



Massachusetts Department of Public Health COVID-19 Vaccine Data – Tuesday, December 21, 2021

## COVID-19 Cases in Fully Vaccinated Individuals

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- COVID-19 cases in vaccinated people are counted as those who test positive more than 14 days after the final dose of vaccine\*
- As of December 18, 2021 there were 5,035,517 fully vaccinated people and there were 114,318 cases in vaccinated people
- 3,186 of those 114,318 cases resulted in hospitalization and 784 cases resulted in death based on information reported to date

	<b>Cumulative count through last week</b> <small>(reported 12/11)</small>	<b>Cumulative count through this week</b> <small>(reported 12/18)</small>	<b>% of All Fully Vaccinated Individuals*</b>
<b>Cases</b>	100,399	114,318	2.3%
<b>Hospitalizations among cases</b>	2,966	3,186	0.06%
<b>Deaths among cases</b>	699	784	0.02%

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