**SUMMARY**

- As of July 21, 2021, Fulton County has recorded **85,254 confirmed cases** and **15,879 probable cases** of COVID-19.
- Figure 1 shows both confirmed and probable case counts but the ensuing tables and figures use data from **confirmed cases only.**
- As of July 21, 2021, Fulton County has recorded **1,372 confirmed COVID-19 deaths.** 129 deaths are currently under review by GA DPH to confirm cause of death.
- By city, new confirmed COVID-19 case rates range from 21.0 per 100,000 persons (Milton) to 95.4 per 100,000 persons (Union City). **[Fulton County Diagnoses Rates (per 100,000 persons): Cumulative – 7756.1; Incidence – 49.3]**. See map showing incident case rate by ZIP code on Pg.7.
- Of all PCR testing done in Fulton County between July 5 and July 18, **the percent positivity rate was 4.1%.**

Fig 1. Daily and Cumulative Confirmed and Probable COVID-19 cases in Fulton County, GA
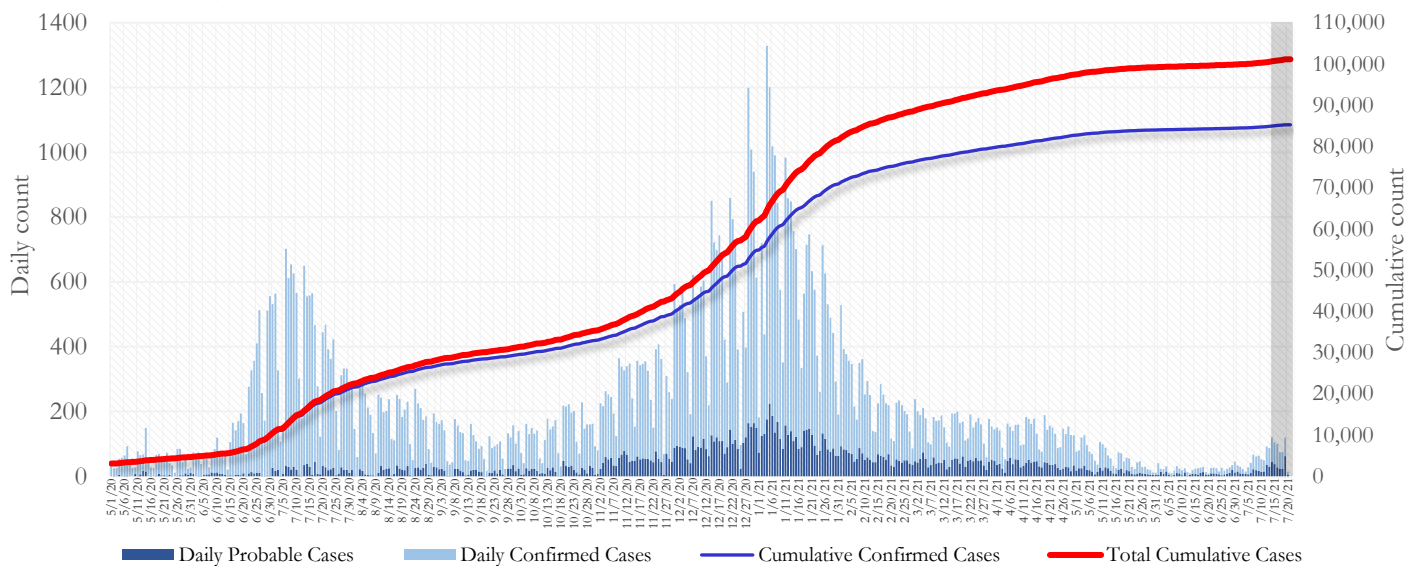
Counts shown reflect the number of cases as of 9:00 am on 7/21/21 using the date of first positive sample collection. Where date of sample collection was not available or missing, the date of report creation in GA SendSS was used instead. The Georgia Department of Health defines a confirmed cases as someone with a positive molecular test, also known as PCR. A probable case is defined as a positive antigen test, though probable cases are still considered positive cases and individuals who tested positive through an antigen test should follow all DPH isolation and quarantine guidance. **Note:** Delays in data reporting may cause changes in data counts, particularly in the shaded portion. Data throughout this report are preliminary and subject to ongoing data cleaning processes, and thus are subject to change.

**THE FOLLOWING ANALYSES (PAGES 1-16) ARE USING DATA ON CONFIRMED CASES ONLY.**

DISTRIBUTION OF COVID-19 CASES BY REGION

New cases: 41% of the new COVID-19 cases in the past 2 weeks occurred in Atlanta while 25% and 29% occurred in the Northern and Southern regions of the county respectively.

Fulton Region	% Cumulative count	% New cases*
Atlanta	42.7%	41.1%
North[1]	33.6%	24.7%
South[2]	20.3%	29.2%
Unincorporated/Unknown	3.4%	5.0%

[1]*Includes all Fulton County cities north of Atlanta (Alpharetta, Johns Creek, Milton, Mountain Park, Roswell, Sandy Springs,)* |[2]*Includes all cities south of Atlanta (Chattahoochee Hills, College Park, East Point, Fairburn, Hapeville, Palmetto, South Fulton, and Union City)* ***New cases:** Cases diagnosed in the past 2 weeks only (between 7/1/21 – 7/14/21).*
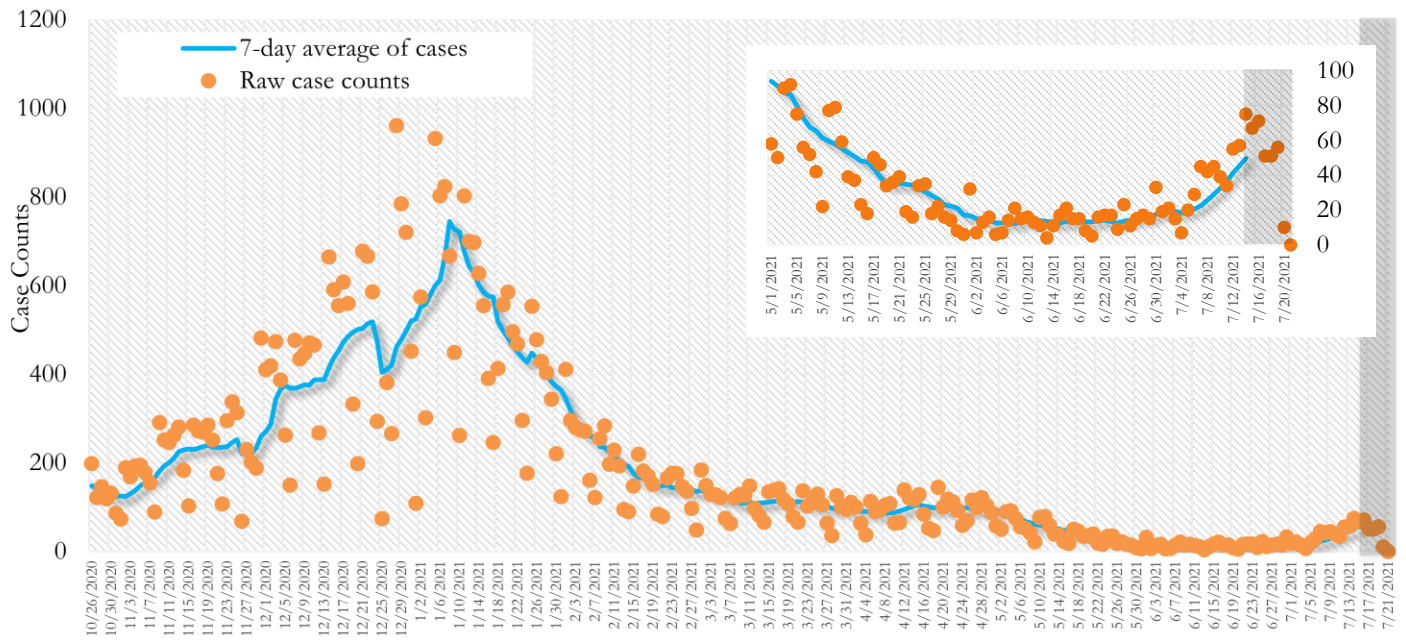
In the recent two week reporting period (7/1-7/14), there were more new cases of COVID-19 in Fulton County than the previous two weeks (6/17-6/30).
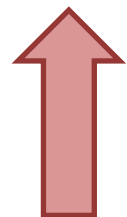
*Delayed a week to account for testing results turnaround time.*

TRENDS IN COVID-19 CASES, HOSPITALIZATIONS AND DEATHS (7-DAY MOVING AVE.)

### Fig. 2. New COVID-19 Cases in Fulton County Daily (Averaged over 7 days)

*Date of collection of first positive sample used (report creation date used where sample collection date is missing). Graph above reflects the trend in COVID-19 diagnosis. Due to the high volume of testing in recent weeks, there have been delays in reporting lab results. Thus, the trend is subject to change as more lab results get added to the state surveillance database.

