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COVID-19 Highlights

News Snapshot
COVID-19 HEADLINES OF THE WEEK • As of October 16, 2020


Bloomberg

Business

J&J Halts Covid-19 Vaccine Trial Due to Unexplained Illness

CNN health

Covid-19 deaths will rise almost 80% by February, researchers foresee

CNN BUSINESS

Jobless claims head higher: 898,000 Americans filed for unemployment benefits

The Coronavirus Outbreak

‘We are headed in the wrong direction’: The U.S. topped 65,000 new cases Thursday, the highest tally since July.

Pfizer Says It Won’t Seek Vaccine Authorization Before Mid-November

Friday’s announcement represents a shift in tone for the company and its leader, who has repeatedly emphasized the month of October in interviews and public appearances.

Los Angeles Times

Eli Lilly pauses COVID-19 antibody trial, citing potential safety concern

Curfews and lockdowns as shaken Europe overtakes U.S. in virus surge
COVID-19 DATA SUMMARY
Data Snapshot
**Explanation of metrics from the California Department of Public Health**

**New COVID-19 positive cases per 100K**
7-Day average new positive cases per 100K residents with a 7-day lag

Case rate will be determined using confirmed (by PCR) cases, and will not include state and federal inmate cases. Case rates include an adjustment factor for counties that are testing above the state average. The incidence is adjusted downwards in a graduated fashion, with a maximum adjustment at twice the State average testing rate.

**Positivity Rate**
7-day average of positive lab-confirmed COVID-19 cases divided by total tests with conclusive results with a 7-day lag.

**Health Equity Metric**
On 10/6, the State began to include a third metric to measure health equity. This metric is defined as the test positivity rate in the Lowest Healthy Places Index Quartile Census Tracts (7-day, 7-day lag).

### METRICS

**As of October 13, 2020, 1 PM**

<table>
<thead>
<tr>
<th>REPORTING DATE</th>
<th>RATE</th>
<th>% DIFF VS LAST WEEK</th>
<th>LAST WEEK REPORTING DATE</th>
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<tr>
<td><strong>New COVID-19 positive cases per 100K</strong></td>
<td>10/13</td>
<td>9.0</td>
<td>-4.3%</td>
<td>10/6</td>
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<td><strong>Adjusted case rate for tier assignment</strong></td>
<td>10/13</td>
<td>7.6</td>
<td>+2.7%</td>
<td>10/6</td>
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<td><strong>Positivity Rate</strong></td>
<td>10/13</td>
<td>3.7%</td>
<td>+0.9% (% Point Difference)</td>
<td>10/6</td>
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<td><strong>Health Equity Metric</strong> (starting 10/6)</td>
<td>10/13</td>
<td>6.0%</td>
<td>+1.6% (% Point Difference)</td>
<td>10/6</td>
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**Source:** California Department of Public Health

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**CURRENT LOS ANGELES COUNTY RISK LEVEL:** **WIDESPREAD**

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<th>County risk level</th>
<th>New cases</th>
<th>positive tests</th>
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<td>WIDESPREAD</td>
<td>More than 7 daily new cases (per 100K)</td>
<td>More than 8% positive tests</td>
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<td>SUBSTANTIAL</td>
<td>4 - 7 daily new cases (per 100K)</td>
<td>5 - 8% positive tests</td>
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<td>MODERATE</td>
<td>1 - 3.9 daily new cases (per 100K)</td>
<td>2 - 4.9% positive tests</td>
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<td>MINIMAL</td>
<td>Less than 1 daily new cases (per 100K)</td>
<td>Less than 2% positive tests</td>
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Key Takeaways:
The following metrics have seen **undesirable** movement over the past seven days for which data are available: New Cases (vs baseline), New Deaths (vs last week), New Hospitalizations (vs last week), Acute Care Bed Capacity, ICU Bed Capacity, and Unemployment.

The following metrics have seen **desirable** movement over the past seven days: New Cases (vs last week), New Deaths (vs baseline), COVID Positive Test Rate, New Hospitalizations (vs baseline), LA City Crime, and Unemployment Insurance Claims.

*Unless otherwise noted, the baseline period is the week of 4/18/20-4/24/20, our highest week in the month of April, first full month of reporting on record.

