

# City of Stamford: COVID19 Update

February 9, 2020

# State of the City: COVID19 Agenda

- COVID-19 in Stamford
- Vaccinations Expanded to 65+
- Ask Mayor Martin Q&A
- Conclusion

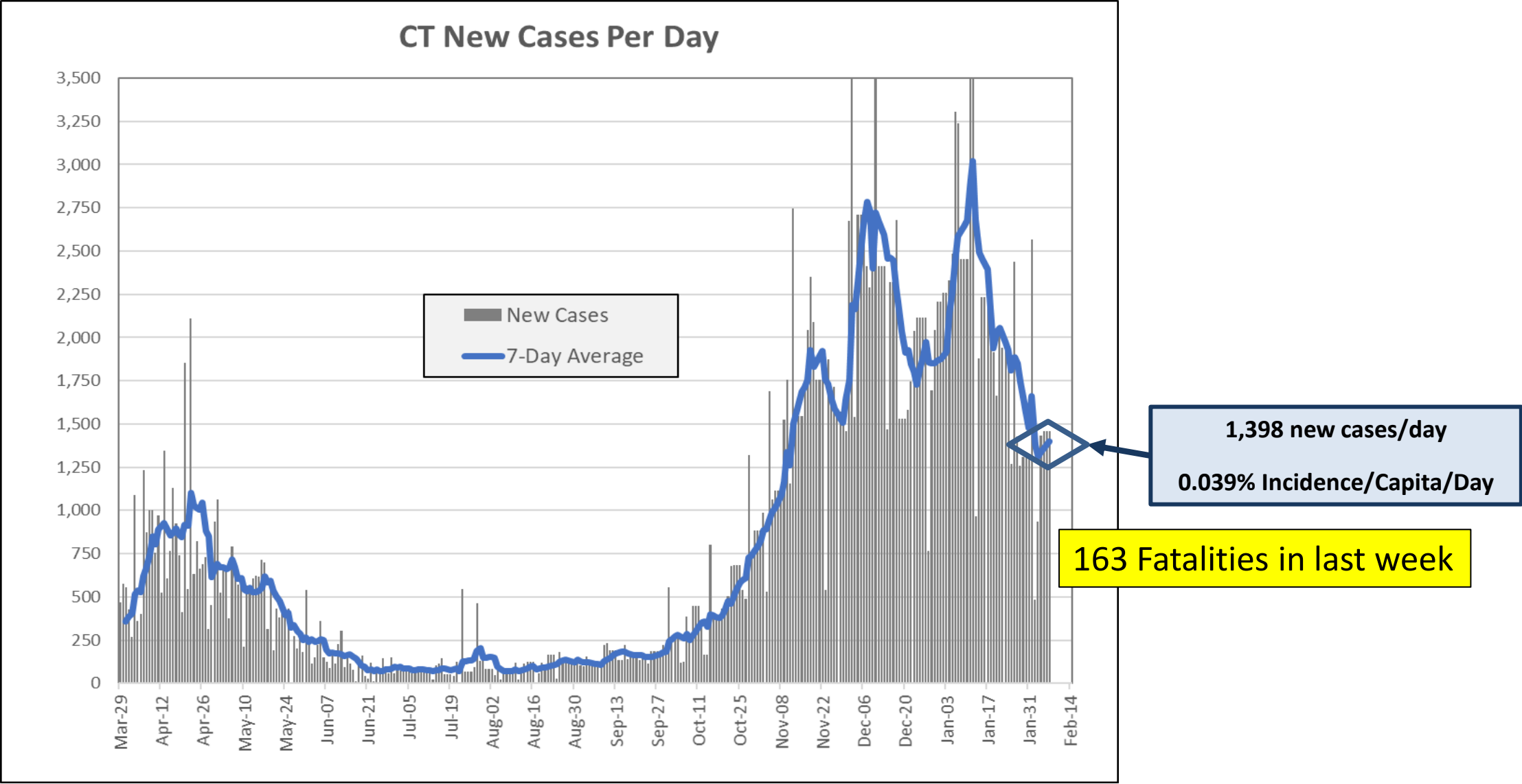






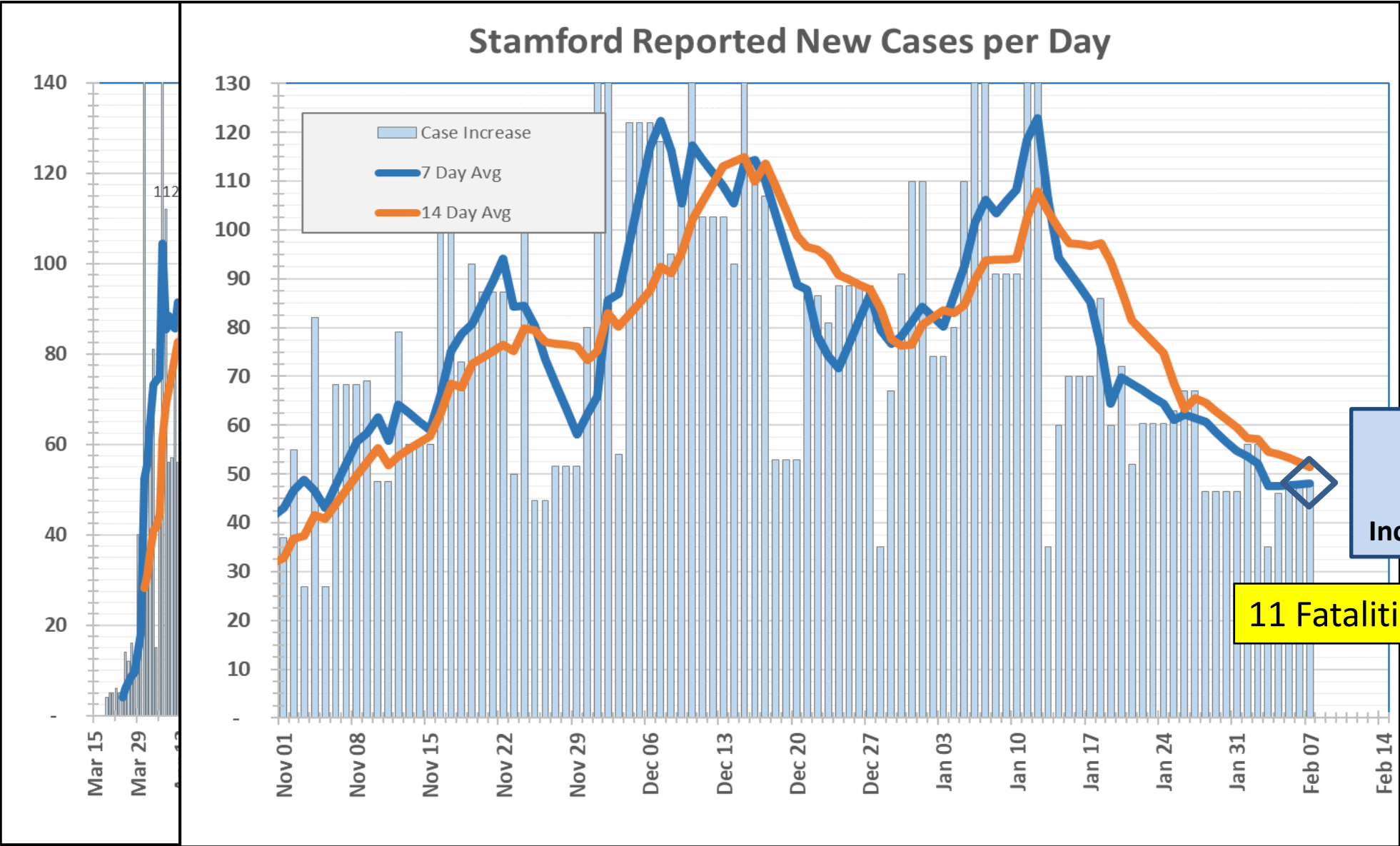
**465,000 Total U.S. Fatalities from COVID-19**