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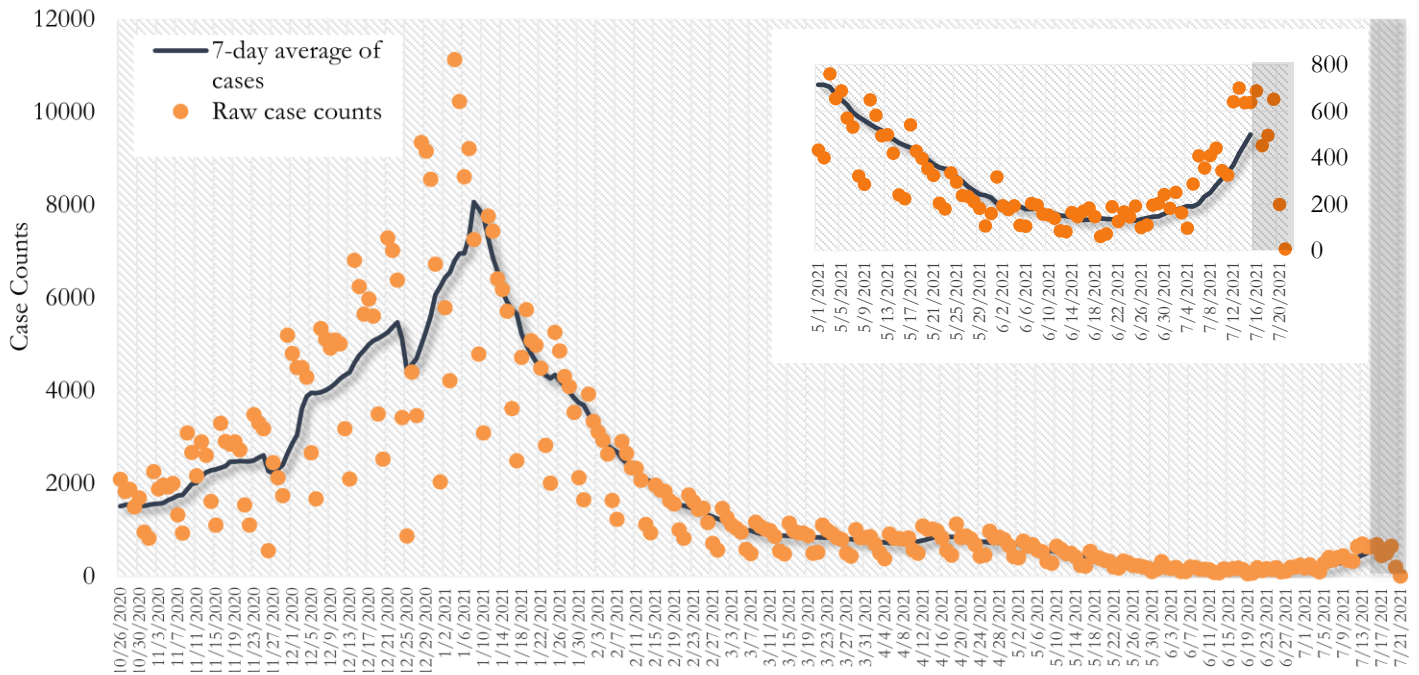
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Fig. 4. COVID-19 Hospitalizations in Fulton County Daily (Averaged over 7 days)
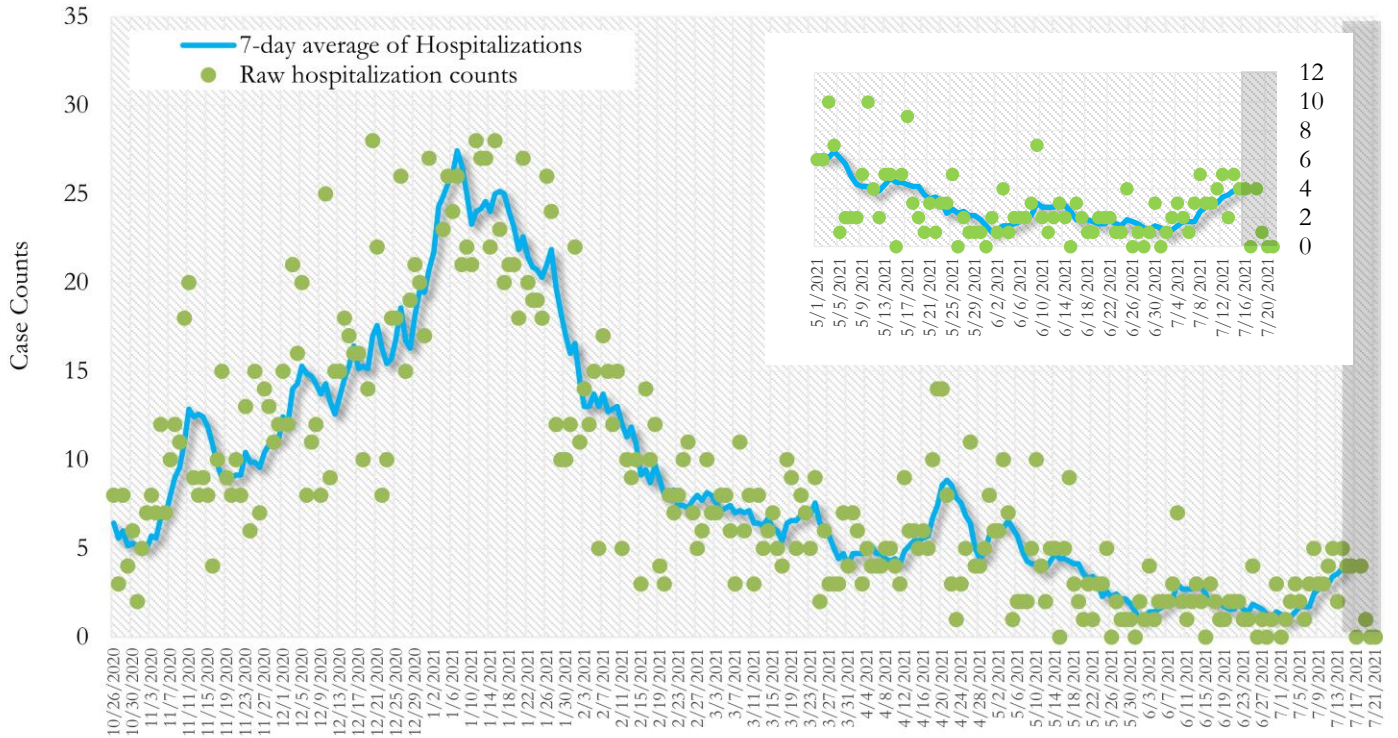
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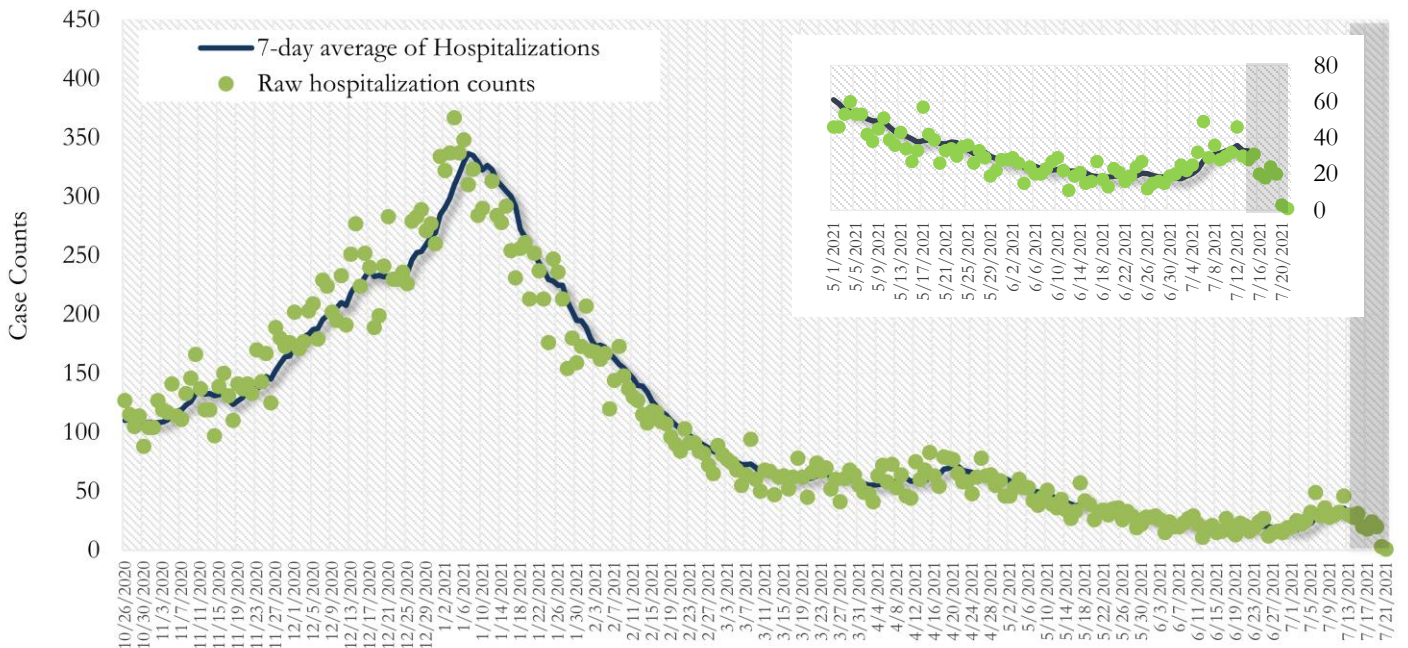

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Fig. 6. COVID-19 Deaths in Fulton County Daily (Averaged over 7 days)
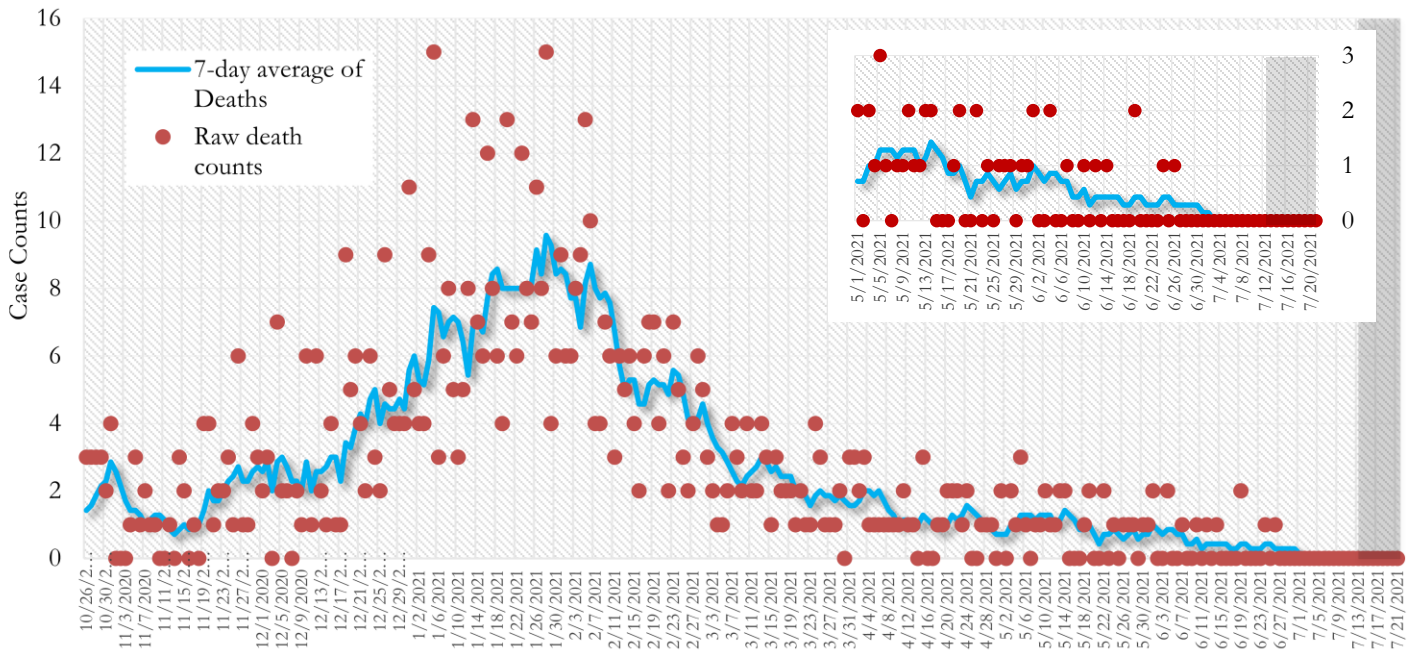
Reported date of death used. Graph above reflects the trend in deaths attributed to COVID-19. The trend is likely to change as more data on deaths among persons with COVID-19 is reported in the state surveillance database.

