



COVID-19 UPDATE
AUGUST 18, 2021



MARYLAND IS ON TRACK TO VACCINATE

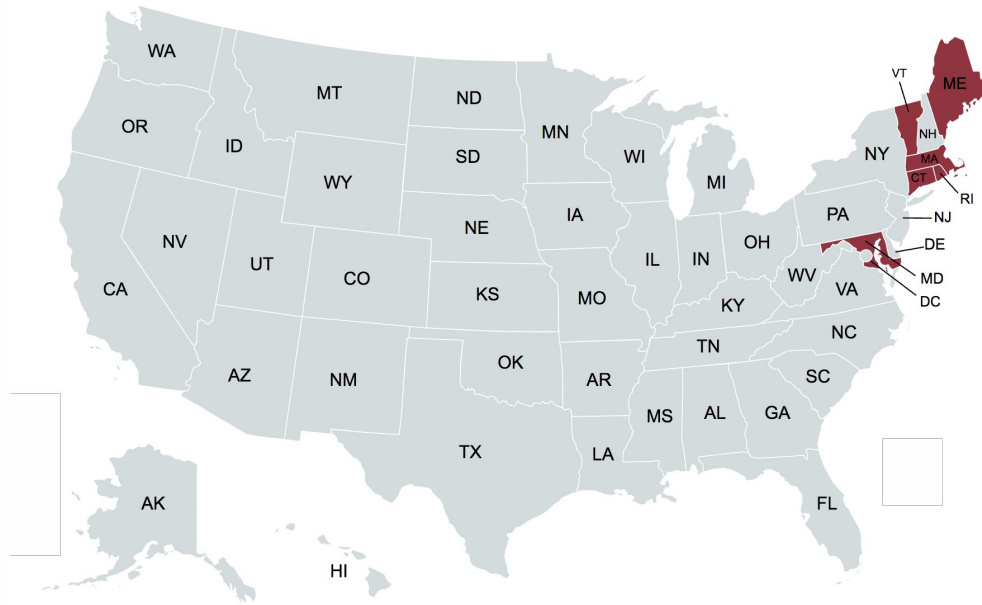
80% OF ADULTS

BY LABOR DAY.