# State of the State: COVID19



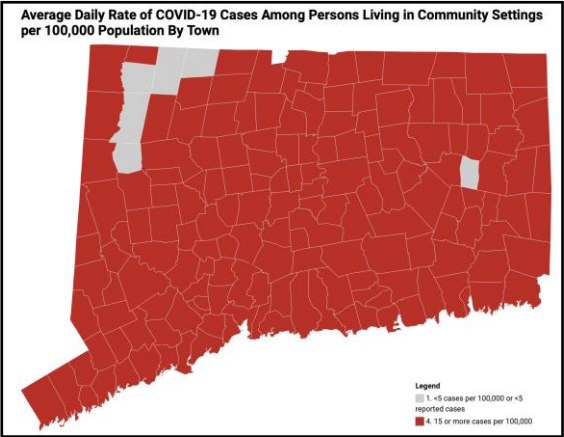
# State of the City: COVID19

## Case Trends

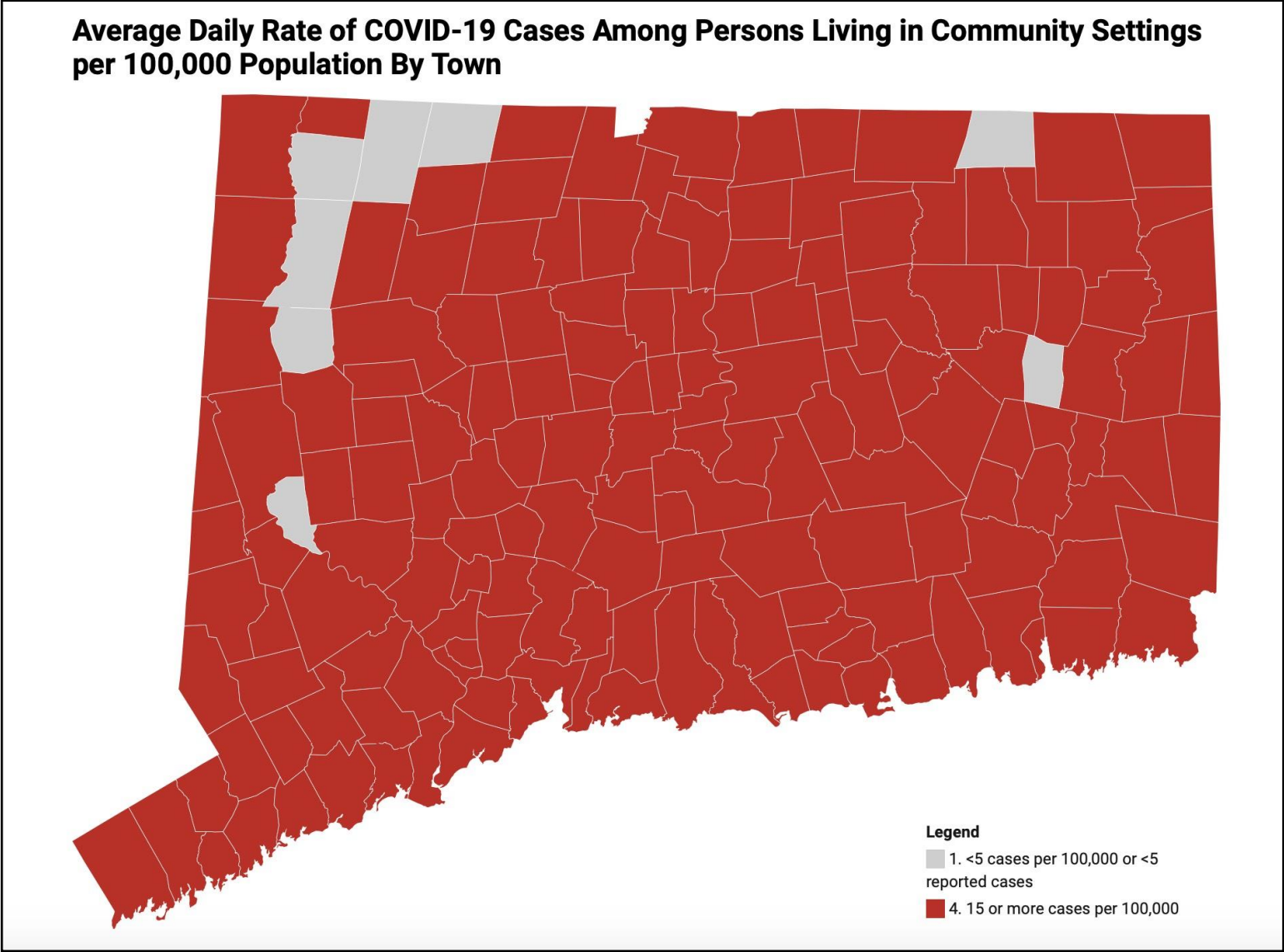




