COVID-19 Epidemiology Nationally and in Washington





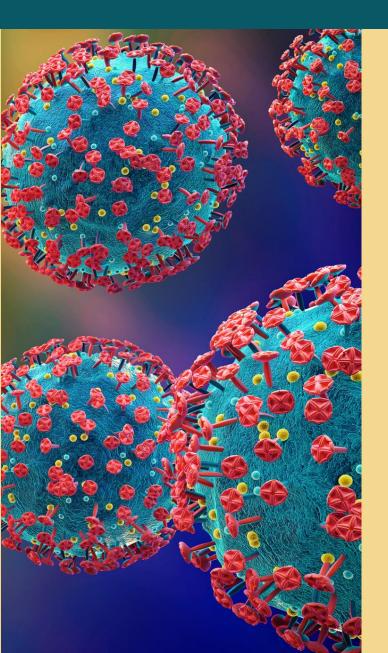






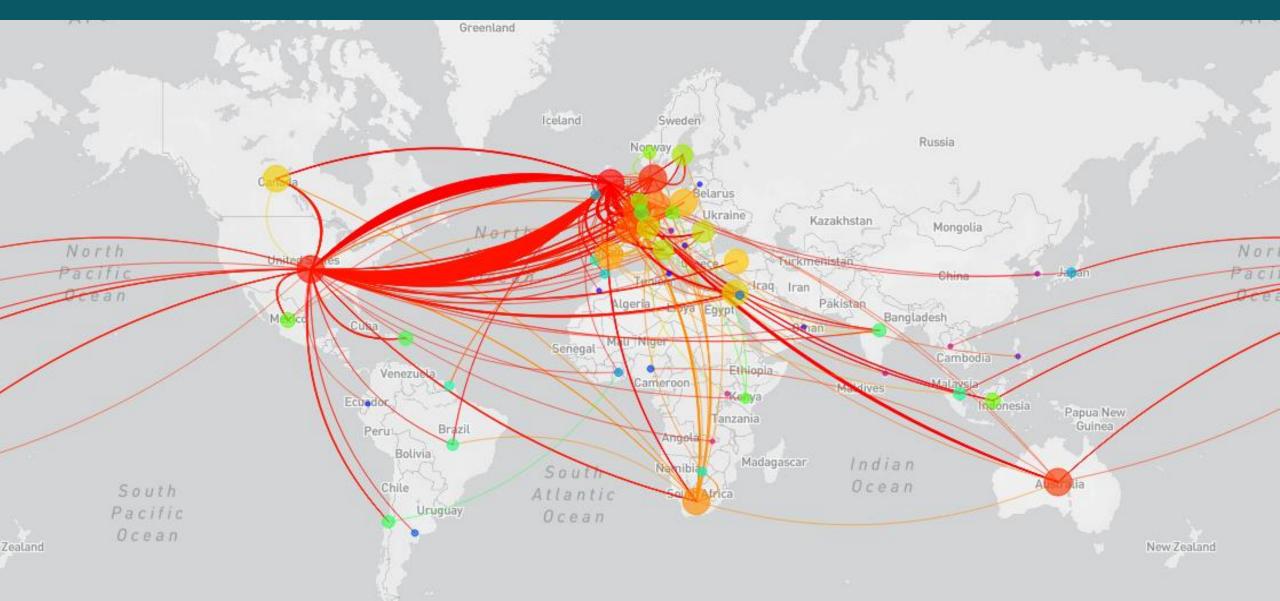


Omicron variant - viral characteristics

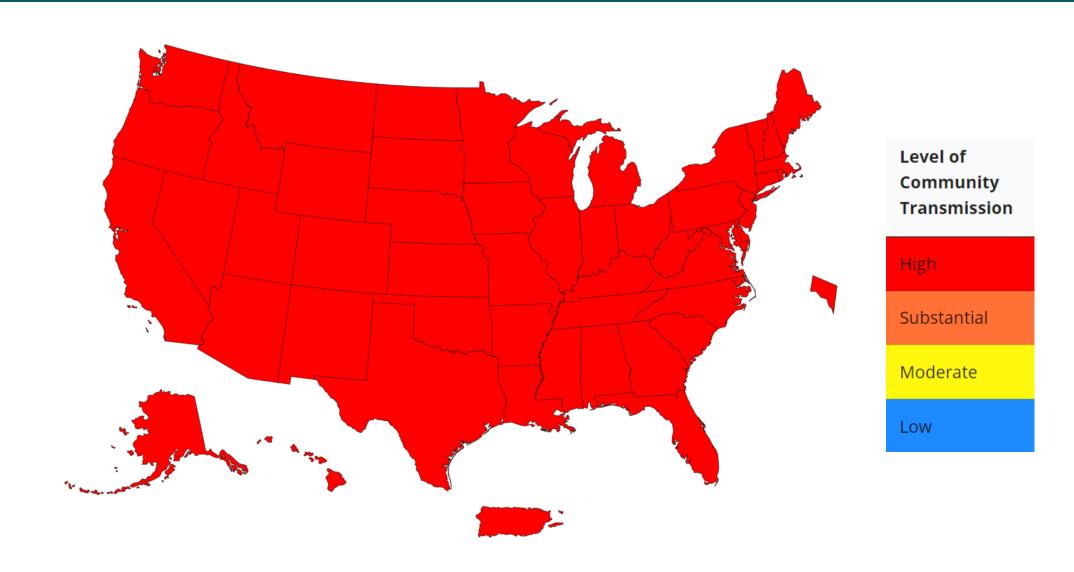


- First reported to WHO from South Africa on Nov 24, 2021
- Variant of concern designation timeline
 - WHO: Nov 26, 2021
 - CDC: Nov 30, 2021
- Evidence of:
 - Increased transmissibility
 - Significant reduction in neutralization by antibodies generated during previous infection or vaccination
 - Diagnostic detection failures