79.5% of adults vaccinated
94% of seniors vaccinated

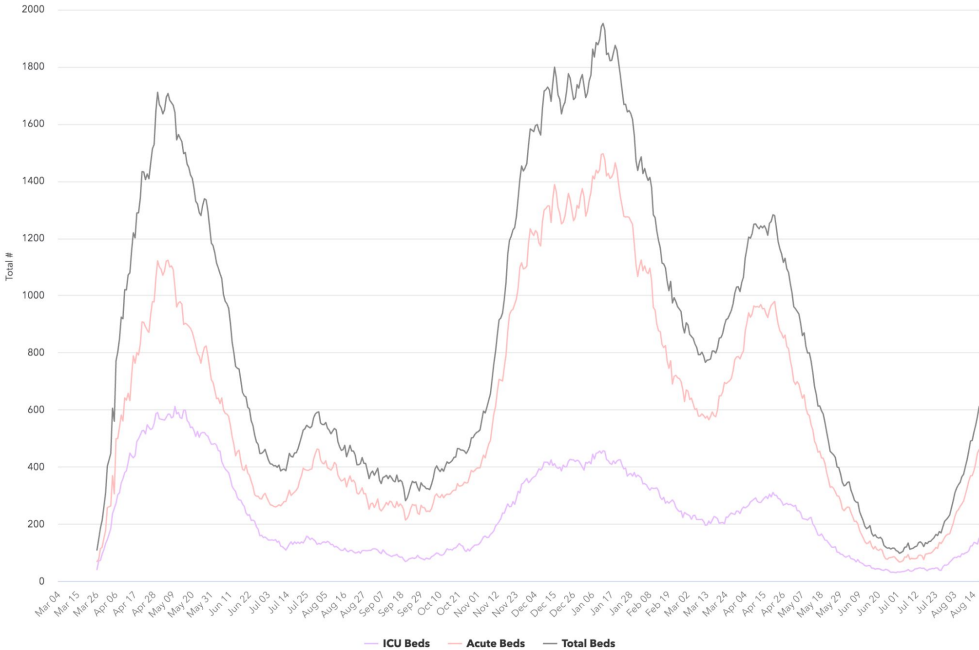
STATES WITH 70% OF ELIGIBLE POPULATION FULLY VACCINATED



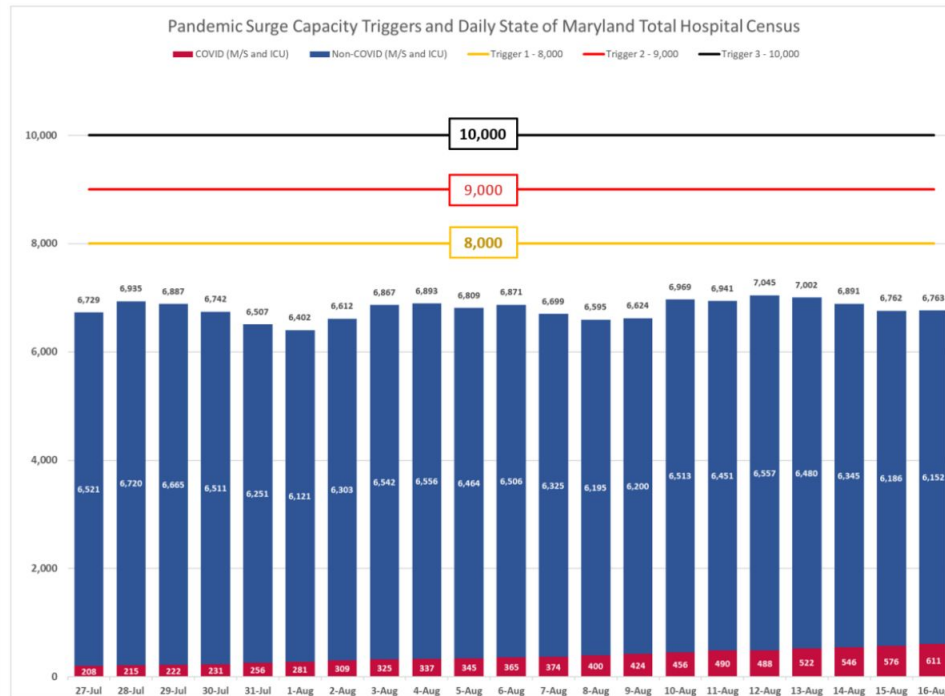
MARYLAND'S POSITIVITY RATE REMAINS AMONG LOWEST IN AMERICA



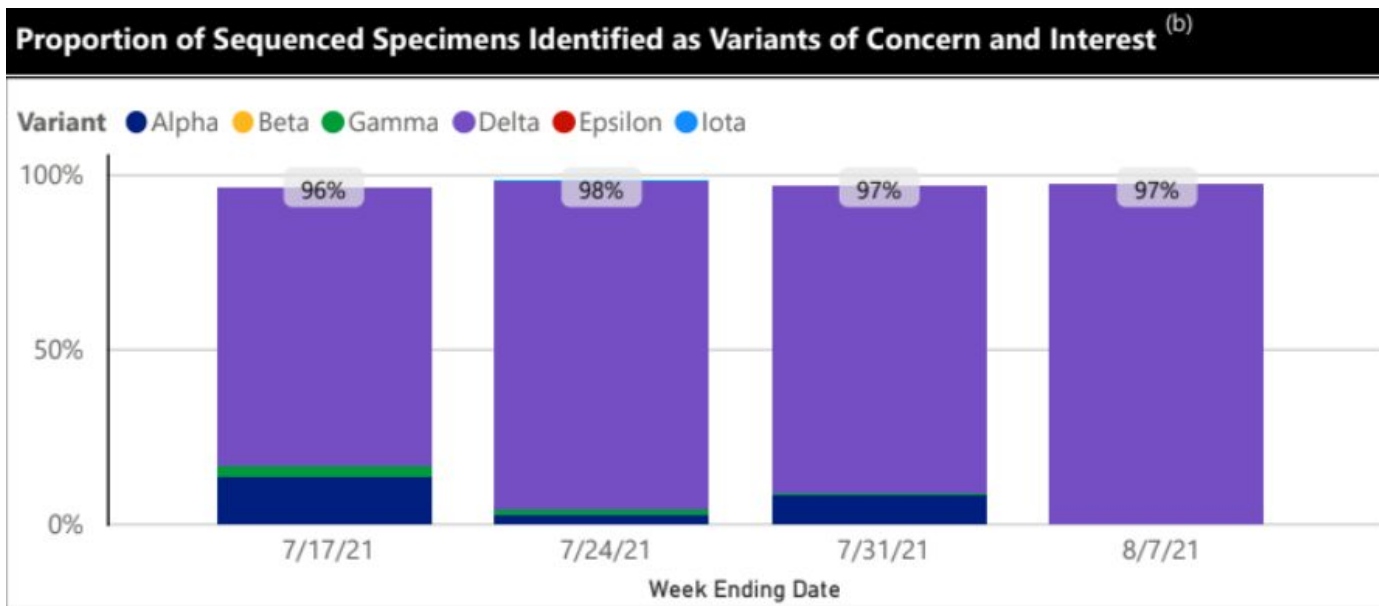
HOSPITALIZATIONS DOWN 70% FROM PEAK



MARYLAND HAS NOT HIT ANY SURGE CAPACITY TRIGGERS



DELTA ACCOUNTS FOR ALL NEW SEQUENCED CASES





covidvax.maryland.gov
or call **1-855-MD-GOVAX**

Nursing Home Facilities With Highest Staff Vaccination Rates

100% Staff Vaccination Rate

Manor Care Health Services - Chevy Chase
Maplewood Park Place
Maryland Baptist Aged Home

99% Staff Vaccination Rate

Bedford Court Healthcare Center

98% Staff Vaccination Rate

Collingswood Rehabilitation & Healthcare Center
Edenwald Retirement Community
Carriage Hill Bethesda

97% Staff Vaccination Rate

Autumn Lake Healthcare at Cherry Lane

96% Staff Vaccination Rate

Autumn Lake Healthcare at Glade Valley
Rockville Nursing Home
Vantage House

95% Staff Vaccination Rate

Crescent Cities Nursing and Rehabilitation Center
Glen Meadows Retirement Community
Villa Rosa Nursing and Rehabilitation Center
Brighton Gardens of Tuckerman Lane
Wilson Health Care Center
Roland Park Place
Fox Chase Rehabilitation And Nursing Center

Nursing Home Facilities With Lowest Staff Vaccination Rates

40% Staff Vaccination Rate

Oakwood Care Center

45% Staff Vaccination Rate

Cumberland Healthcare Center

48% Staff Vaccination Rate

Dennett Road Manor

Autumn Lake Healthcare at Chesapeake Woods

49% Staff Vaccination Rate

Autumn Lake Healthcare at Denton

51% Staff Vaccination Rate

Anchorage Healthcare Center

Calvert Manor Center for Rehabilitation and Health

Sterling Care at Frostburg Village