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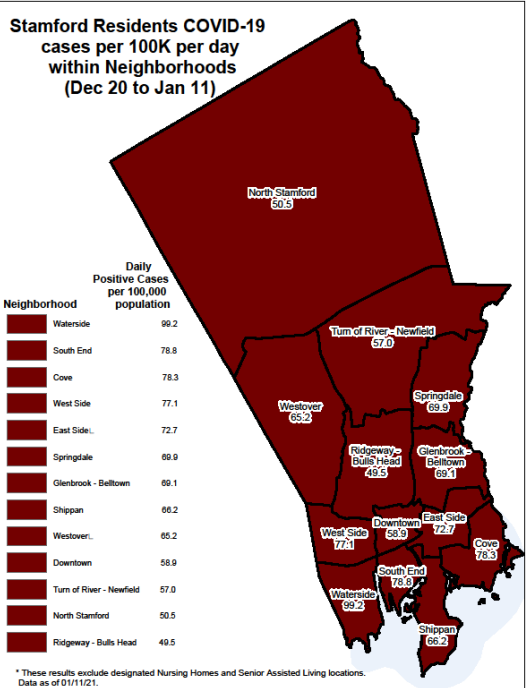
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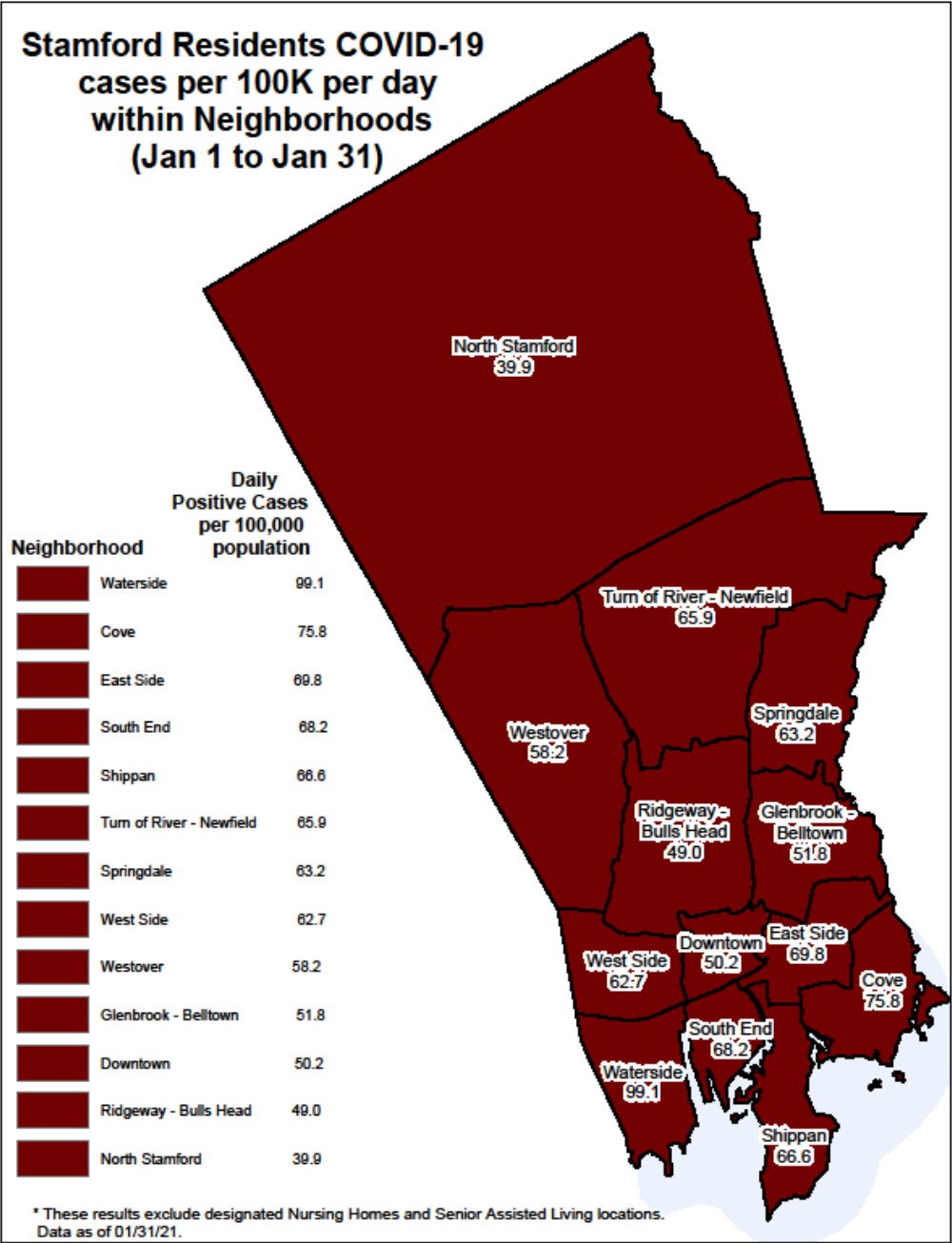
## Neighborhood Case Levels