**As of October 13, 2020.

The table below provides a summary of the key metrics:

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<th>METRICS</th>
<th>TODAY'S AVERAGES</th>
<th>CURRENT TREND VS LAST WEEK</th>
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<th>CURRENT TREND VS BASELINE</th>
<th>% CHANGE VS BASELINE</th>
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<td>New Cases (7-day avg.)</td>
<td>1,083 (7-day avg)</td>
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<td>-0.7%</td>
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<td>+3.8%</td>
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<td>New Deaths (7-day avg.)</td>
<td>18 (7-day avg)</td>
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<td>+0.8%</td>
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<td>-65.0%</td>
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<td>COVID Cumulative Positive Test Rate</td>
<td>9.2% (overall)</td>
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<td>-0.04%</td>
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<td>-5.4% COVID+ Test Rate is % Point Difference w/ baseline</td>
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<td>New Hospitalizations (7-day avg)**</td>
<td>78 (7-day avg)</td>
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<td>+10.7%</td>
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<td>-49.8%</td>
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<td>Acute Care Bed Capacity (7-day avg)**</td>
<td>588 (7-day avg)</td>
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<td>-5.3%</td>
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<td>-47.3%</td>
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<td>ICU Bed Capacity (7-day avg)**</td>
<td>127 (7-day avg)</td>
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<td>-18.6%</td>
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<td>-47.9%</td>
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<td>LA City Crime (7-day avg) baseline = 2019 YTD</td>
<td>460 daily crimes (7-day avg) as of 10/10/2020</td>
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<td>-6.5%</td>
<td></td>
<td>-21.8%</td>
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<td>LA City Unemployment Ins. Claims (includes PUA) baseline = equivalent 2019 week</td>
<td>2,012 as of 10/3/2020</td>
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<td>-82.6%</td>
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## LOS ANGELES COUNTY • City Response Highlights • As of October 16, 2020

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<th>LOS ANGELES</th>
<th>GLOBAL</th>
<th>HOTLINE SERVICES</th>
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<td><strong>1,072</strong></td>
<td><strong>27</strong></td>
<td><strong>75</strong></td>
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<td>New Cases</td>
<td>New Deaths</td>
<td>COVID-related 311 calls</td>
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<td><strong>287,222</strong></td>
<td><strong>6,855</strong></td>
<td><strong>2,956</strong></td>
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<td>Total Cases</td>
<td>Total Deaths</td>
<td>Non-COVID related 311 calls</td>
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### COVID RELATED CALL THEMES - 10/15

- Parking
- Testing
- Eviction or Rent assistance

## L.A. TESTING UPDATES

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<th>City Tests (Tests Performed Since Last Report)</th>
<th>Available City Testing Capacity Today</th>
<th>City Tests Since 3/20</th>
<th>Total City Sites Available Today</th>
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<td><strong>12.9K</strong></td>
<td><strong>21.3K</strong></td>
<td><strong>1.7M</strong></td>
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<td><strong>676</strong></td>
<td><strong>569</strong></td>
<td><strong>107</strong></td>
<td><strong>1,146</strong></td>
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<td>Total Beds</td>
<td>Acute Care</td>
<td>ICU Beds</td>
<td>Ventilators</td>
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### HOSPITALIZATIONS

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<th>New Hospitalizations</th>
<th>Current Hospitalizations</th>
<th>Total Hospitalizations</th>
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<td><strong>97</strong></td>
<td><strong>746</strong></td>
<td><strong>24.3K</strong></td>
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### SHELTER OCCUPANCY

- Tier 1 Housing - Emergency Hotels/Motels Countywide: **65.0%** 1 shelter online
- Tier 2 Housing - Iso. and Quarantine Hotels/Motels Countywide: **92.0%**
COVID-19 DATA SUMMARY
United States Update
California has the most cases and the Midwest remains an epicenter. Recent increases have been concentrated in the Midwest. The top five states, based on total cases, include:

1. **California** (861,500 cases) - 2,177 per 100K residents, 16,782 deaths
2. **Texas** (815,700 cases) - 2,841 per 100K residents, 16,891 deaths
3. **Florida** (748,400 cases) - 3,513 per 100K residents, 15,989 deaths
4. **New York State** (481,100 cases) - 2,461 per 100K residents, 25,660 deaths
5. **Illinois** (339,800 cases) - 2,666 per 100K residents, 9,452 deaths

Rounding out the top ten are: Georgia, North Carolina, Arizona, Tennessee, New Jersey.
Top 5 per capita (per 100K) cases by County:

**Imperial, California:** 6,828 cases per 100K (12,373 total cases)

**Miami-Dade, Florida:** 6,508 cases per 100K (176,809 total cases)

**Woodbury, Iowa (Sioux City):** 6,406 cases per 100K (6,605 total cases)

**Yuma, Arizona:** 6,124 cases per 100K (13,092 total cases)

**Potter, Texas (Amarillo):** 5,980 cases per 100K (7,021 total cases)

**Los Angeles, California:** 2,851 cases per 100K (286,183 total cases)

*Los Angeles County ranks #154 out of 584 counties with 100K+*

Source: Los Angeles County Department of Health, Johns Hopkins University

Prepared by Mayor’s Innovation Team
COVID-19 US Deaths - Per Capita County Comparison (Counties >=100K ppl)
As of October 15, 2020, 8:00 PM • One-day lag

Top 5 per capita (per 100K) deaths by County:

**Bronx, New York:** 350.7 deaths per 100K (4,973 total deaths)

**Queens, New York:** 323.1 deaths per 100K (7,282 total deaths)

**Kings, New York:** 287.5 deaths per 100K (7,361 total deaths)

**Essex, New Jersey (NYC Metro Area):** 267.1 deaths per 100K (2,134 total deaths)

**Passaic, New Jersey (NYC Metro Area):** 250.7 deaths per 100K (1,258 total deaths)

**Los Angeles, California:** 68.1 deaths per 100K (6,834 total deaths)

*Los Angeles County ranks #148 out of 584 counties with 100K+*

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Source: Los Angeles County Department of Health, Johns Hopkins University
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Key Takeaways:
Los Angeles County currently has a 2.4% mortality rate. The estimated infection rate is 1.05 \((\text{ideal is } <1.0)\).
Key Takeaways:
The past seven days have seen an average daily increase of 1,083 new cases

The past seven days have seen an average daily increase of 18 new deaths

COVID-19 Los Angeles County New Cases and New Deaths, 7-Day Average
As of October 16, 2020, Noon

Source: Los Angeles County Department of Health

Note: Between July 3-5, the County took their systems offline for an upgrade. Additionally, several testing sites were closed and at least one major lab did not report case results. Deaths were likely undercounted because the necessary verification steps extended beyond the weekend due to holiday. As a result, all data during this time period is skewed.

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**Key Takeaways:**
- Data is incomplete with 36.1% of cases and 0.2% of deaths still under investigation.
- People aged 18-29 and 30-49, and Hispanic/Latino Americans are overrepresented in cases.
- Seniors, Men, Hispanic/Latino, and Black Americans overrepresented in deaths.
- 6,302 out of 6,773 deaths had comorbidities (underlying conditions) (93.0%).

**Source:** Los Angeles County Department of Public Health, US Census Bureau
*Department of Public Health category Under Investigation or Not Otherwise Listed filtered out of analysis Approximations are made on Census data to accommodate county age buckets. Percentage of cases and deaths under investigation is based on the race category.
Key Takeaways:
From 5/1 to 10/11

- Hispanic/Latino share increased by 12.5%
- White share decreased by 5.7%
- Asian share decreased by 4%
- Black share decreased by 2.5%
- Other Races share decreased by 0.2%
- Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander share decreased by 0.2%
- American Indian/Alaska Native share increased by 0.1%

Source: Los Angeles County Department of Public Health, COVID Tracking Project
*Missing cases/deaths data by demographic from 7/2-7/3

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Note: From 7/27, the age categories 18 to 40 and 41 to 65 were broken down into the following categories:

- 18 to 29
- 30 to 49
- 50 to 64

Data on age demographic is missing between 7/22-7/26 as a result of this change.
Note: From 7/27, the age categories 18 to 40 and 41 to 65 were broken down into the following categories:

- 18 to 29
- 30 to 49
- 50 to 64

Data on age demographic is missing between 7/22-7/26 as a result of this change.
Key Takeaways:

• **3,075** Cases reported in CA from 10/15 to 10/16 (0.4% increase)

• LA County has **33.3%** of cases in CA with **1,072** new cases from 10/15 to 10/16 (0.4% increase)

• The City of LA has **13.6%** of cases in CA; **480** new cases reported from 10/15 to 10/16 (0.4% increase)
Key Takeaways:
• 22,870 positive cases reported in CA from 10/10 to 10/16 (7.2% increase from previous week)
• 7,581 positive cases reported in LA County from 10/10 to 10/16 (0.7% decrease from previous week)
• 3,154 positive cases reported in the City of LA from 10/10 to 10/16 (2.8% increase from previous week)

Source: Los Angeles County Department of Public Health, Johns Hopkins Center for Systems Science and Engineering GitHub repo, LA County Department of Public Health, COVIDTracking.com, and the LA Times. Day of outbreak is identified as March 11, with prior cases aggregated to day 1

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Key Takeaways:
The past seven days have seen an average daily increase of 1,083 new cases.