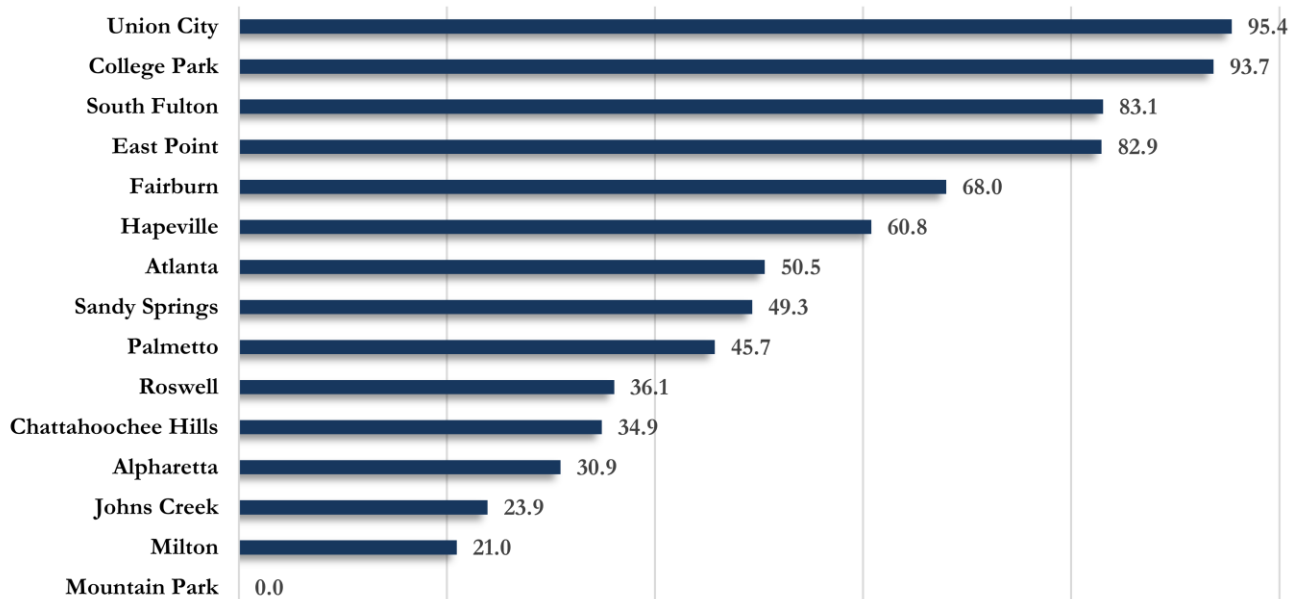## Fig. 7. COVID-19 Deaths in Georgia State Daily (Averaged over 7 days)
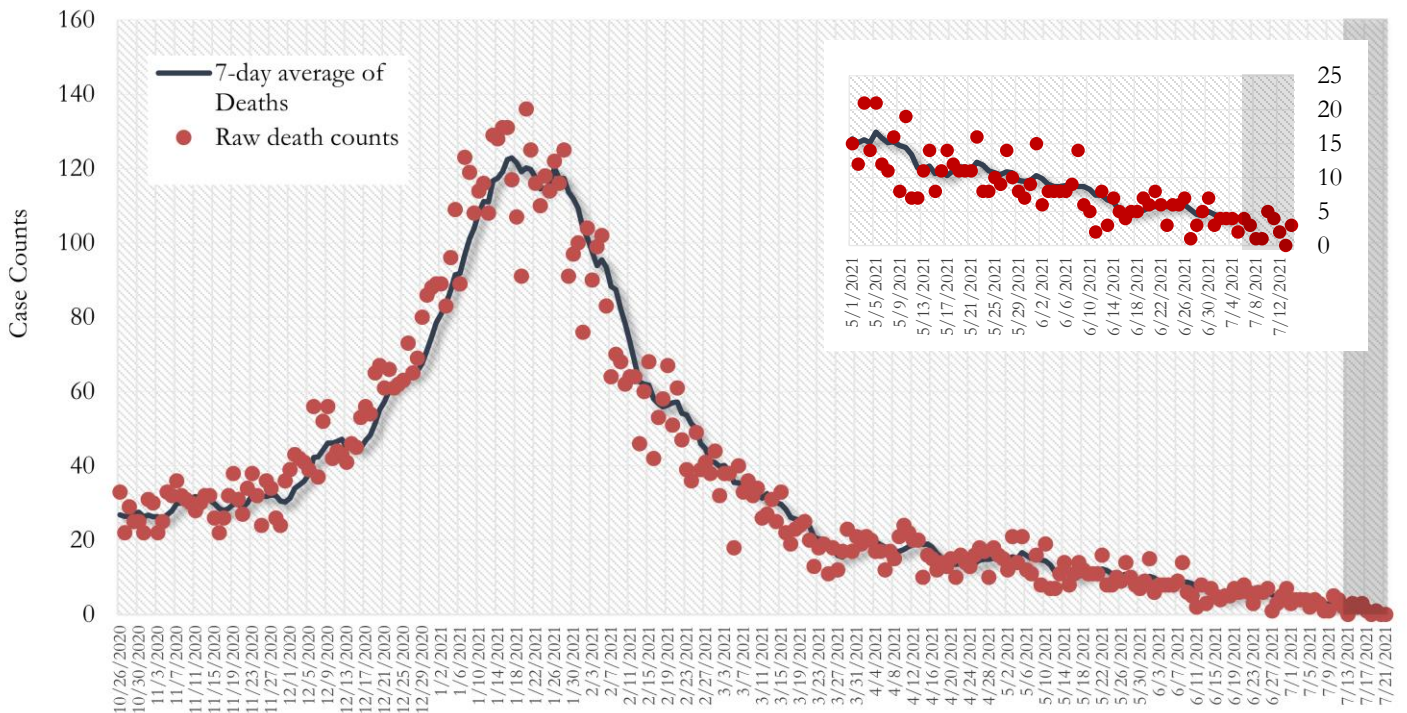
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COVID-19 CASE COUNTS AND RATES BY CITY

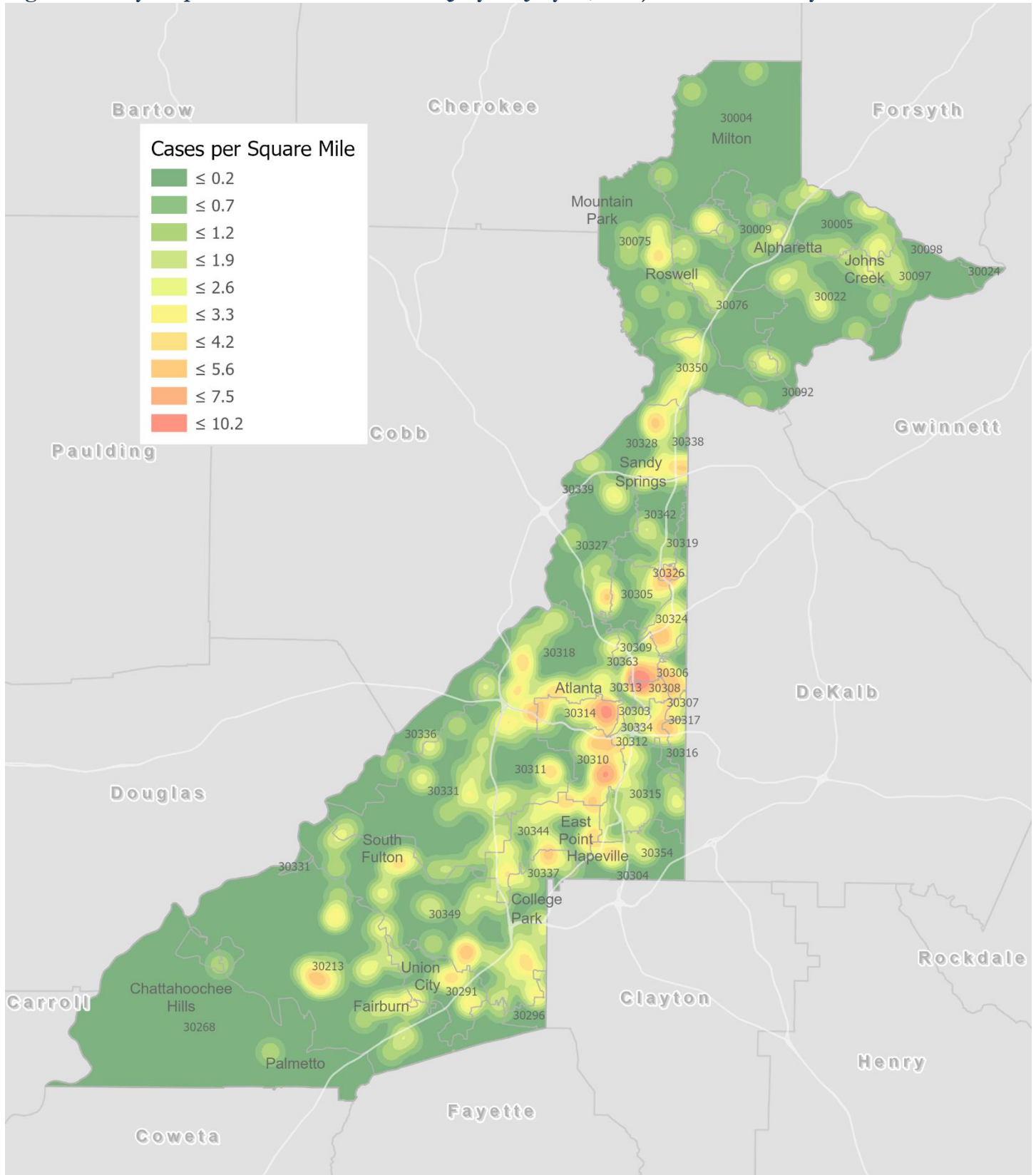|	Recent 14-day reporting period[1]	Preceding 14-day reporting period	% Change from preceding 14 days (%)[2]	Incidence Rate[3]
	7/1-7/14	*6/17-6/30*		
Alpharetta	20	<10	↑ 122.2%	30.9
Atlanta	223	100	↑ 123.0%	50.5
Chattahoochee Hills	<10	0	-	34.9
College Park	13	<10	↑ 225.0%	93.7
East Point	29	11	↑ 163.6%	82.9
Fairburn	10	<10	↑ 100.0%	68.0
Hapeville	<10	<10	-	60.8
Johns Creek	20	11	↑ 81.8%	23.9
Milton	<10	<10	-	21.0
Mountain Park	0	0	-	0.0
Palmetto	<10	0	-	45.7
Roswell	34	11	↑ 209.1%	36.1
Sandy Springs	52	15	↑ 246.7%	49.3
South Fulton	79	22	↑ 259.1%	83.1
Union City	20	<10	↑ 400.0%	95.4
Unknown	27	13	-	-