Every Stamford Neighborhood is “Purple-Red” with Coronavirus



Last Neighborhood Map

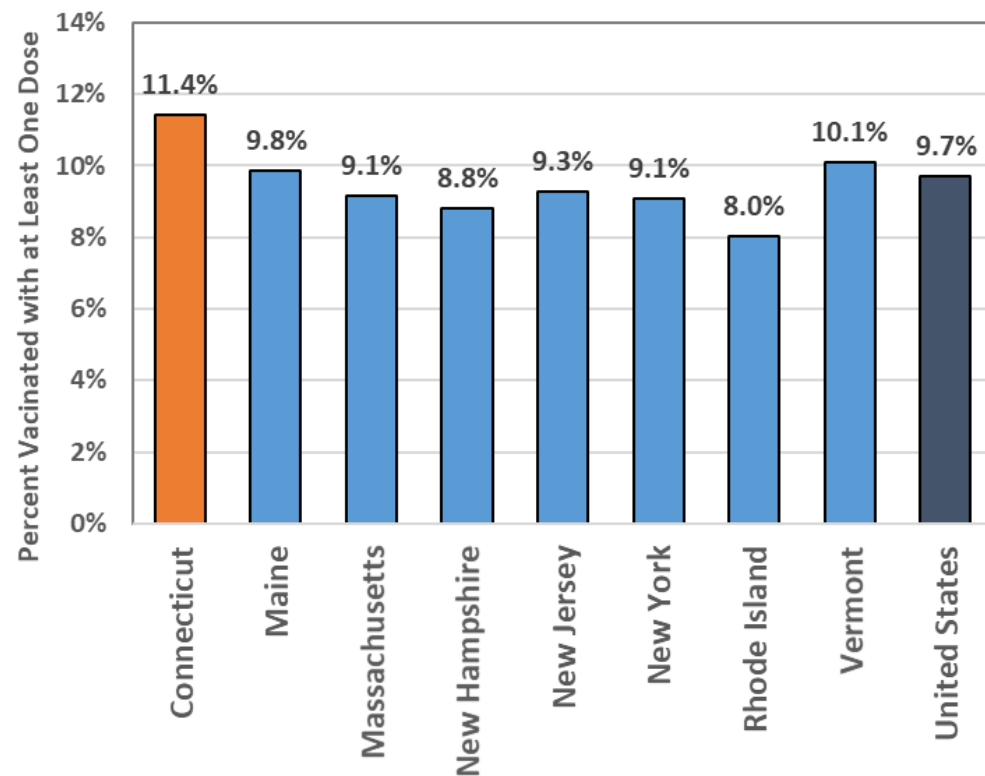


Excludes Nursing Homes/Senior Care Facilities

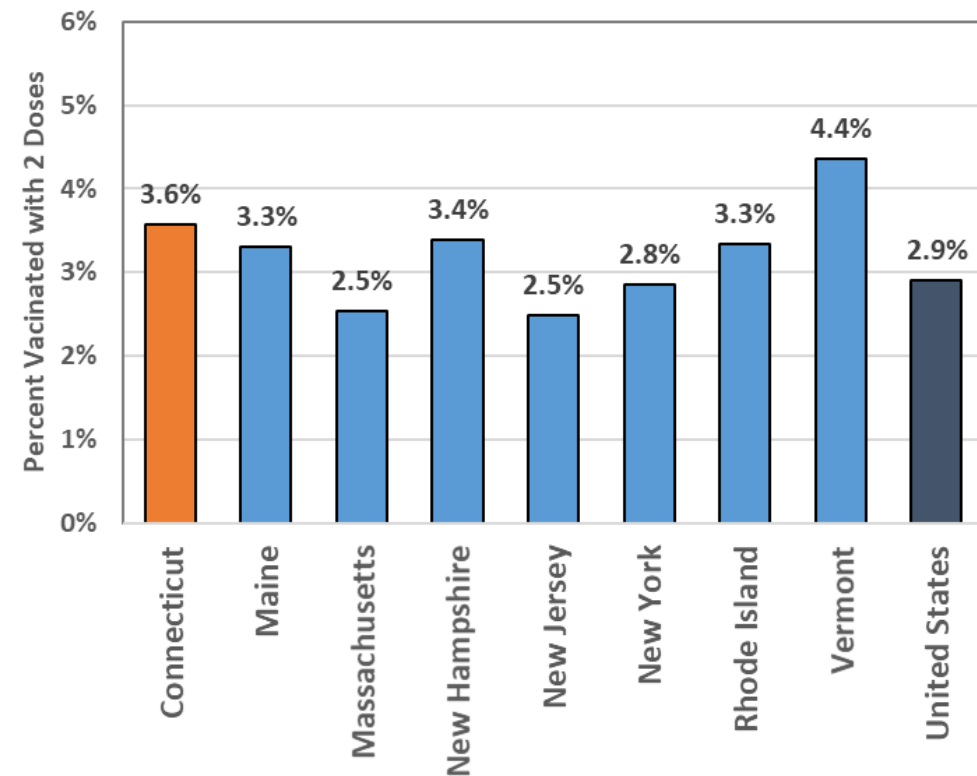
# State of Connecticut: Covid 19 Vaccination Rate



**Percent Vaccinated With At Least One Dose**  
Northeast States



**Percent Vaccinated With Two Doses**  
Northeast States



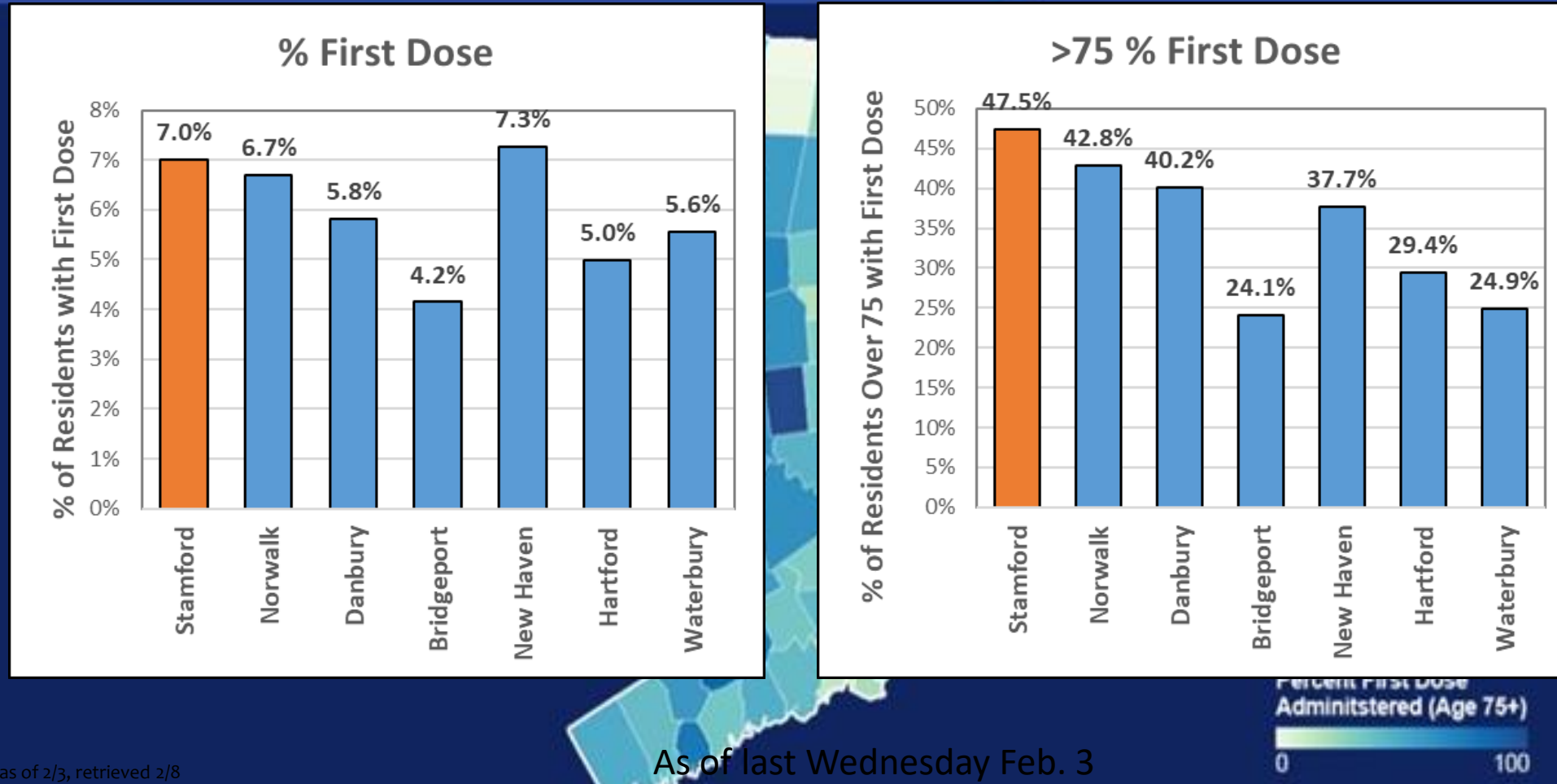
Source: Center for Disease Control  
Data updated 2/8