Note: Daily numbers may show a discrepancy when performing basic addition. This is based on the fact that the County is performing ongoing investigation into cases and updating their daily case numbers but not updating historic case numbers.
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New & Total Deaths
Key Takeaways:
• 73 Deaths reported in CA from 10/15 to 10/16 (0.4% increase)

• LA County has 40.7% of deaths in CA with 27 new deaths from 10/15 to 10/16 (0.4% increase)

• The City of LA has 17.2% of deaths in CA; 9 new deaths reported from 10/15 to 10/16 (0.3% increase)

Source: Los Angeles County Department of Public Health, Johns Hopkins Center for Systems Science and Engineering GitHub repo, and the LA Times.
Day of outbreak is identified as March 11, with prior cases aggregated to day 1. LA City death count lags several days.

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Key Takeaways:

• **402** deaths reported in CA from 10/10 to 10/16 (**9.0%** decrease from previous week)

• **124** deaths reported in LA County from 10/10 to 10/16 (**0.8%** increase from previous week)

• **59** deaths reported in the City of LA from 10/10 to 10/16 (**40.5%** increase from previous week)*

*At least 14 of the deaths in LA City reported this week are from a data backlog

Source: Los Angeles County Department of Public Health, Johns Hopkins Center for Systems Science and Engineering GitHub repo, and the LA Times.

Day of outbreak is identified as March 11, with prior cases aggregated to day 1. LA City death count lags several days.

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Key Takeaways:
The past seven days have seen an **average daily increase of 18 new deaths**
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Testing
Key Takeaways:

LA County’s overall positive rate is currently at 9.2% (for individuals tested)

LA City’s overall positive rate is currently at 6.4% (for all tests)
Key Takeaways:

- At least 1,707,830 tests have been performed at City of Los Angeles since 3/20

- In LA County overall, at least 2,878,575 people have been tested since 3/20

- At least 12,908 tests were performed on 10/15

- On average, 12,419 tests were performed each day from 10/9 to 10/15

- 107,172 of the 1,690,221 tests for which results were received were positive (6.4%)

Note: Several testing sites were closed over the July 4th holiday weekend

Cumulative
Performed

Source: City of Los Angeles

*Public test registration. It does not include registration of critical city employees, first responders, and health care providers.

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Key Takeaways:
- The overall positive testing rate for City of LA sites peaked on 4/27 with a rate of 7.8%
- The overall positive testing reached its lowest rate of 4.3% on 5/31
- The current positive rate is declining slightly and is currently at 6.4%
- The 7-day positivity rate is increasing again and is now 4.5% (as of 10/14)

Source: City of Los Angeles
*Public test registration. It does not include registration of critical city employees, first responders, and health care providers. These testing numbers only include sites within the City of Los Angeles boundaries.

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Key Takeaways:
• The overall positive rate for Los Angeles County peaked on 4/8 with a rate of 13.4%
• The positive testing reached its lowest rate of 7.7% on 5/27
• The overall cumulative % positive persons tested as of 10/15 is 9.2%
• The 7-day average daily % positive persons as of 10/15 is 8.9%

Source: Los Angeles County Department of Public Health. Recent dates are incomplete due to lags in reporting.
Persons Tested are derived from Electronic Lab Reporting (ELR) data. Positive Persons will not equal total cases because not all laboratories report results through ELR.
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Key Takeaways:
• The overall positive rate for Los Angeles County peaked on 4/8 with a rate of 13.4%.
• The positive testing reached its lowest rate of 7.7% on 5/27.
• Given delays in testing results, 7-day positive average rates are more stable when viewed after a week.
• The overall cumulative % positive people tested as of 10/9 was 9.3%.
• The 7-day average daily % positive persons rate as of 10/9 was 8.0%.

Source: Los Angeles County Department of Public Health. Recent dates are incomplete due to lags in reporting. Persons Tested are derived from Electronic Lab Reporting (ELR) data. Positive Persons will not equal total cases because not all laboratories report results through ELR.

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- The positive testing reached its lowest rate of 7.7% on 5/27.
- Given delays in testing results, 7-day positive average rates are more stable when viewed after a week.
- The overall cumulative % positive rate of specimens tested as of 10/9 was 6.0%.
- The 7-day average daily % positive specimen rate as of 10/9 was 3.1%.

