

City of Stamford: COVID19 Update

April 27, 2021

State of the City: COVID19 Agenda

COVID-19 Numbers Update

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Community Vaccinations

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Johnson & Johnson Update

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Conclusion

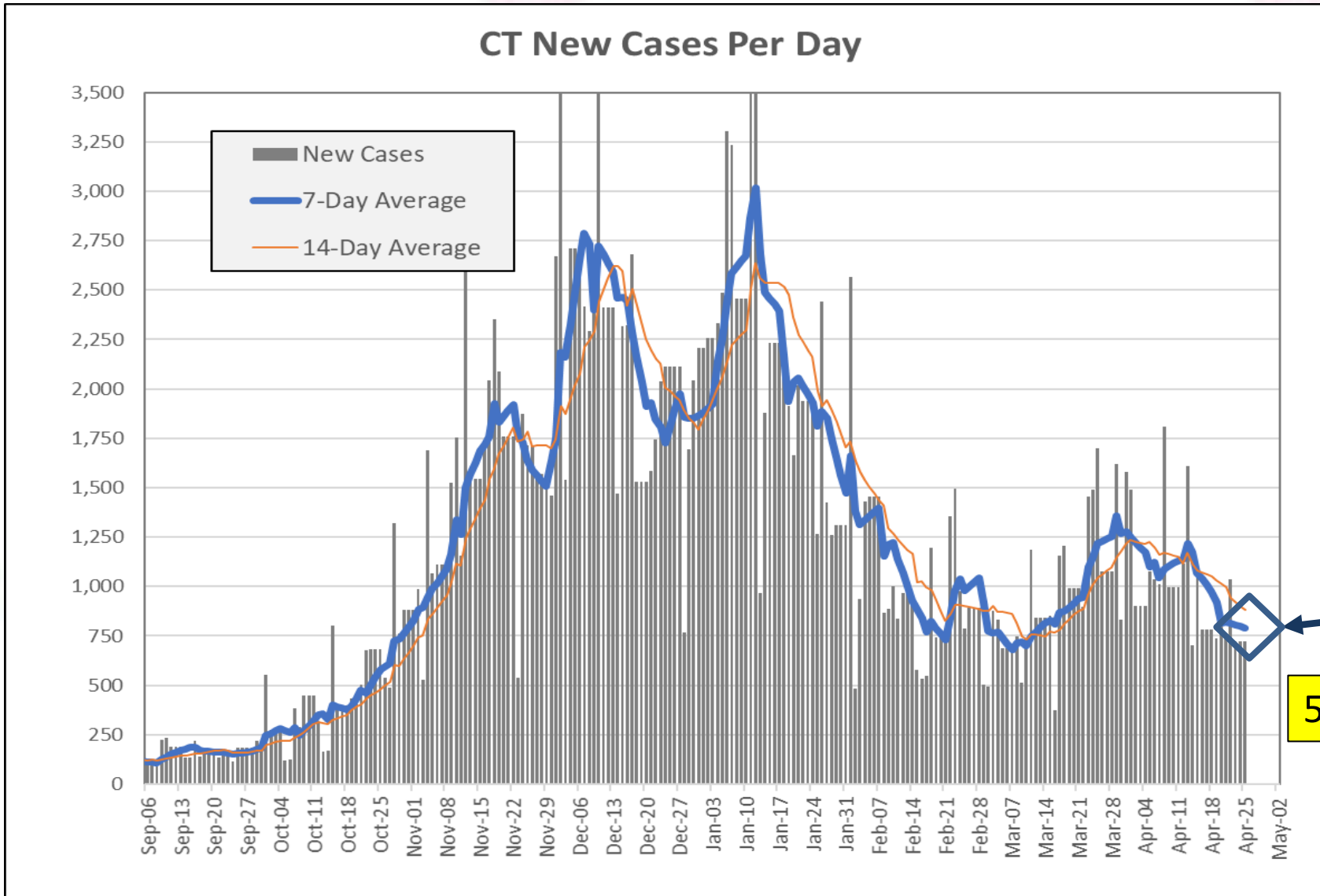
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573,000+ Total U.S. Fatalities from COVID-19