[1]*New cases:* Cases diagnosed in most recent 14 days (based on reported dates of positive sample collection). To allow for lag in reporting results of new diagnoses from samples collected in the most recent week, data used for incident diagnoses analyses were moved back by one week. [2]*% change:* These reflect the percentage increase or decrease in new diagnoses between the 14 days preceding the most recent 7 days and the 14 days preceding that. [3]*(Incidence) Rate:* Rate of new diagnoses in the last 14 day period preceding the immediate past week. **Data cleaning (either during case interviews or address geo-coding) may lead to reassignment of few cases from one territory to another based on their corrected addresses. These may appear as "decreases" when compared to the previous counts. These do not reflect errors in the data collection or analysis process but only reflect the minor day-to-day fluctuations in case counts that arise in an evolving public health database like COVID's. [4]*Incidence rate is skewed high due to small population.* **Note:** **All data reported are preliminary and subject to change**.

Fig. 8. Incidence Rates by Fulton City for Recent 14-day Reporting Period

| City	Incidence Rate
Union City	95.4
College Park	93.7
South Fulton	83.1
East Point	82.9
Fairburn	68.0
Hapeville	60.8
Atlanta	50.5
Sandy Springs	49.3
Palmetto	45.7
Roswell	36.1
Chattahoochee Hills	34.9
Alpharetta	30.9
Johns Creek	23.9
Milton	21.0
Mountain Park	0.0

*Rates shown are per 100,000 persons | All data shown are preliminary and are subject to change as testing results get updated.

Fig. 9. Density Map – New COVID-19 Cases (July 1 – July 14, 2021) in Fulton County

Fig. 10. New COVID-19 Diagnoses Rates (per 100,000 population) by Zip Code (July 1 – July 14, 2021)
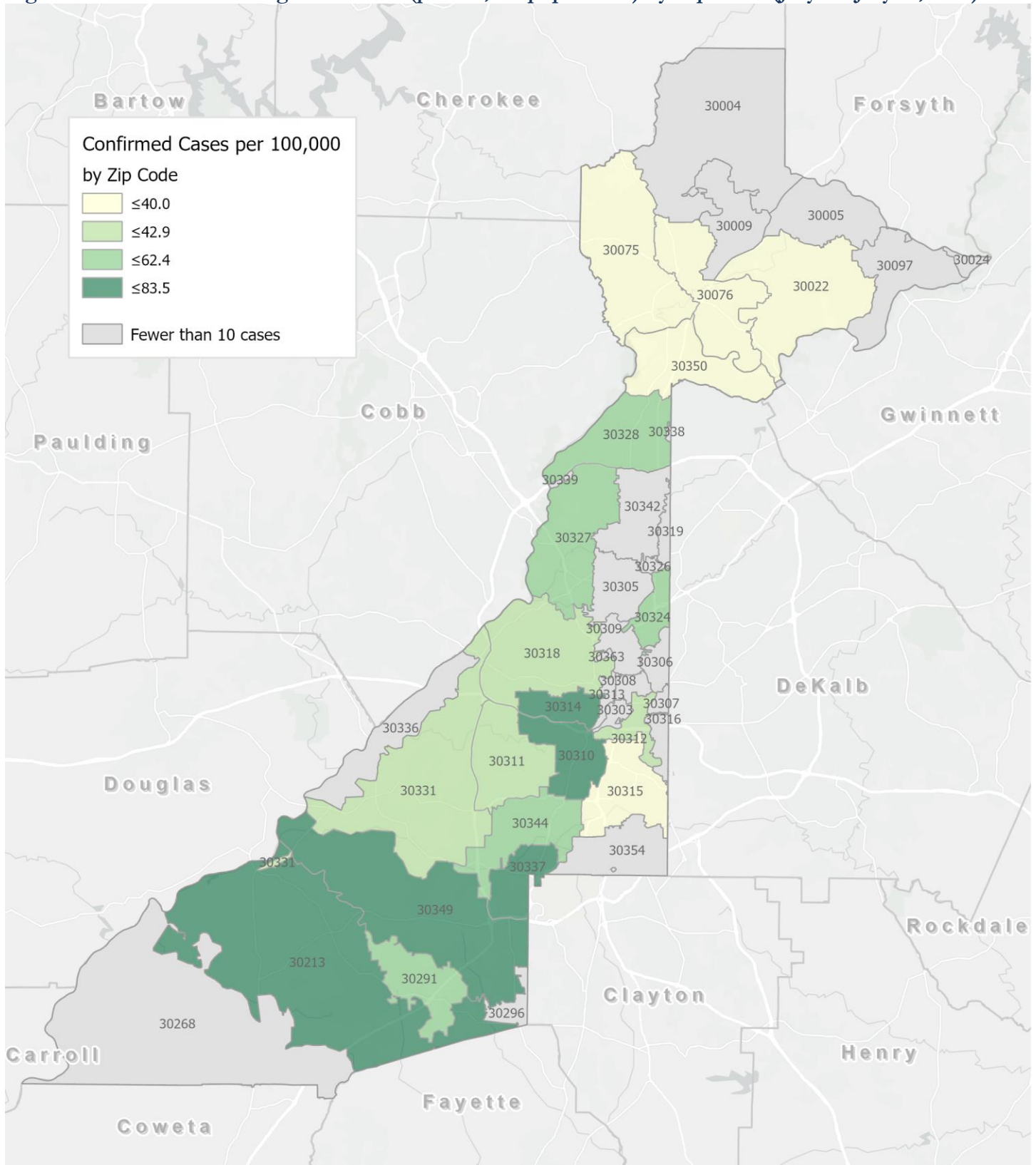
Rates shown are per 100,000 populations.

New COVID-19 cases: *Cases diagnosed in most recent 14 days (based on reported dates of positive sample collection). To allow for lag in reporting results of positive cases from samples collected in the immediate past 7 days, data used for incident diagnoses analyses are moved back by one week. Data used excludes outbreak-related cases at long-term care facilities and map shown reflects only the new non-LTCF cases diagnosed between the dates shown in map title. See page 12 for zip code break down table.*

COVID-19 NEW CASE[1] COUNTS BY ZIP CODE

Zip Code	Recent 14-day reporting period (7/1– 7/14)	Previous 14-day reporting period (6/17– 6/30)	% Change between reporting periods[2]
All Fulton	**542**	**208**	**↑ 160.6%**
30004	14	<10	↑ 600.0%
30005	14	<10	↑ 366.7%
30009	<10	<10	-
30022	17	10	↑ 70.0%
30023	0	0	-
30024	<10	0	-
30075	14	<10	↑ 600.0%
30076	19	10	↑ 90.0%
30080	0	0	-
30097	<10	<10	-
30098	0	0	-
30135	0	0	-
30138	0	0	-
30139	0	0	-
30213	33	<10	↑ 266.7%
30268	<10	<10	-
30291	21	<10	↑ 320.0%
30296	0	0	-
30301	0	0	-
30303	<10	<10	-
30305	<10	13	↓ 46.2%
30306	<10	<10	-
30307	<10	0	-
30308	<10	<10	-
30309	13	<10	↑ 160.0%
30310	27	<10	↑ 285.7%
30311	17	<10	↑ 325.0%
30312	13	<10	↑ 160.0%
30313	<10	<10	-
30314	17	10	↑ 70.0%
30315	18	<10	↑ 100.0%
30316	<10	<10	-
30318	27	13	↑ 107.7%
30319	<10	<10	-
30321	0	0	-
30324	15	<10	↑ 275.0%
30326	<10	<10	-
30327	12	<10	↑ 300.0%
30328	24	<10	↑ 500.0%
30331	30	12	↑ 150.0%
30334	0	0	-
30336	<10	0	-
30337	10	<10	↑ 150.0%

Zip Code	Recent 14-day reporting period (7/1– 7/14)	Previous 14-day reporting period (6/17– 6/30)	% Change between reporting periods
30338	<10	0	-
30339	<10	<10	-
30340	0	0	-
30341	0	0	-
30342	11	<10	↑ 120.0%
30344	25	11	↑ 127.3%
30345	0	0	-
30349	54	17	↑ 217.6%
30350	16	<10	↑ 100.0%
30354	<10	<10	-
30358	0	0	-
30363	0	<10	↓ 100.0%
30374	0	0	-
30606	0	0	-
31131	0	0	-
31150	0	0	-
Unknown	<10	<10	-

