



# Essex County Office of Public Health Management



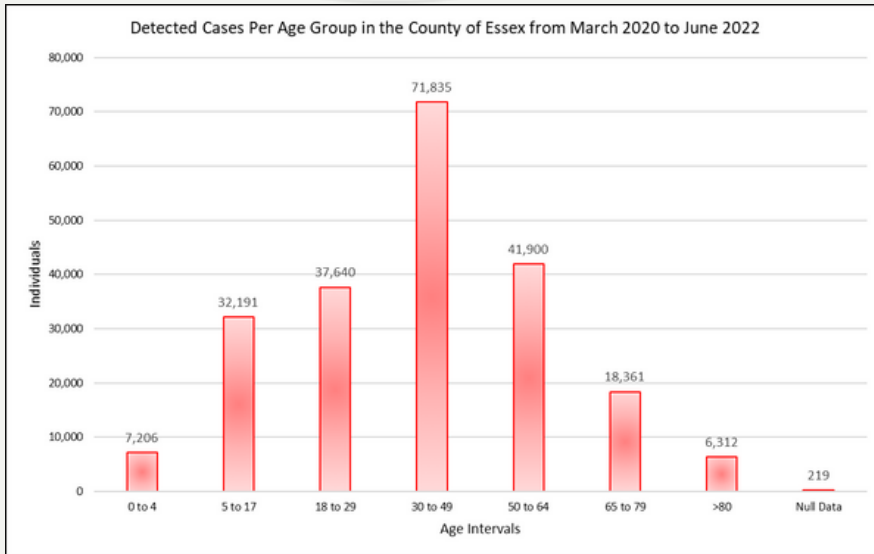
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The Board of County Commissioners  
And the Essex County Office of Public Health Management

*Through our Office of Public Health, we are committed to promoting the health and well-being of our residents. The tips and information included in this newsletter can help guide you on a path toward a healthier lifestyle.*

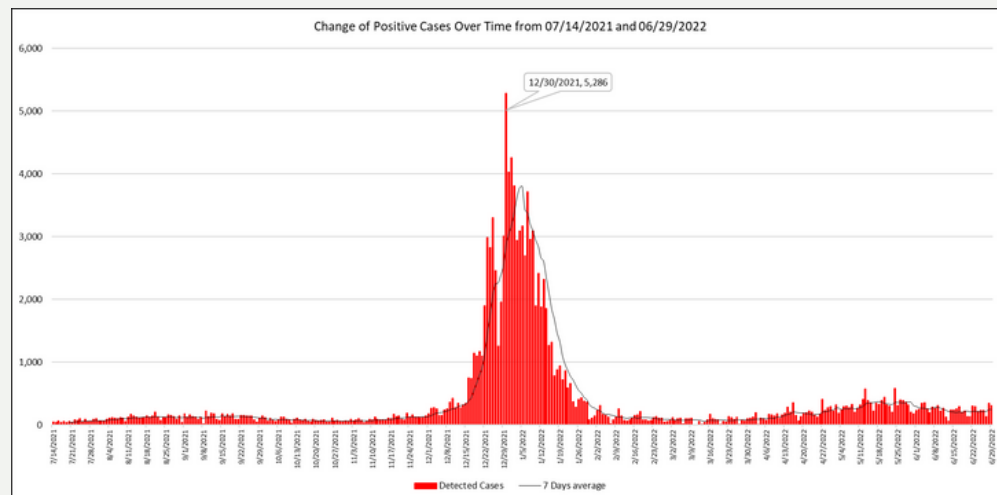
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## COVID-19 Updates for Essex County



The graph shows the distribution of positive cases by age from March 2020 to June 2022.

The graph shows the Covid19 disease onset from July 2021 to June 2022.





## Essex County COVID-19 Vaccination & Testing Locations

**New Hours!**

**New Location**



**Kmart is Closed**

**Sears Building, 112 Eisenhower Parkway, Livingston Mall**  
Thursdays & Fridays from 2 to 7 p.m. & Saturdays from 8 a.m. to 2 p.m.

**Tuesdays from 3 to 7 p.m.**  
Essex County Hall of Records, 465 Dr. Martin Luther King, Jr. Blvd., Newark

**Wednesdays from 3 to 7 p.m.**  
Orange City Hall, 29 North Day Street, Orange

**Thursdays from 3 to 7 p.m.**  
Irvington Town Hall, 1 Civic Square, Irvington

**Fridays from 3 to 7 p.m.**  
East Orange City Hall, 44 City Hall Plaza, East Orange

Moderna, Pfizer and J&J vaccines are available.  
Everyone ages 5 and older are eligible to receive a COVID-19 vaccine.

Appointments for vaccinations are not required. However, if you would like to make an appointment, visit [EssexCOVID.org](https://EssexCOVID.org) or call 973-877-8456. Appointments for testing are not required.

There are no out-of-pocket costs to receive vaccines. Residents will be asked to provide their medical insurance information so Essex County bill the insurance company \$40 for each dose of the vaccine. If you do not have insurance, the cost of the vaccine will be covered by the Health Resources and Services Administration's Provider Relief Funds.

*Putting Essex County's Health First*

**Pfizer & Moderna vaccines are now available for children 6 months to 4 years**  
**Appointment Required**

### Information for parents and caregivers:

- [COVID-19 Vaccines for Children and Teens | CDC](#)
- [Frequently Asked Questions about COVID-19 Vaccination in Children | CDC](#)
- [6 Things to Know about COVID-19 Vaccination for Children | CDC](#)
- [V-safe After Vaccination Health Checker | CDC](#)

For more information on Testing and Vaccinations, visit [EssexCountyNJ.org](https://EssexCountyNJ.org)



# July is UV Safety Awareness Month

Unprotected sun exposure can cause vision problems and damage to your eyes, premature aging of the skin, skin cancer, and suppress your immune system.

*Tips to protect yourself from sun exposure:*

- *Wear shade protective clothing (hats, pants, long-sleeve shirts, and sunglasses for eye protection)*
- *Stay in shaded areas*
- *Wear sunscreen*



**The USFDA recommends sunscreen with a Sun Protective Factor (SPF) of at least 15.**

**When in the sun, you should apply at least a palmful of sunscreen every 2 hours. It should be applied more frequently if you're sweating or swimming.**

