related to COVID-19. Our efforts continue with healthcare and community partners to reduce the spread of COVID-19 in DuPage County.

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