Transmission map of omicron variant spread

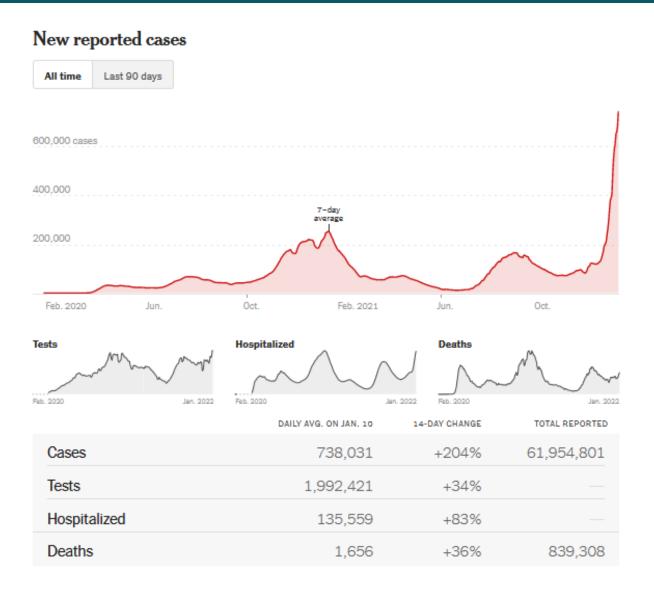


U.S. COVID-19 Community Transmission



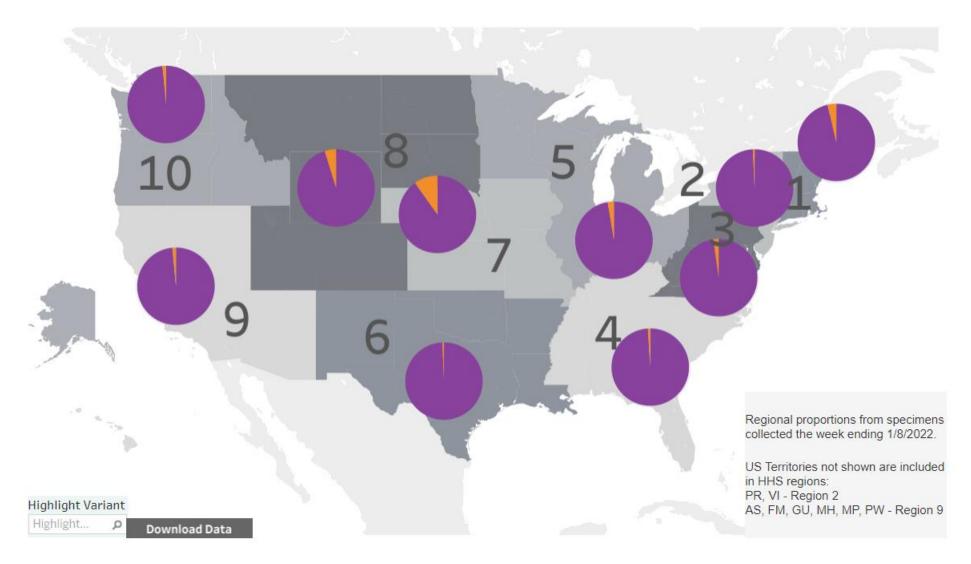
Source: CDC COVID Data Tracker 1/12/2022)

U.S. COVID-19 case count



Source: The New York Times https://www.nytimes.com/interactive/2021/us/covid-cases.html (1/11/2022)

Omicron variant proportions nationally

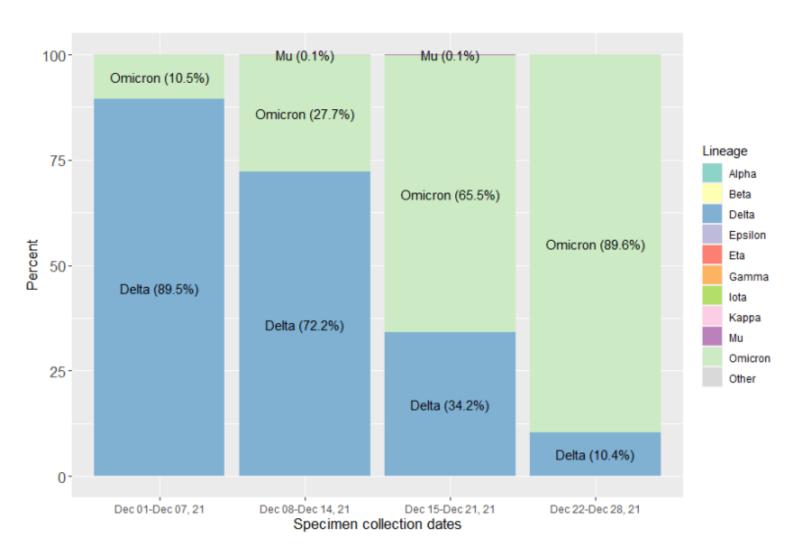


Source: CDC COVID data tracker https://covid.cdc.gov/covid-data-tracker/#variant-proportions (1/4/2022)