# State of the City: COVID19 Vaccination

## Percent 75+ Receiving First Dose



Data as of 2/3, retrieved 2/8  
Source: CT.gov

Source: CT DPH, as of 2/3 9am

As of last Wednesday Feb. 3

# Vaccinations: 65 and older

## Starting Vaccinations for 65+

- Opening to 65+ starting **Thursday 2/11**
- Providers with open slots can fill with 65+ now
- 350,000 residents aged 65-74

**65+**

[ct.gov/covidvaccine](https://ct.gov/covidvaccine)

### GOVERNOR'S NEWS BRIEFING

To give an update on the novel coronavirus (COVID-19)



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- Governor Ned Lamont announced on Monday residents 65 years and older can begin signing up for vaccination appointments
  - State announced first day of signups would be on Thursday, February 11
  - Residents have reported being able to schedule a vaccine appointment immediately.

# Phases of Vaccination

- **Phase 1A:** Very high risk and Frontline workers (started December)
  - Healthcare workers
  - First responders
  - COVID-19 vaccinators (healthcare professionals and support)
  - Long-term care
- **Phase 1B:** Essential functions of society/risk of severe COVID-19 illness
  - Persons 75 years and older
  - **Persons 65 years and older (announced yesterday)**
  - Critical municipal employees
  - Teachers
  - Persons with underlying medical conditions
- **Phase 2 - 3**
  - People at increased risk of acquiring or transmitting COVID-19
  - People with limited access to routine vaccination services
  - General population







# Sign Up for the Vaccine: Stamford Health

## Book an appointment

Filter by: specialty: choose a specialty visit reason: COVID-19 Vaccine Dose 1

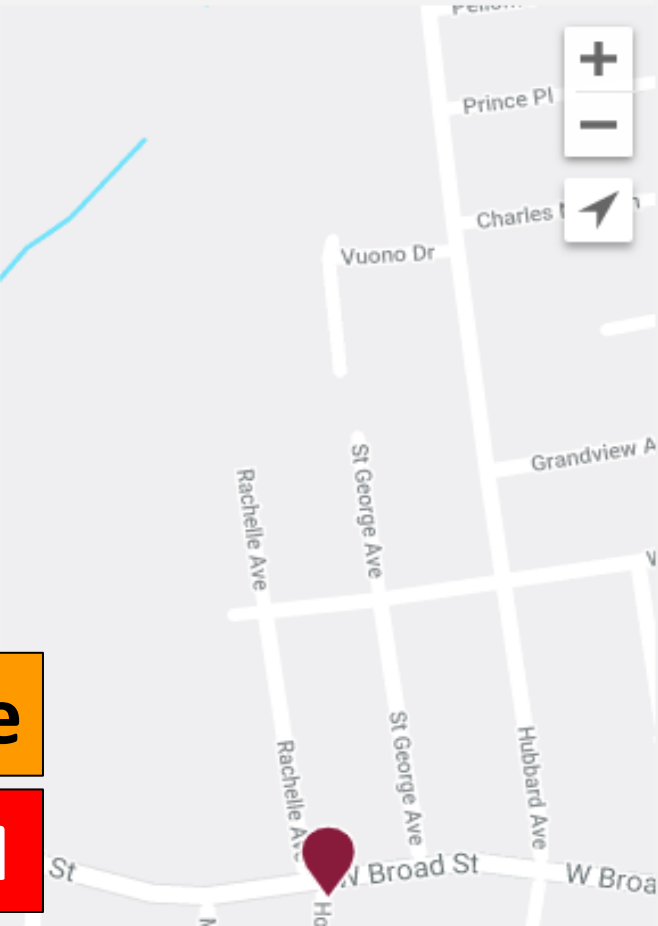


### Stamford Hospital - COVID-19 Vaccination

COVID-19 Vaccination Facility

Stamford Hospital - COVID-19 Vaccination  
1 Hospital Plz, 2nd Fl  
Stamford, CT, 06902

	Tue Jan 26	Wed Jan 27	Thu Jan 28	Fri Jan 29
Stamford Hospital - COVID-19 Vaccination	—	9:10 am	8:10 am	8:00 am
1 Hospital Plz, 2nd Fl	—	9:50 am	8:20 am	8:10 am
Stamford, CT, 06902	—	10:50 am	8:30 am	8:20 am
	—	more	more	more



Online: [StamfordHealth.org/Covid19Vaccine](https://StamfordHealth.org/Covid19Vaccine)