Source: Los Angeles County Department of Public Health. Recent dates are incomplete due to lags in reporting. Persons Tested are derived from Electronic Lab Reporting (ELR) data. Positive Persons will not equal total cases because not all laboratories report results through ELR.

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Key Takeaways:
• 746 currently hospitalized patients, a 1.5% increase from yesterday

Hospitalized COVID-19 Patients
As of October 15 • One-day lag

Source: California Open Data Portal
*Hospitalizations in county press conferences often reported with two-day lag
**There are additional patients in hospitals that are COVID-19-suspected

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Key Takeaways:

- At least \(24,340\) people have been hospitalized since 3/18

- \(97\) new hospitalizations* as of 10/15

- An average of \(78\) people were hospitalized daily due to COVID-19 between 10/08-10/15

- The new 7-day rolling average increased by \(10.7\%\) compared to last week's average

*No new hospitalizations update for 7/31

Source: County HavBed Bed Tracking and Los Angeles County Department of Public Health Services

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Key Takeaways:
676 total beds

Since last week, there has been a:
• **10.5% increase** in available acute care beds. Surge capacity is 11,482
• **-10.8% decrease** in available ICU beds. Surge capacity is 4,067
• **-1.4% decrease** in available ventilators. Surge capacity is 3,199

County Total Reported Bed Capacity in County: 23,318 Staffed Beds in all Categories

*No data for 7/31 currently available

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Hospital Bed and Equipment Capacity for LA County
As of October 15 • One-day lag

Source: County HavBed Bed Tracking and Los Angeles County Department of Public Health Services

This is self reported data subject to error, represents 70 designated 9-1-1 receiving hospitals
*No data for 7/31 currently available

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Hospital Bed and Equipment Capacity for LA County
As of October 15 • One-day lag

Ventilators

Source: County HavBed Bed Tracking and Los Angeles County Department of Public Health Services

This is self-reported data subject to error, represents 70 designated 9-1-1 receiving hospitals

*No data for 7/31 currently available

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COVID-19 DATA SUMMARY

Mayor’s Office Initiatives
Hotline Services: 311 Calls
As of October 15, 2020 • One-day lag

Source: ITA - 311 Contact Center
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## Mayor’s Resident Support Initiatives: Safety Net Programs

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<th>RELIEF</th>
<th>IMPACT</th>
<th>NOTE</th>
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<td><strong>Senior Meals</strong></td>
<td>• FEMA</td>
<td>• 20,320 seniors have enrolled to receive meals</td>
<td>• 20,320 individuals continue to receive 10 meals a week from the City</td>
<td>New enrollments to this initiative are on pause due to capacity</td>
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<td>As of May 29, 2020</td>
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<td><strong>Mayor’s Hotline</strong></td>
<td>• Mayor’s Office</td>
<td>• 67 total volunteers answering calls</td>
<td><strong>22,023</strong> calls answered</td>
<td>This program has been closed</td>
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<td>As of May 29, 2020</td>
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<td>• 946 volunteer shifts completed</td>
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<td><strong>22,023</strong> calls answered</td>
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<td><strong>Angeleno Card</strong></td>
<td>• Mayor’s Fund for Los Angeles</td>
<td>• 37,813 cards distributed</td>
<td>104,122 individuals served</td>
<td>This program has reached its capacity</td>
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<td>As of June 30, 2020</td>
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<td>• $36,724,200 distributed</td>
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<td><strong>104,122</strong> individuals served</td>
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Economic Analysis
Key Takeaways:

• **2K** new claims from 9/27-10/3, including Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA).

• Spiked on 3/28 with **112K** new claims

• This represents an increase of over **4500%** from the weekly average from 1/1 - 3/7

Note: A major PUA backlog was found over the past two weeks of reporting
Key Takeaways:

- September unemployment (seasonally-adjusted) estimated at 15.1% for LA County. This is a bit lower than August’s numbers (16.1%) and quite a bit higher than California overall (11%)

- 1,297,106 total claims for Unemployment Insurance (UI) and Pandemic Unemployment Assistance (PUA) in 2020
13.1% decrease compared to last year

- Jan to August 2019: $387,780,797
- Jan to August 2020: $336,933,670

City of LA Sales Tax Revenue
As of August 2020

Source: California EDD
Prepared by Mayor’s Innovation Team
End of Report
October 16, 2020