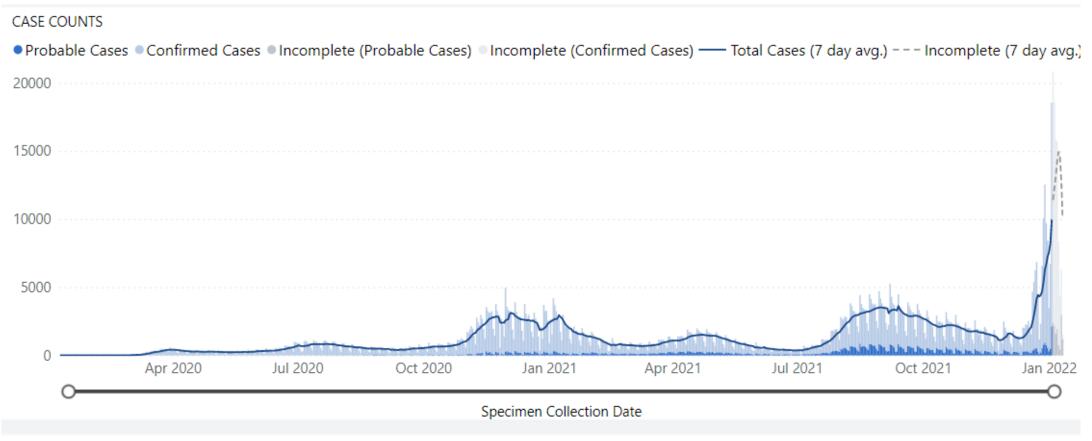
Variant proportions Region 10



Variant proportions in Washington

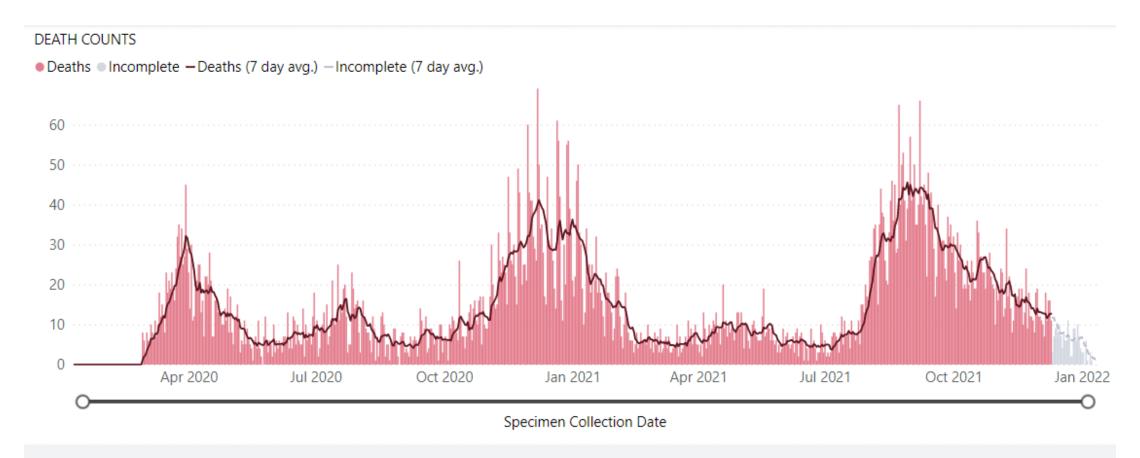


COVID-19 cases in Washington



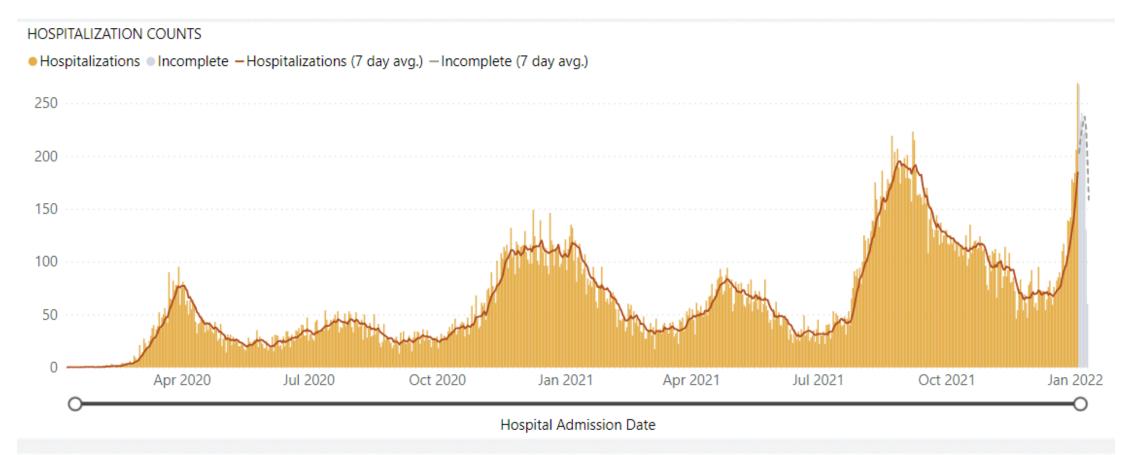
1,899 of 1,009,187 cases do not have an assigned county. Cases from the last 8 days may yet not be reported.

