



Count and Rate of Confirmed COVID-19 Cases and Tests Performed in MA by County, January 1, 2020 – November 23, 2021

County	Total Case Count	Case Count (Last 14 Days)	Average Daily Incidence Rate per 100,000 (Last 14 days)	Relative Change in Case Counts ¹	Total Tests	Total Tests (Last 14 days)	Total Positive Tests (Last 14 days)	Percent Positivity (Last 14 days)	Change in Percent Positivity ²
Barnstable County	19273	925	30.5	Higher	587792	18220	993	5.45%	Higher
Berkshire County	10310	781	44.1	Higher	583842	21498	813	3.78%	Higher
Bristol County	86118	3011	37.6	Higher	1920728	61951	3276	5.29%	Higher
Dukes and Nantucket Counties	3886	56	13.9	Higher	105599	1797	58	3.23%	Higher
Essex County	120475	4502	40.4	Higher	3098157	95361	5066	5.31%	Higher
Franklin County	3843	273	27.4	Higher	301654	8902	294	3.30%	Higher
Hampden County	69339	2304	35.0	Higher	1703078	55026	2602	4.73%	Higher
Hampshire County	12382	459	20.0	Higher	1347135	52473	504	0.96%	Higher
Middlesex County	169160	5899	25.9	Higher	8718326	301376	6502	2.16%	Higher
Norfolk County	68047	2075	20.7	Higher	2894508	92524	2259	2.44%	Higher
Plymouth County	63280	2426	32.8	Higher	1623664	52360	2609	4.98%	Higher
Suffolk County	112045	2701	23.8	Higher	6288041	225534	3064	1.36%	Higher
Worcester County	102826	4280	36.4	Higher	3521898	130936	4590	3.51%	Higher
Unknown ³	988	49	*	*	409830	11306	49	*	*
State	841972	29741	30.5	Higher	33104252	1129264	32679	2.89%	Higher

Data are current as of 11:59pm on 11/23/2021; ¹Number of new cases occurring over the current two-week period (11/7/2021 – 11/20/2021) compared to the previous two-week period (10/31/2021 – 11/13/2021). **Higher**=number of new cases in the current two-week period higher than the number of new cases during the last two-week period. **Lower**=number of new cases in the current two-week period lower than number of new cases during the last two-week period. **No change**=number of new cases in current two-week period is equal to the number of new cases during the last two-week period. ²Change in percent positivity compared to the previous week's (11/17/2021) report. **No Change**= <0.10% difference in the percent positivity. ³Address information for these cases is currently being obtained. DPH calculates rates per 100,000 population using denominators estimated by the University of Massachusetts Donahue Institute using a modified Hamilton-Perry model (Strate S, et al. Small Area Population Estimates for 2011 through 2020, report, Oct 2016.) **Please note:** Data for these tables are based on information available in the DPH surveillance database at a single point in time. Case counts for specific cities and towns change throughout the day as data cleaning occurs (removal of duplicate reports within the system) and new demographic information (assigning cases to their city or town of residence) is obtained.