Phone: (203) 276-7300 Mon-Fri 9AM-4PM

# Stamford Health

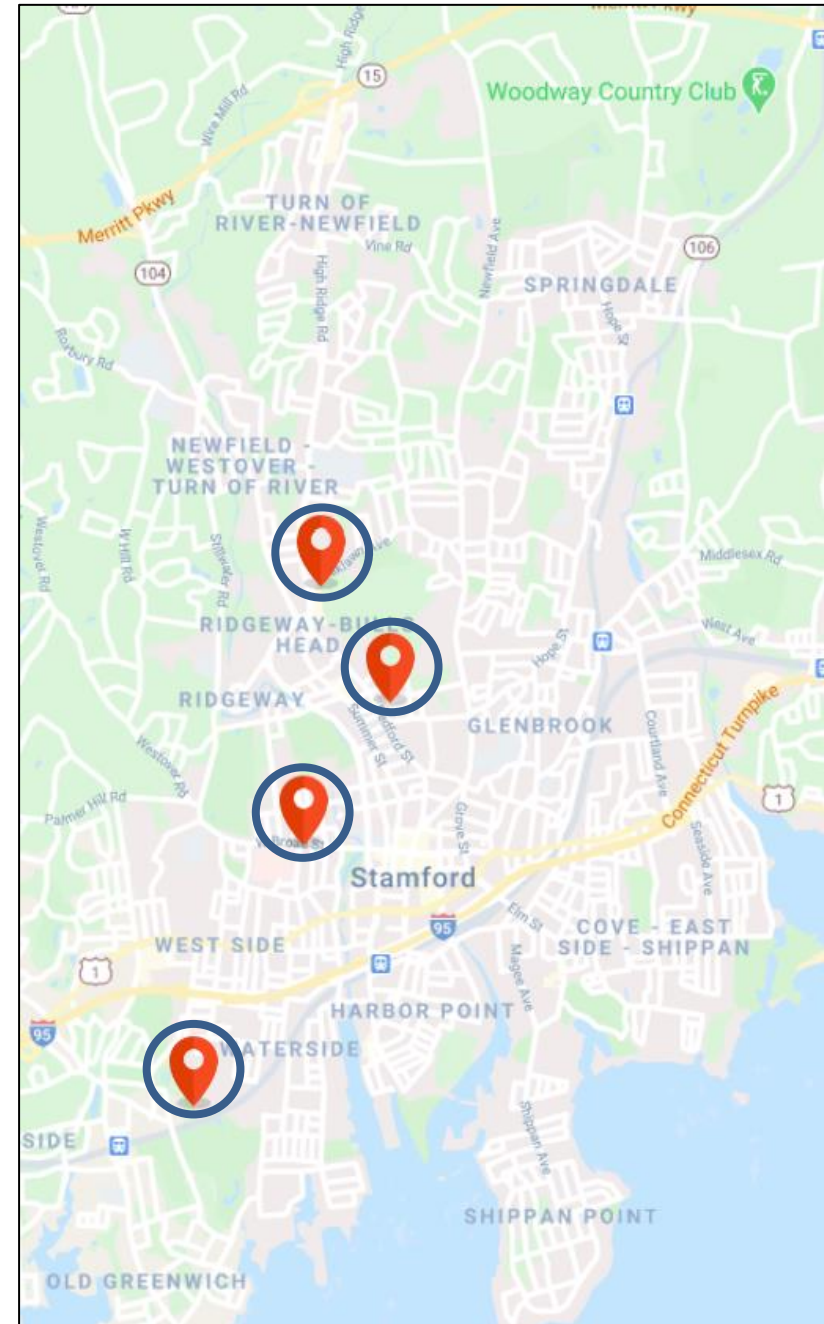
Jonathan Bailey – SVP & COO

- Are vaccines being given to New York residents?
- What about rescheduling vaccinations after Snowstorms?
- What happens to vaccine doses leftover at the end of the day?



# How to Get a Covid-19 Vaccine

- **Stamford Hospital / City of Stamford**
  - <https://www.stamfordhealth.org/covid-19-update/covid-19-vaccination-information/>, OR
  - Call Vaccine Appointment Line **(203) 276-7300**
- **Other Providers:**
  - **CHC** – Dial **877-918-2224** or **211** in Connecticut
    - CHC – 22 Fifth Street, Stamford
    - CHC – Lord & Taylor Drive Through; 110 High Ridge Road, Stamford
  - **Yale New Haven Health**
    - <https://www.ynhhs.org/patient-care/covid-19/vaccine/get-your-covid-vaccine.aspx>, OR
    - Call the Yale COVID Hotline **833-275-9644**
  - **UConn Health**
    - <https://health.uconn.edu/coronavirus/covid-vaccine/>
  - **Hartford Health**
    - <https://hartfordhealthcare.org/health-wellness/covid-vaccine>
- **VAMS (U.S. CDC)** – <https://vams.cdc.gov/vaccineportal/s/landingpage>
  - CHC – 22 Fifth Street, Stamford
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  - **Family Centers** – Old Greenwich Civic Center, 90 Harding Road, Greenwich
  - **Greenwich Health Department** - 101 Field Point Road, Greenwich
  - **Griebs Pharmacy** – 1021 Post Road, Darien
  - **Norwalk Hospital** – 34 Maple Street, Norwalk
  - **Norwalk Community Health Center** – 120 Connecticut Ave, Norwalk