COVID-19 deaths in Washington



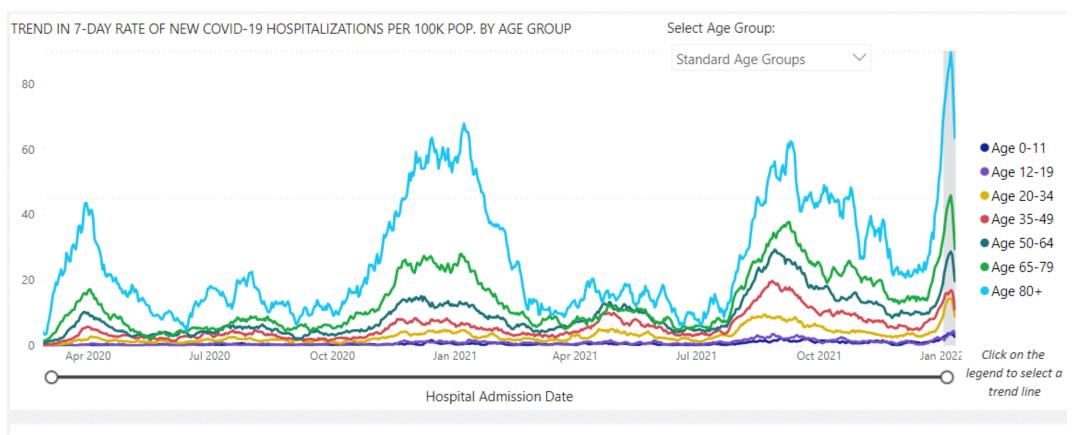
4 of 10,103 deaths do not have an assigned county. Deaths from the last 3-4 weeks may not yet be reported.

COVID-19 hospitalizations in Washington



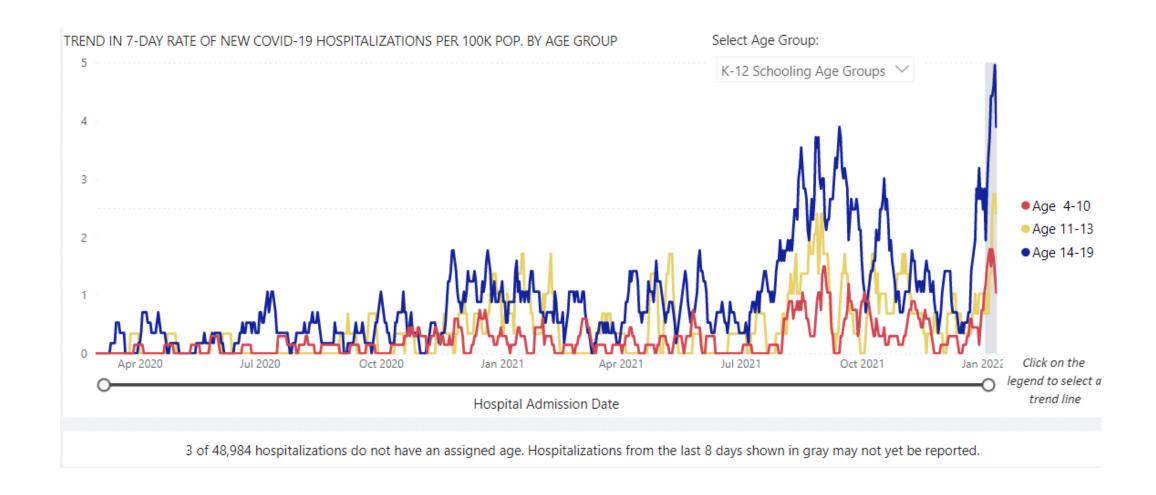
1,007 hospitalizations do not have a hospital admission date reported. Hospitalizations from the last 8 days may not yet be reported.