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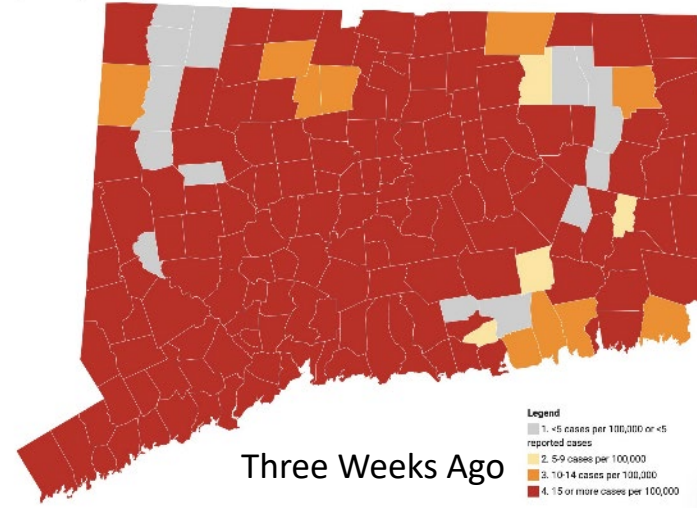
790 new cases/day

52 Fatalities in last week

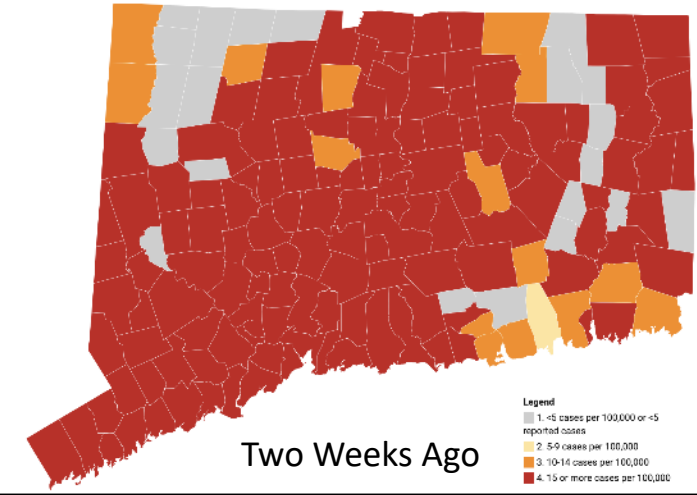
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