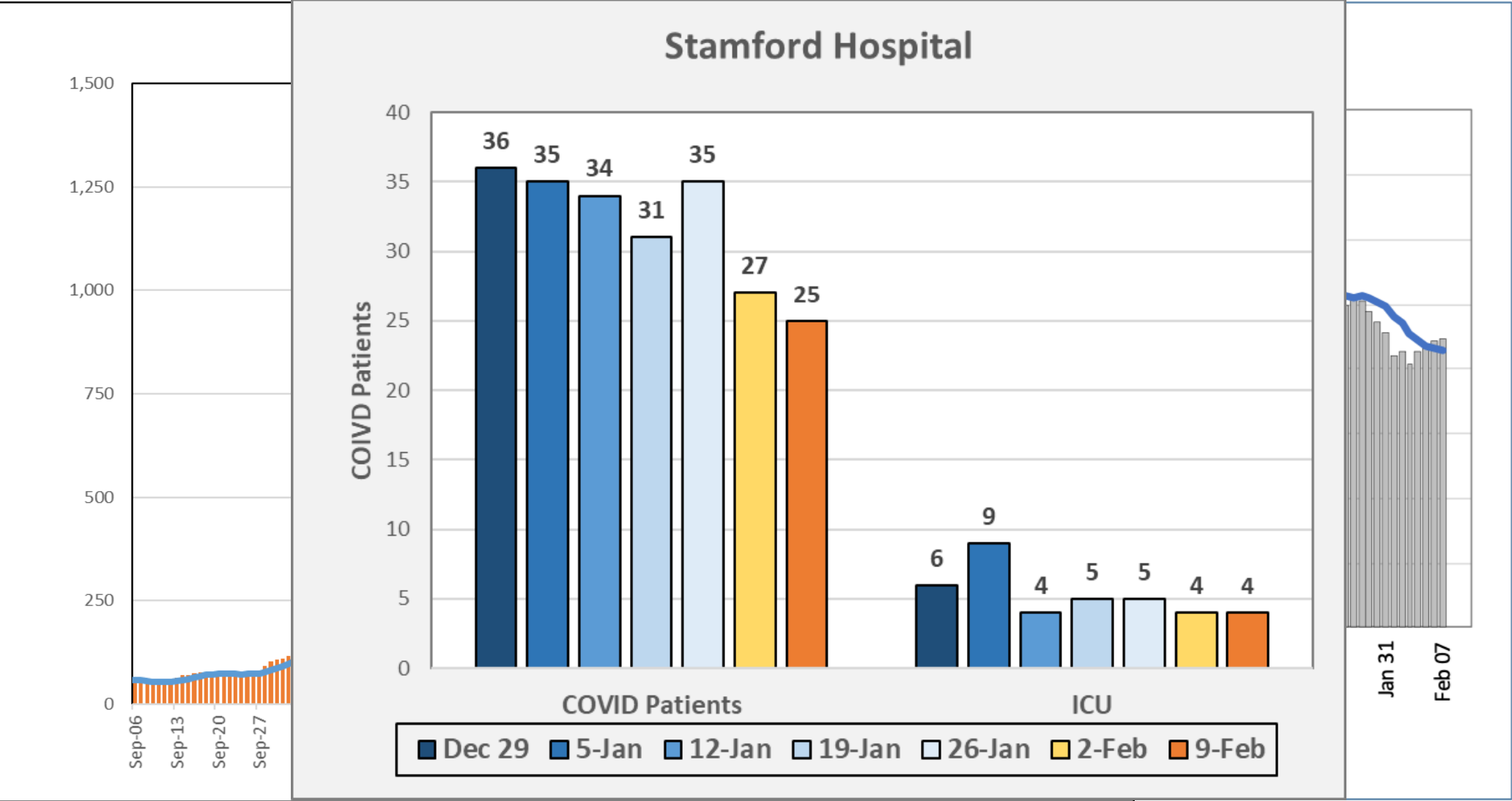
Vaccination sites in Stamford (211ct.org)





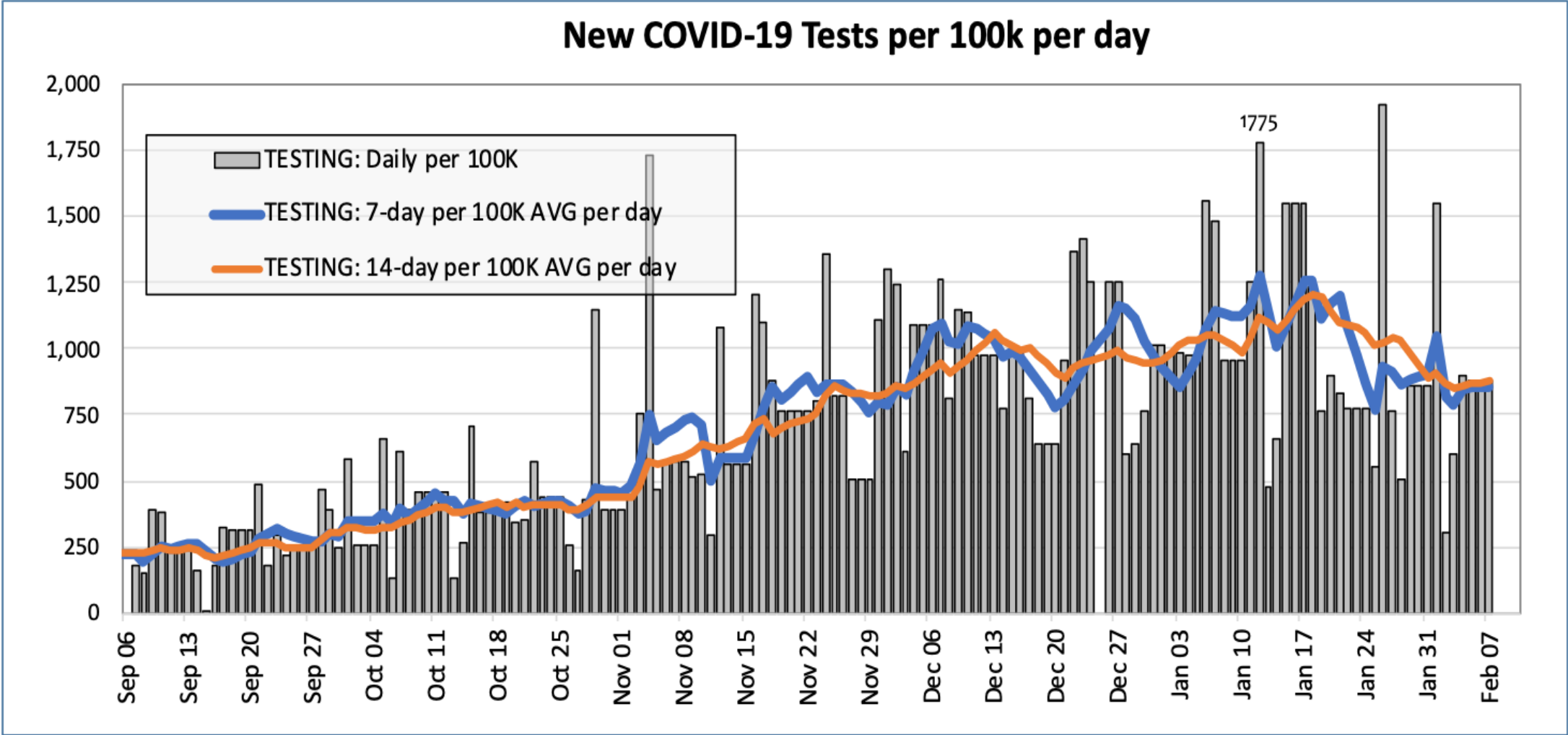
# State of the City: COVID19

## Hospitalization Rate



# State of the City: COVID19

## Testing Trends



Source: CT.GOV, data through 2/7/21, downloaded 2/8/21

# All information updated on our website

For All Test Site Locations, Times and Changes: [www.stamfordct.gov/covid-testing](http://www.stamfordct.gov/covid-testing)



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Our City

How Do I?