COVID-19 hospitalizations by age

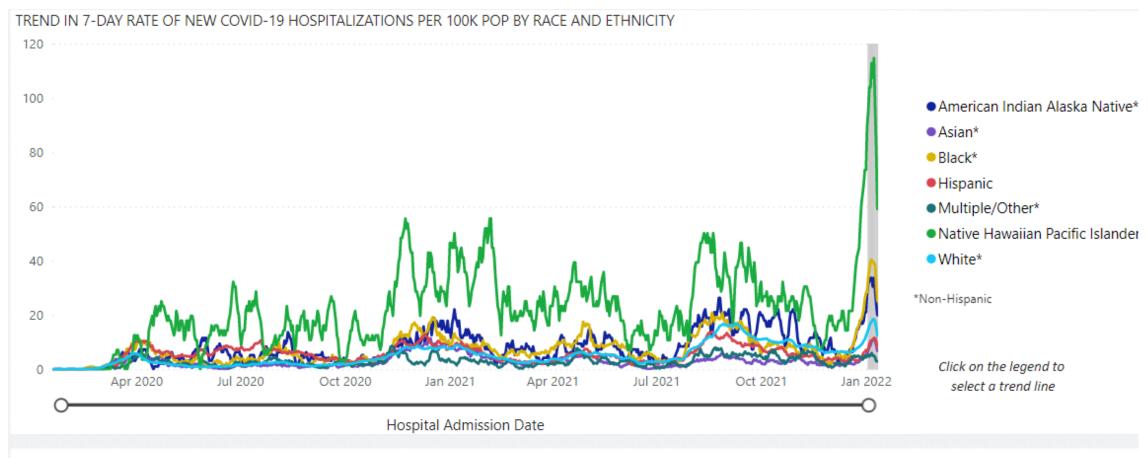


3 of 48,984 hospitalizations do not have an assigned age. Hospitalizations from the last 8 days shown in gray may not yet be reported.

COVID-19 pediatric hospitalizations by age



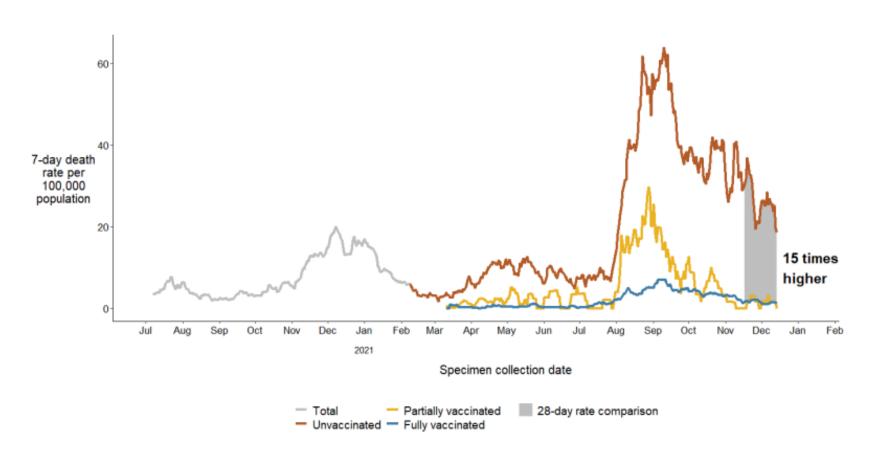
COVID-19 hospitalizations by race/ethnicity



6,608 of 48,084 hospitalizations do not have an assigned race and ethnicity. Hospitalizations from the last 8 days may yet not be reported.