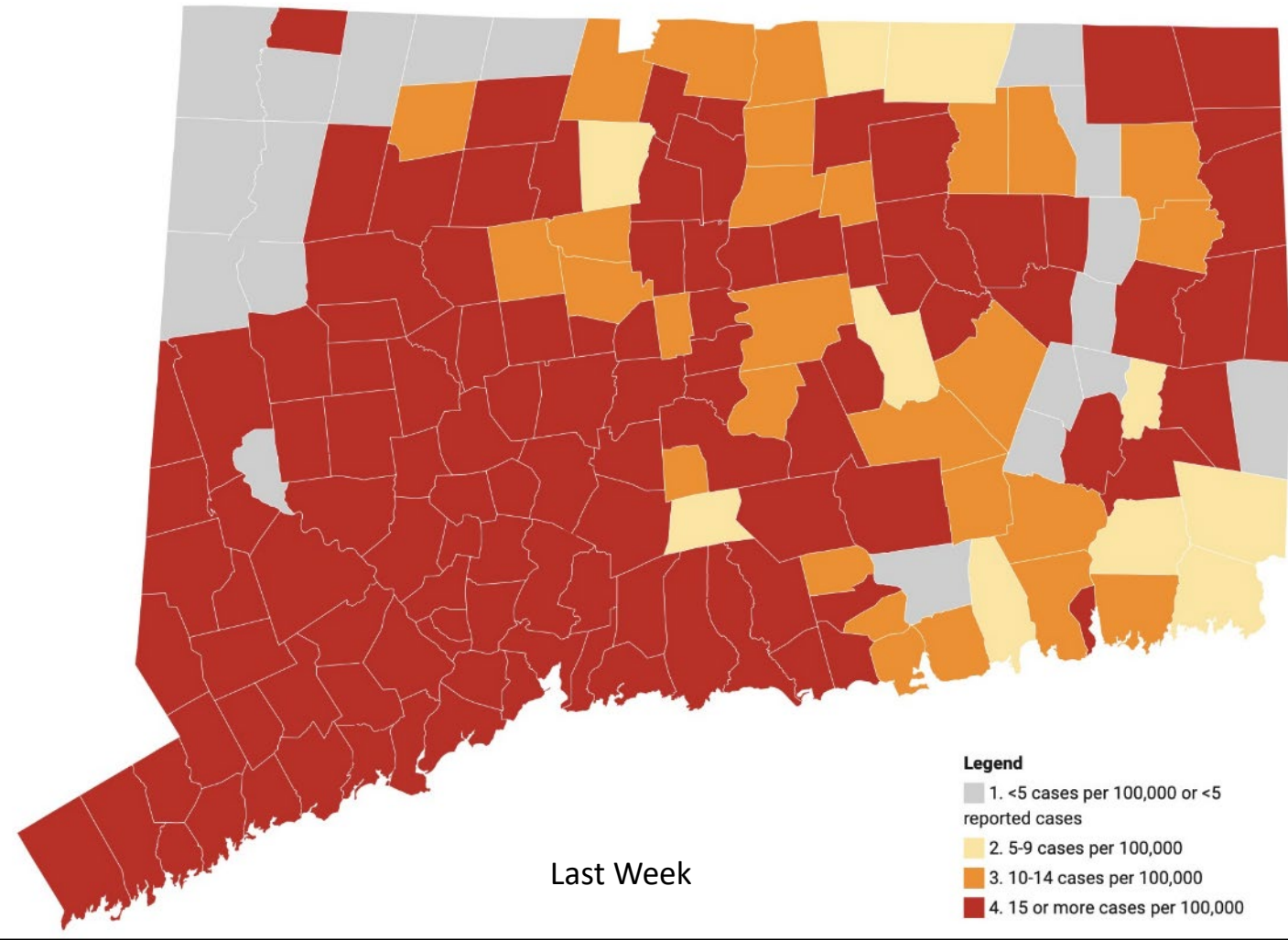
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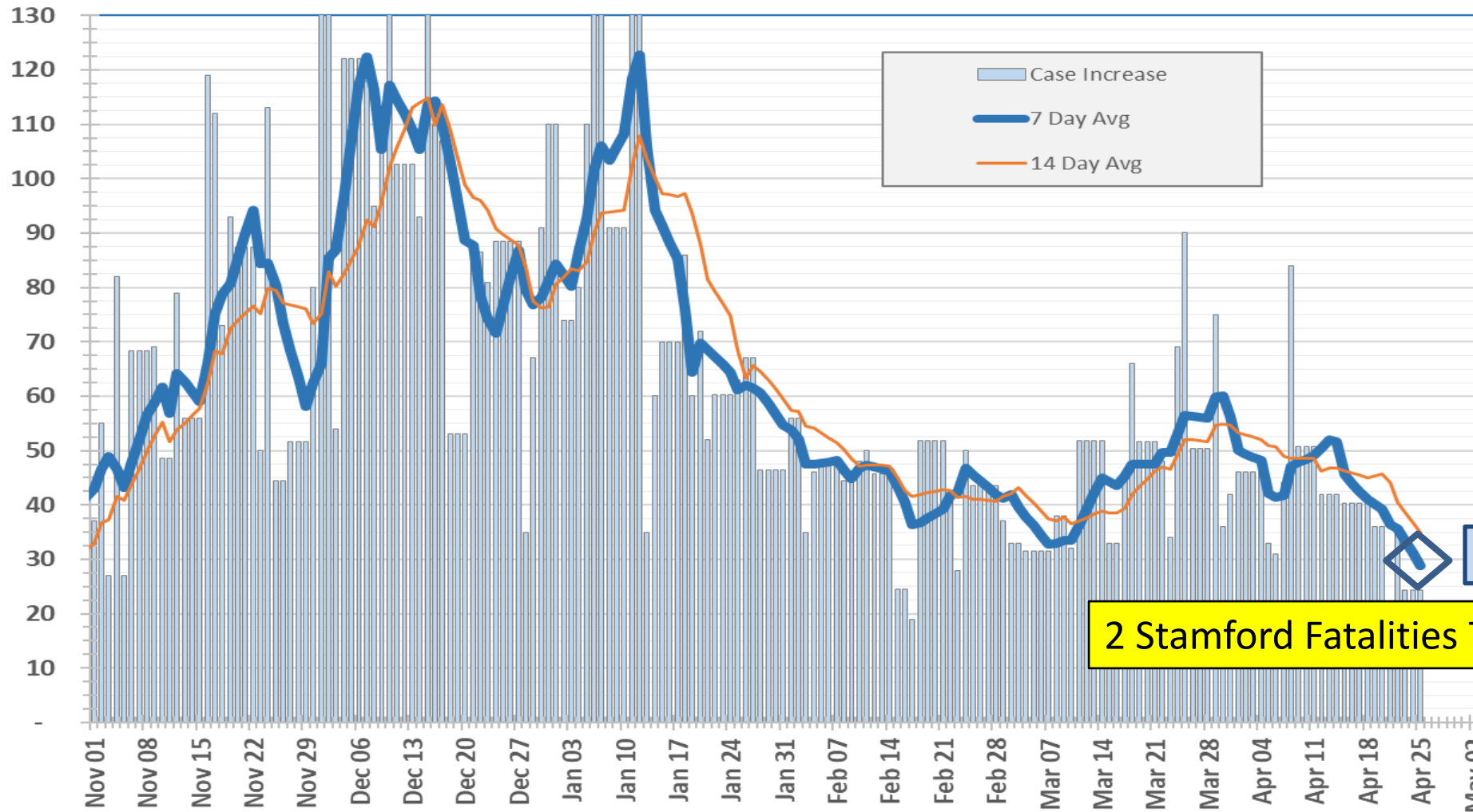
Source: CT.GOV, data as of 4/21/21 (centered) 4/14/21 (bottom left), 4/7/21 (top left)