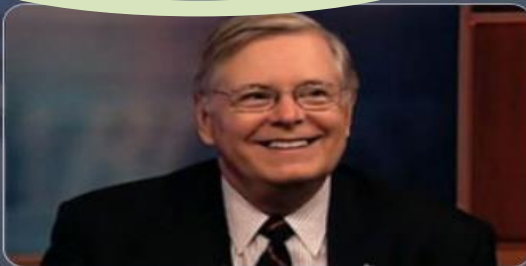
Residents

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- 👤 FixIt Stamford
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- 🏠 Choose Stamford
- 🏥 COVID-19 Information
- 🏢 **Testing Information**



Mayor David Martin

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## COVID-19 Resource Center

- How to get tested
- Volunteer program
- Suspended services
- Business assistance



**[www.stamfordct.gov/covid-testing](http://www.stamfordct.gov/covid-testing)**

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# Get CT State COVID Updates by Email or Text

- Register at [Portal.ct.gov/Coronavirus/COVIDCT](https://portal.ct.gov/Coronavirus/COVIDCT)

## COVIDCT

### Sign Up for COVIDCT Updates

Get the latest alerts and updates on the vaccine rollout, COVID-19 testing, and critical public health alerts directly from state and local officials. These alerts and updates will be delivered via phone call, text message, email or a combination of all three.

**SIGN UP NOW**

This system is a critical way to receive up-to-date, accurate information so you can make the right decisions to keep you and your families safe and healthy during this pandemic. This system has been developed by the State of Connecticut in collaboration with Everbridge.



Local officials have been granted use of this system to share COVID-19 related messaging with you.

**Signing up** is easy, it only takes a few minutes, and after you sign up, you will receive the next update sent from state and local officials.

- Information on:
  - Vaccine eligibility
  - Vaccination sites
  - Test sites
  - And other important updates
- This service alerted residents to the 65+ availability on Monday



# COVID Frequently Asked Questions

*When can I get vaccinated?*

*Do I need insurance?*

*Which form do I fill out?*

*Will there be a “super site” for vaccinations?*

*Can I volunteer to help?*

*Can I get vaccinated with my spouse?*

*What phase are we in?*

*Is there transportation to get to a vaccination site?*

*Which vaccine are you using?*

**QUESTIONS?**

**Ask us!**

**[AskMayorMartin@stamfordct.gov](mailto:AskMayorMartin@stamfordct.gov)**





# Q&A: AskMayorMartin@stamfordct.gov

**Carolyn L. asks:**

*"I know some residents have received a first dose of the COVID vaccine at Stamford Hospital even though they were not eligible at that time. Do you know if those who received their first dose will be able to receive a second dose at Stamford Hospital?"*

**Answer:** There was confusion on eligibility at the initial rollout of the community vaccination program and some people may have received their first dose, even though they technically did not meet eligibility at that time.

Efforts have been put in place to prevent this from happening and the state has updated their website to provide more clarity.

I want everyone to be assured that if you received your 1st dose vaccination at Stamford Health, you will be able to receive your 2nd dose there as well.

Stamford Health has shared with us that more than 95% of people have their 2nd dose appointments prior to leaving the facility, so most everyone should be in great shape.



# Q&A: AskMayorMartin@stamfordct.gov

## Vikash asks:

*"My family is here on a US work visa and we do not have a state-issued ID. Is a foreign passport taken as valid photo identification for vaccination? We rent an apartment in Stamford and can produce a lease agreement."*

## Answer:

A valid photo is required to get a vaccine . . . and yes, a foreign passport can be used as valid photo identification.

Proof of Connecticut residency is also required. If the photo ID does not have a current address, than an electric, phone or utility bill; a lease agreement; or mail addressed to you at a Connecticut address are all acceptable.



# Q&A: AskMayorMartin@stamfordct.gov

## Patti S. asks:

*"I filled out the Stamford registration form and submitted it. I am over 65 and I submitted this form when only 75 and older residents were being vaccinated. Will I automatically get a notice to set up an appointment once my age group is approved to proceed?"*

**Answer:** Yes, if you signed up for the City of Stamford's Google Form you should have already received an email once your age group is eligible for the vaccine. However, you will still have to sign up for a vaccination appointment.

**From:** City of Stamford Vaccination Information <[VaccinationInfo-No-Reply@StamfordCT.gov](mailto:VaccinationInfo-No-Reply@StamfordCT.gov)>  
**Sent:** Tuesday, February 9, 2021 2:39 PM  
**Subject:** COVID-19 Vaccination Rollout Expands to Residents 65 and Older

Hello,

Please be aware the State of Connecticut has [expanded its COVID-19 Vaccination Rollout to include residents aged 65 and older](#). Please visit <https://www.stamfordct.gov/vaccine> for updated information on how to sign up for a vaccination appointment.

You are receiving this message because you previously signed up for the City of Stamford's COVID-19 Vaccination Google Form. To stay up to date on COVID-19 information, please sign up for the State of Connecticut's COVID-19 Alert System by visiting <https://portal.ct.gov/Coronavirus/COVIDCT>. To stay up to date on news and information in the City of Stamford, please sign up for the City's weekly newsletter "The Works" by visiting <https://www.stamfordct.gov/subscribe>.

## Vaccine Appointments:

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# *Vaccines are rolling out...*

## *...but COVID-19 is still a concern!*



Wear Mask Over Nose & Mouth



Social Distancing



Frequent Handwashing

# **NO LARGE GATHERINGS/PARTIES**