Washington COVID-19 death rates (Ages 65+)

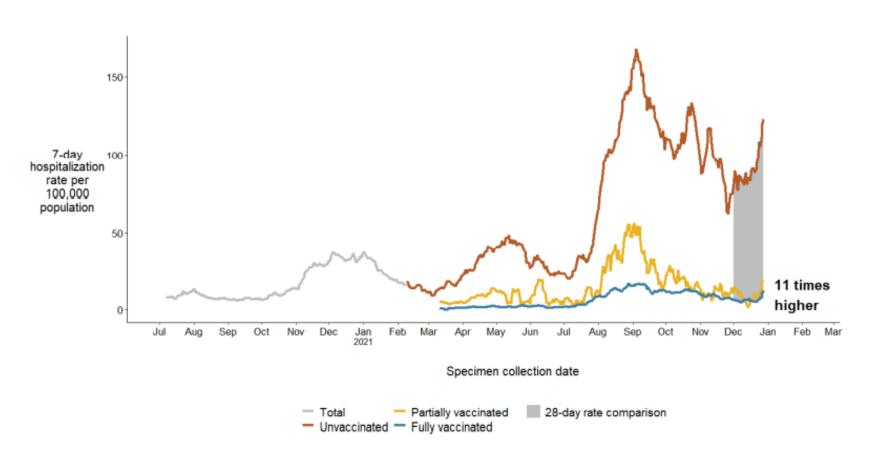
COVID-19 death rates among 65+ year-old individuals are 15 times higher in the unvaccinated population than in the fully vaccinated population



Source: DOH COVID-19 Cases, Hospitalizations, and Deaths by Vaccination Status report (1/12/2022)

Washington COVID-19 hospitalization rates

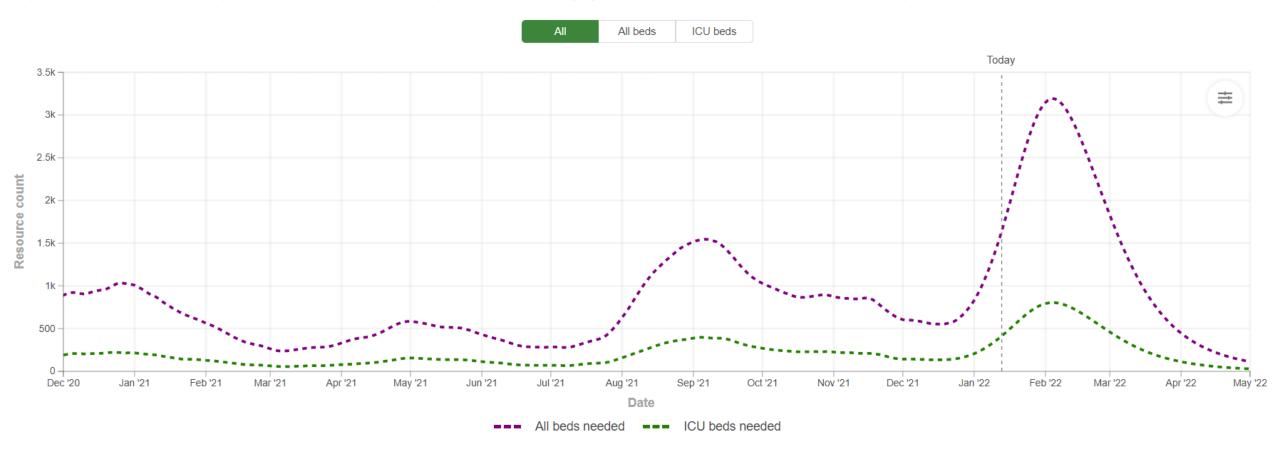
COVID-19 hospitalization rates among 65+ year-old individuals are 11 times higher in the unvaccinated population than in the fully vaccinated population



Source: DOH COVID-19 Cases, Hospitalizations, and Deaths by Vaccination Status report (1/12/2022)

Washington projected hospital resource use

Hospital resource use indicates how equipped a location is to treat COVID-19 patients for the Current projection scenario. Select All beds or ICU beds for descriptions of each measure.



Source: Institute for Health Metrics and Evaluation COVID-19 Projections https://covid19.healthdata.org/united-states-of-america/washington?view=vaccinations&tab=trend (1/13/2022)

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