52% Staff Vaccination Rate

Alice Byrd Tawes Nursing Home

54% Staff Vaccination Rate

Coffman Nursing Home



Nursing Home Staff:

Must show proof of vaccination

OR

Submit to regular COVID-19
screening and testing



For Nursing Homes That Fail To Comply:

- **Fines will be doubled**
- **Higher civil penalties**
- **Tougher enforcement actions**



All Maryland Hospital Employees:

Must show proof of vaccination

OR

Submit to regular COVID-19
screening and testing



**NURSING HOME AND HOSPITAL STAFF
MUST RECEIVE FIRST DOSE BY**

September 1



Booster Shots For More Marylanders:

- State health officials ready to expand availability of booster shots beyond immunocompromised
- Calling on Biden administration to make third doses available to seniors and nursing home residents immediately



Statewide Antibody Testing Program:

- Nursing home residents will be tested for their immunity levels
- Pilot program will begin with 500 residents
- Final step in preparation for booster shot operation



Pressing For Federal Action on Vaccines

- Make booster shots available for seniors and vulnerable populations immediately
- Advance full FDA approval of vaccines
- Expedite approval for 5-to-11 year olds



Monoclonal Antibody Treatment:

- Safe and effective treatment for COVID-positive patients who are not hospitalized
- State has avoided 400+ hospitalizations, 160+ deaths through these treatments
- Effective against variants
- Available at hospitals and facilities statewide



**We will keep following the science
and taking a measured, balanced,
data-driven approach in our
response to this pandemic.**



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MARYLAND PRIMARY CARE PROGRAM



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