[1]*New cases: Cases diagnosed in most recent 28 days (based on reported dates of positive sample collection). To allow for lag in reporting results of new diagnoses from samples collected in the most recent week, data used for incident diagnoses analyses were moved back by one week.* [2]*Percent change: These reflect the percentage increase or decrease of new diagnoses between the 14 days preceding the past 7 days and the 14 days preceding that. Changes in ZIP codes with less than 10 cases in both 2 week intervals are not reported.*

COVID-19 HOSPITALIZATIONS, ICU ADMISSIONS AND DEATHS IN FULTON

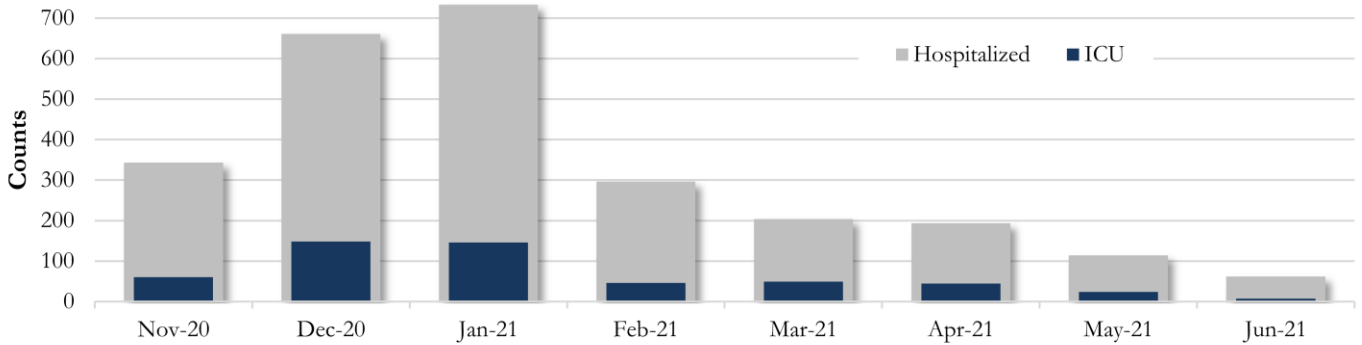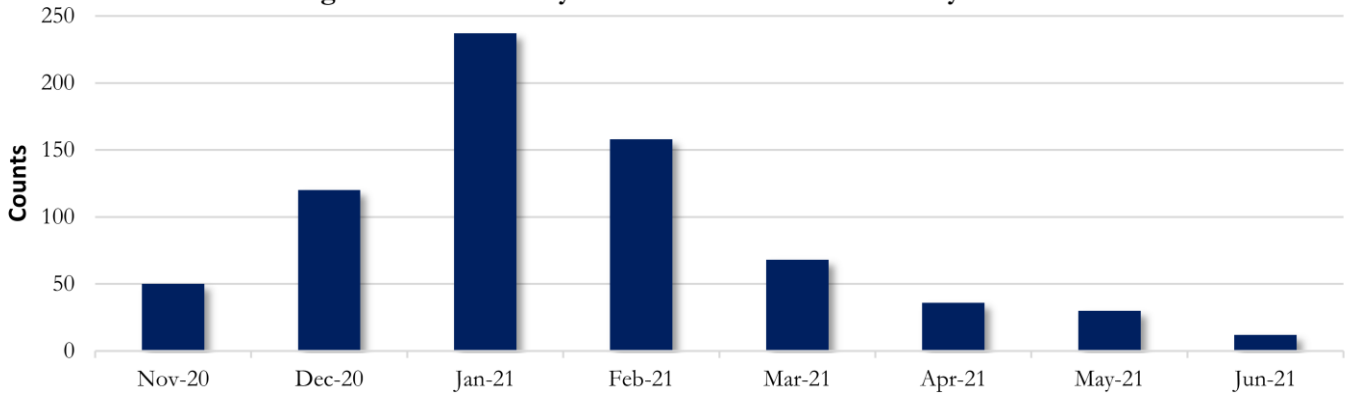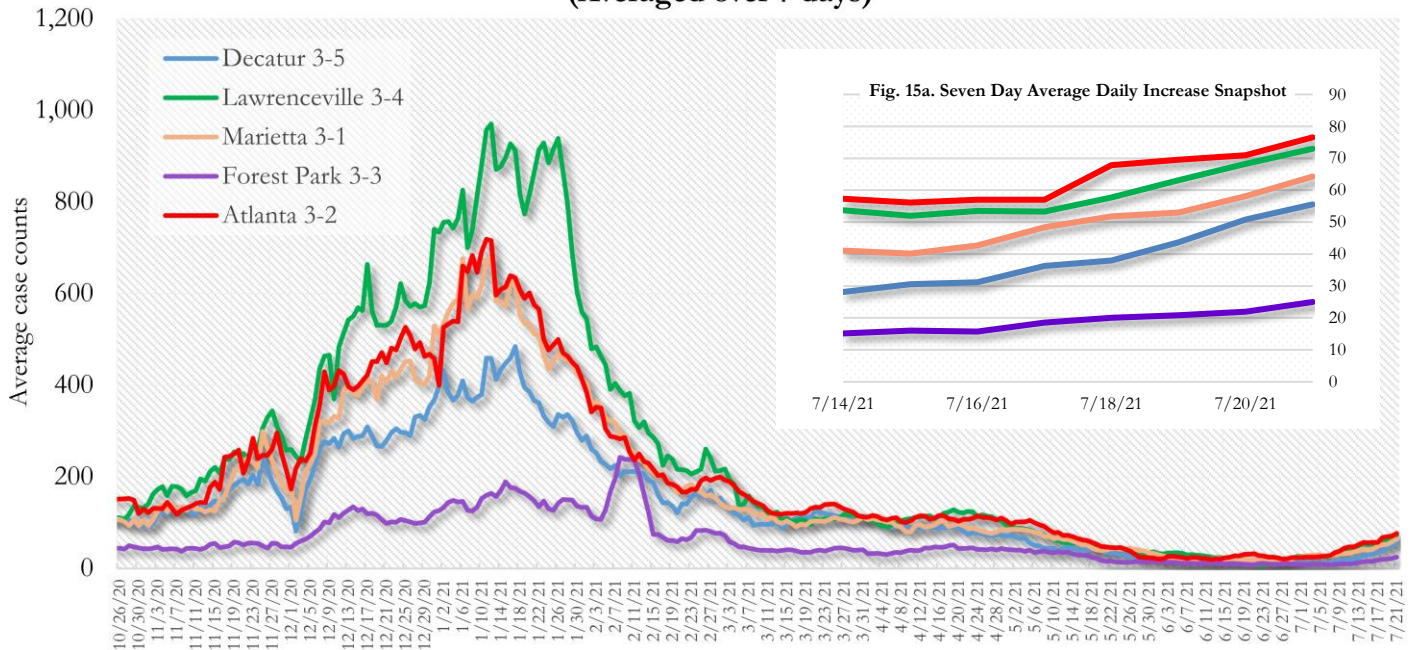**Fig. 13. Fulton County Covid-19 Cases Hospitalized and Admitted to ICU by Month**

Fig. 14. Fulton County Confirmed Covid-19 Deaths by Month

COVID-19 CASE TRENDS IN FULTON AND SURROUNDING DISTRICTS

Fig. 15. Daily Case Counts for Atlanta Metro Districts (Averaged over 7 days)

Fig. 15a. Seven Day Average Daily Increase Snapshot

DEMOGRAPHIC DISTRIBUTIONS – COVID-19 CASES AND DEATHS

Table A - Cumulative and recent confirmed COVID-19 case and death counts by gender, age, and race/ethnicity in Fulton County, Georgia. Past 28 day period refers to June 17 – July 14, 2021

	Total Confirmed Cases	% of Total Cases	Confirmed Cases past 28 days	% of Confirmed Cases past 28 days	Total Confirmed Deaths	% of Total Deaths	Confirmed Deaths past 28 days	% of Confirmed Deaths past 28 days
TOTAL	**85254**		**729**		**1372**		**4**	
Female	45016	52.8%	403	55.3%	651	47.4%	<10	50.0%
Male	39818	46.7%	321	44.0%	721	52.6%	<10	50.0%
Unknown*	420	<1%	<10	<1%	0	-	0	-
0-9	3191	3.7%	37	5.1%	0	-	0	-
10-19	8853	10.4%	71	9.7%	<10	<1%	0	-
20-29	19216	22.5%	176	24.1%	<10	<1%	0	-
30-39	16434	19.3%	164	22.5%	29	2.1%	0	-
40-49	13033	15.3%	125	17.1%	41	3.0%	0	-
50-59	11596	13.6%	80	11.0%	127	9.3%	0	-
60-69	6743	7.9%	43	5.9%	252	18.4%	<10	25.0%
>70	6144	7.2%	32	4.4%	917	66.8%	<10	75.0%
Unknown*	44	<1%	<10	<1%	0	-	0	-
Asian, NH	3225	3.8%	<10	2.7%	24	1.7%	0	-
Black, NH	36070	42.3%	449	61.6%	847	61.7%	<10	50.0%
White, NH	28506	33.4%	137	18.8%	437	31.9%	<10	50.0%
Hispanic, all races	9012	10.6%	51	7.0%	58	4.2%	0	-
Other, NH	2868	3.4%	<10	2.3%	<10	<1%	0	-
Unknown*	5573	6.5%	55	7.5%	0	-	0	-

Unknown includes cases not yet interviewed. 28 days delayed by seven to account for lag in reporting lab results. Deaths refer to all persons who had a positive PCR test result for Covid-19 and there is evidence that COVID-19 was the cause of death or a significant contributor to their death.

The following data are updated every two weeks.

Last updated 7/21/2021

# Data are from confirmed cases and PCR testing only.

These data are generated using a fixed start date and counted forward in 14-day intervals. Using these time blocks allows for the stability in trends over time and accounts for delays in reporting lab results.

In the interest of keeping the reports concise and useful, the cumulative counts updated on a monthly basis can now be viewed between updates at the Fulton County Board of Health website here.

Please visit the Georgia Department of Public Health Daily Status Report here for cumulative daily counts.

COVID-19 TESTING AND POSITIVITY IN FULTON COUNTY AND GEORGIA

Fig. 16. Trends in Positive COVID-19 Tests in Fulton County by 14-day Periods
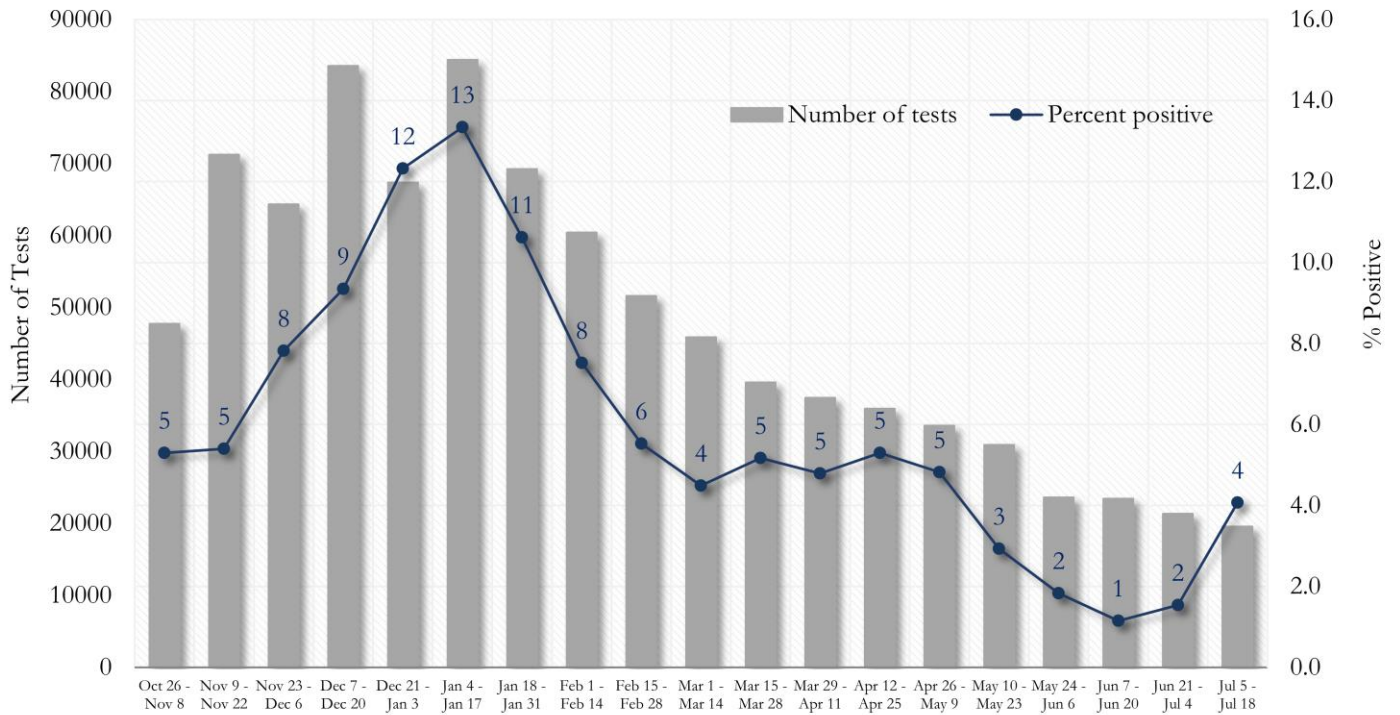
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Fig. 17. Trends in Positive COVID-19 Tests in Georgia by 14-day Periods
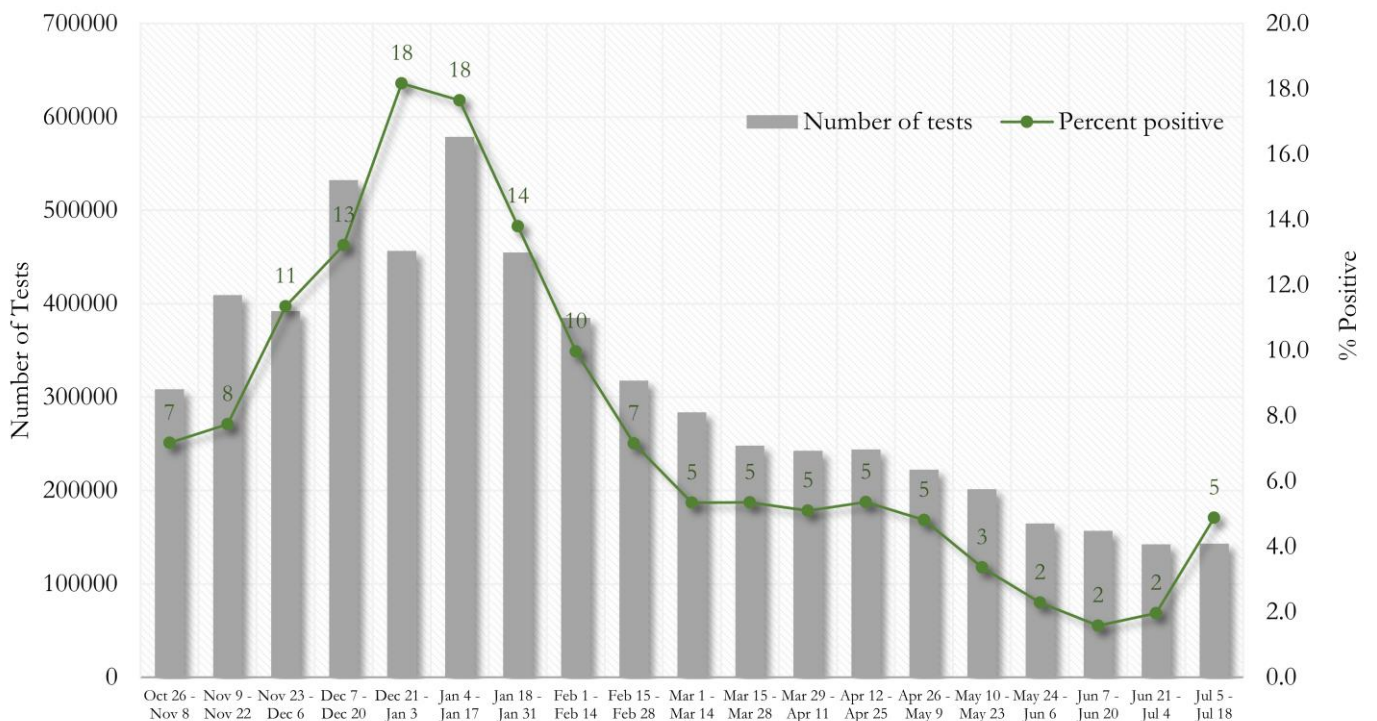
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TRENDS IN COVID-19 CASES AMONG DEMOGRAPHIC GROUPS (14 DAY PERIODS)

Fig. 18. Trends in Geographic distribution of COVID-19 Cases in Fulton County by 14-day periods
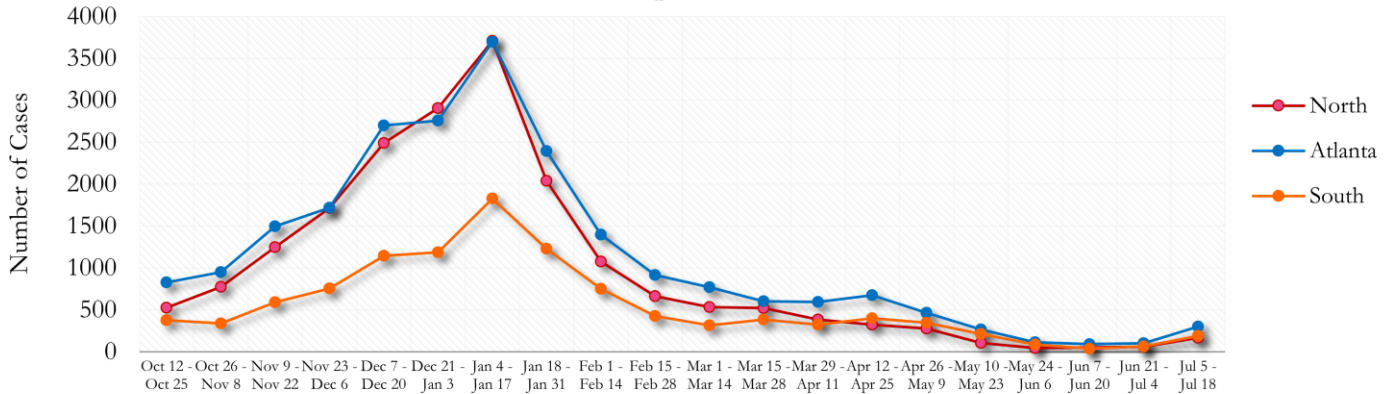
In the past two weeks, Atlanta accounted for the majority of new cases.
*North -Includes all Fulton cities north of Atlanta (Alpharetta, Johns Creek, Milton, Mountain Park, Roswell, Sandy Springs)
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Fig. 19. Trends in Racial Distribution of COVID-19 Cases in Fulton County by 14-day periods
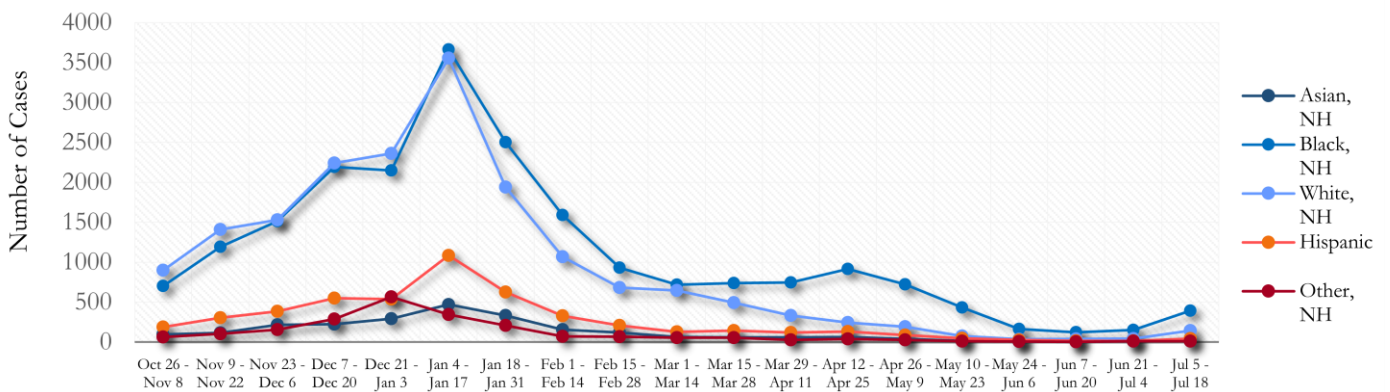
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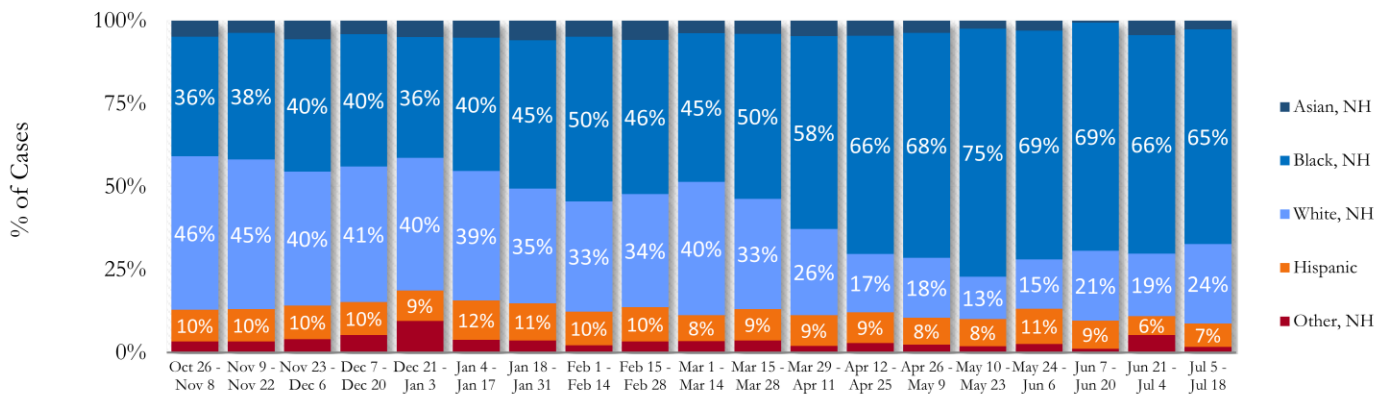
About 7% of all Fulton County COVID cases are missing data on patient race and ethnicity and in the past two weeks, about 12% of cases are missing this data. Percentages do not include the missing data.

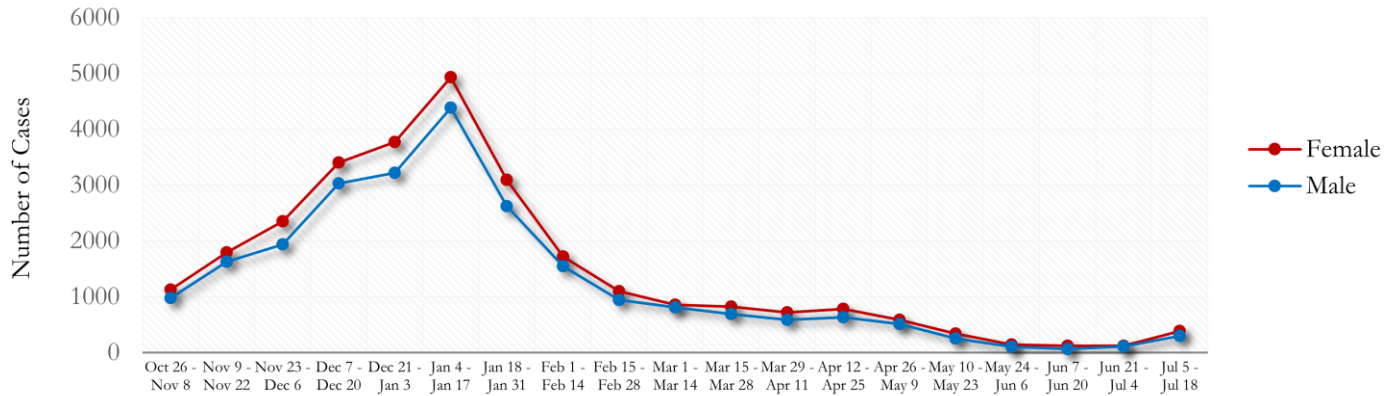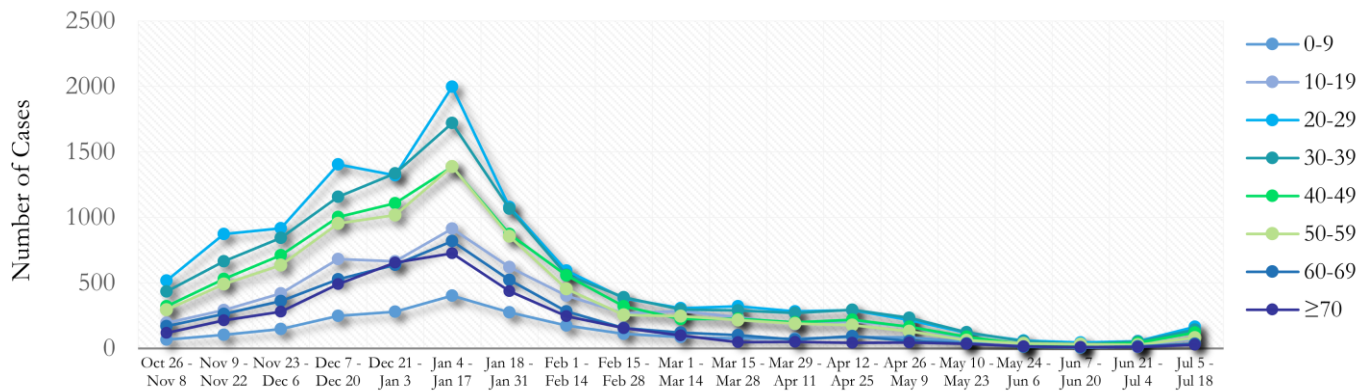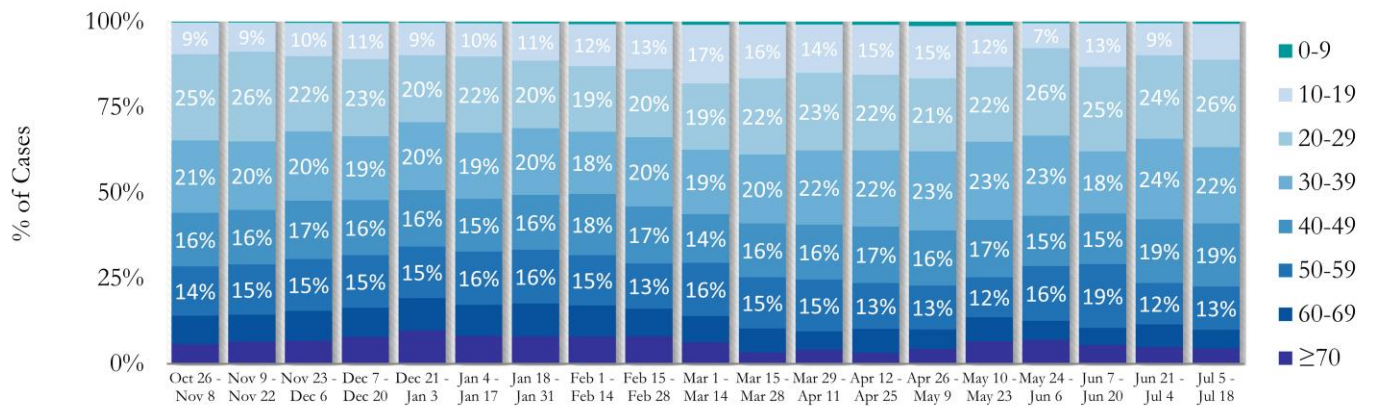**Fig. 21. Trends in Gender Distribution of COVID-19 Cases in Fulton County by 14-day periods**

Fig. 22. Trends in Age Distribution of COVID-19 Cases in Fulton County by 14-day periods

In the most recent two weeks, 20-29 year olds and 30-39 year olds accounted for the majority of new cases.
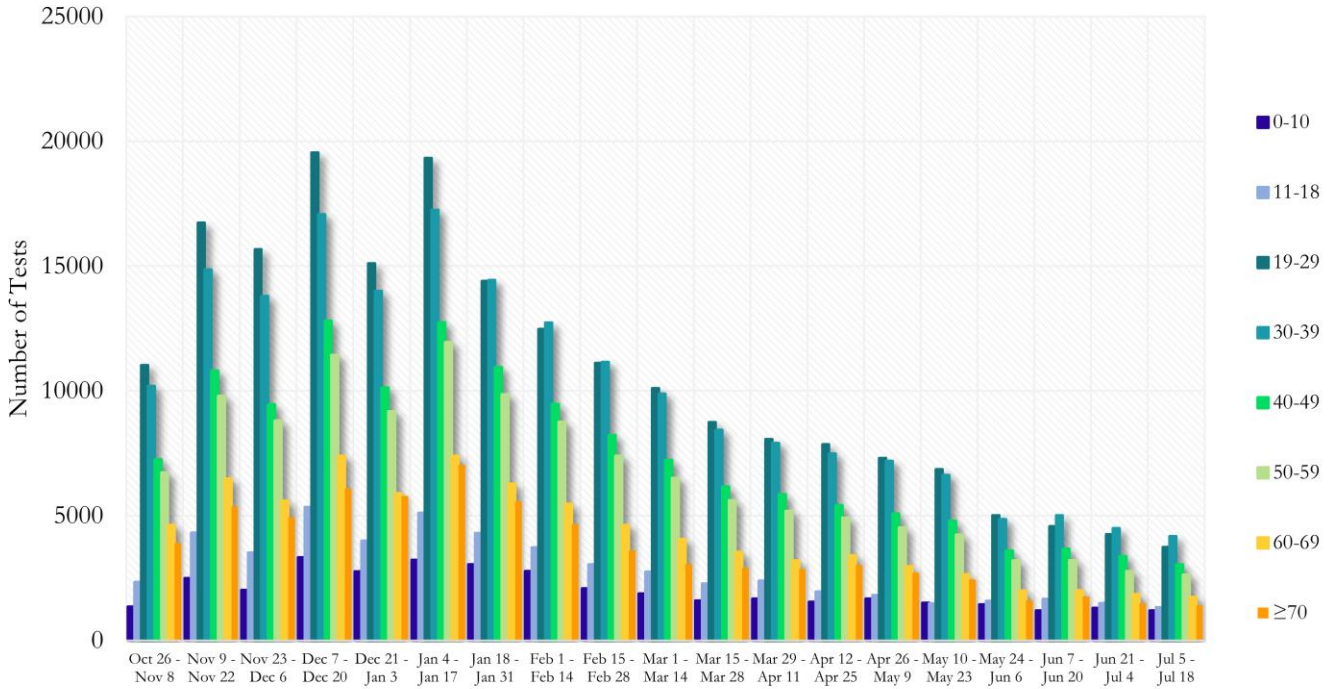
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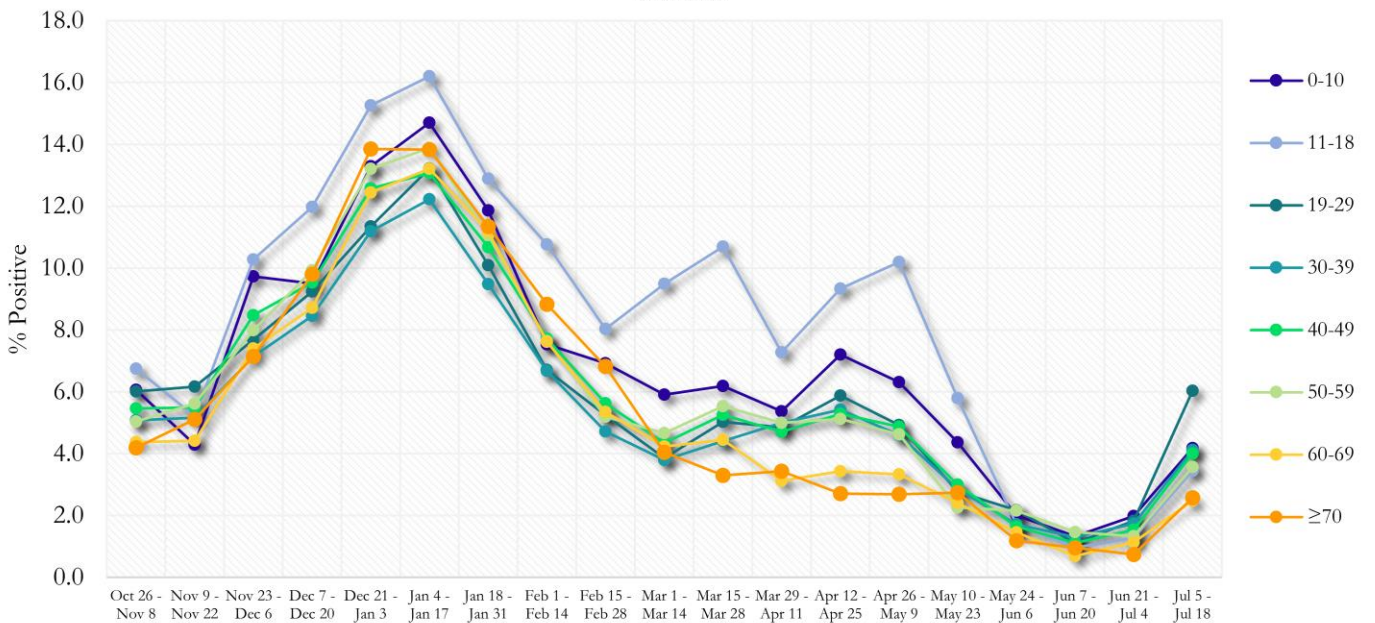

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COVID-19 TESTING AND POSITIVITY IN FULTON COUNTY BY AGE AND RACE

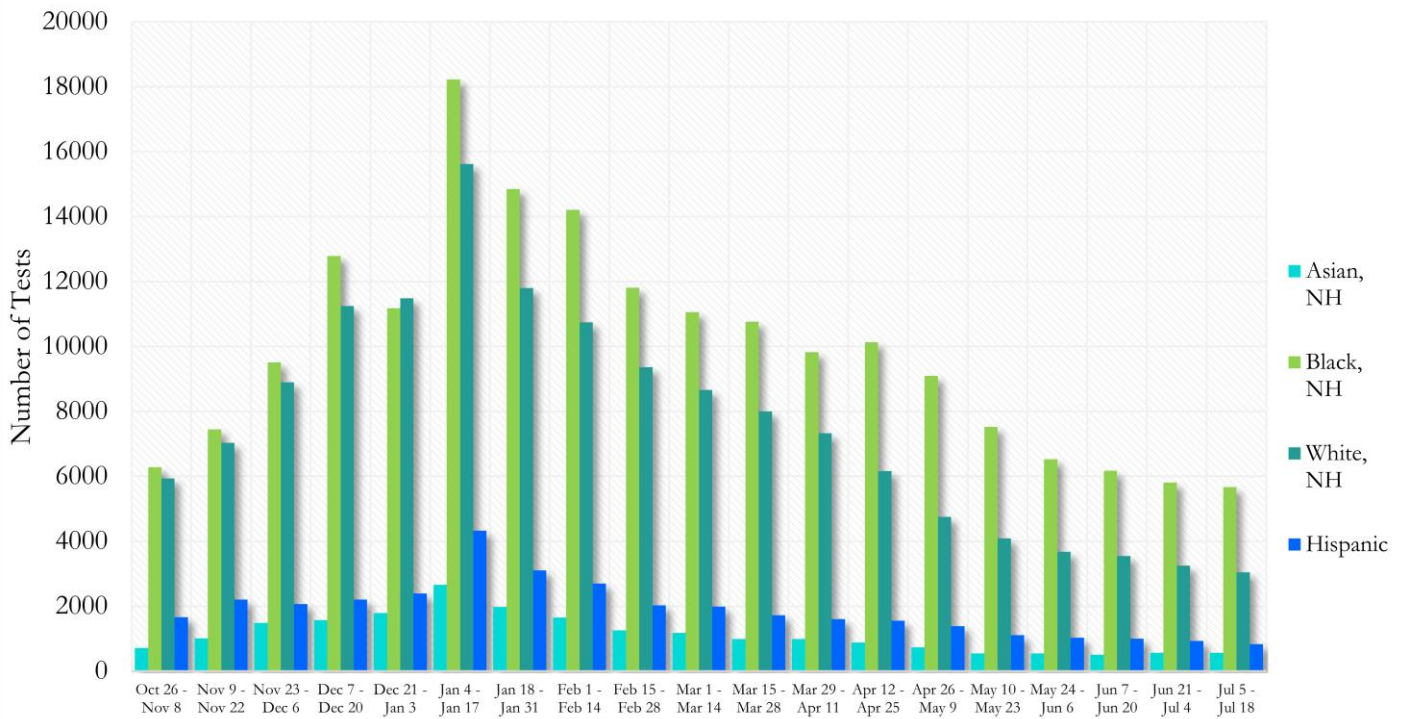**Fig. 24. COVID-19 Tests by Age in Fulton County by 14-day Periods**

Data on Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) tests only included.

Fig. 25. Percent Positive COVID-19 Tests by Age Group in Fulton County by 14-day Periods
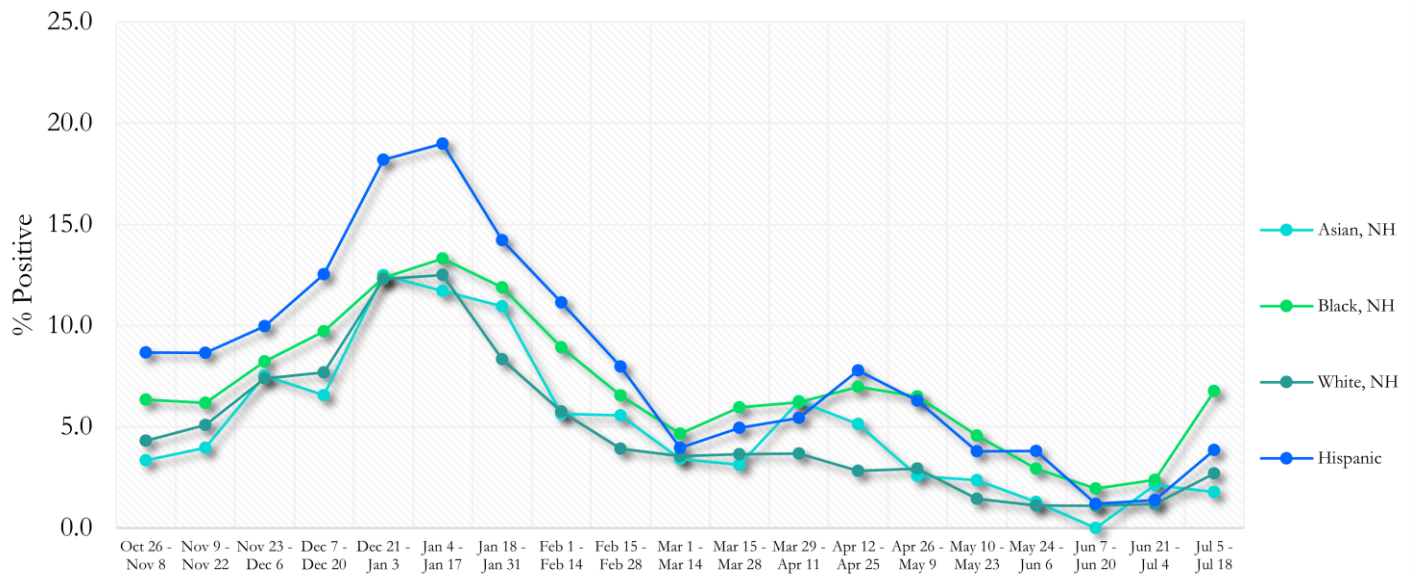

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Fig. 26. COVID-19 Tests by Race and Ethnicity in Fulton County by 14-day Periods

Data on Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) tests only included. For the recent two weeks, 48% of test results did not have race/ethnicity information.

Fig. 27. Percent Positive COVID-19 Tests by Race and Ethnicity in Fulton County by 14-day Periods

Data on Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) tests only included.