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Case Trends



Stamford Reported New Cases per Day

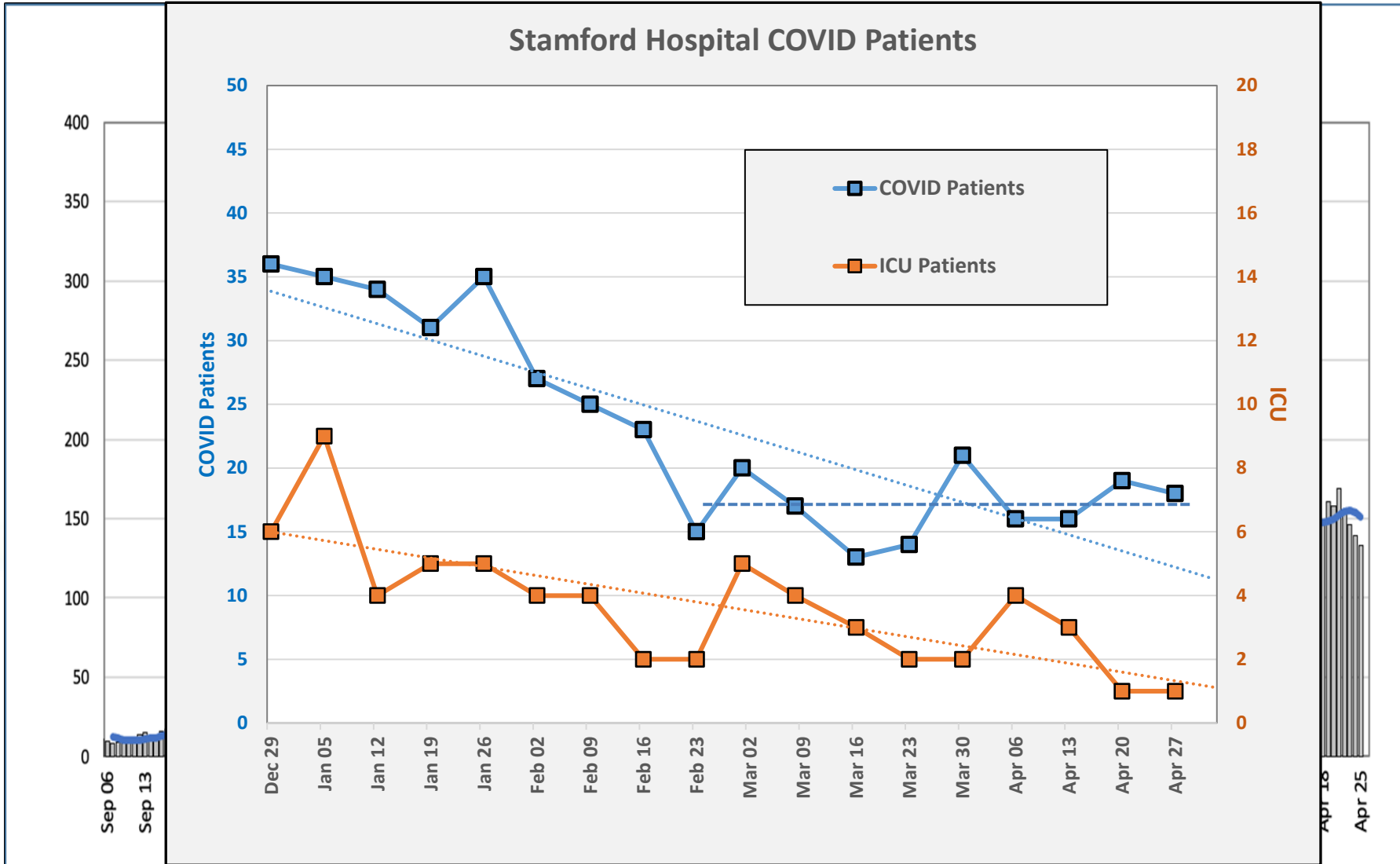


29 cases per day

2 Stamford Fatalities This Last Week

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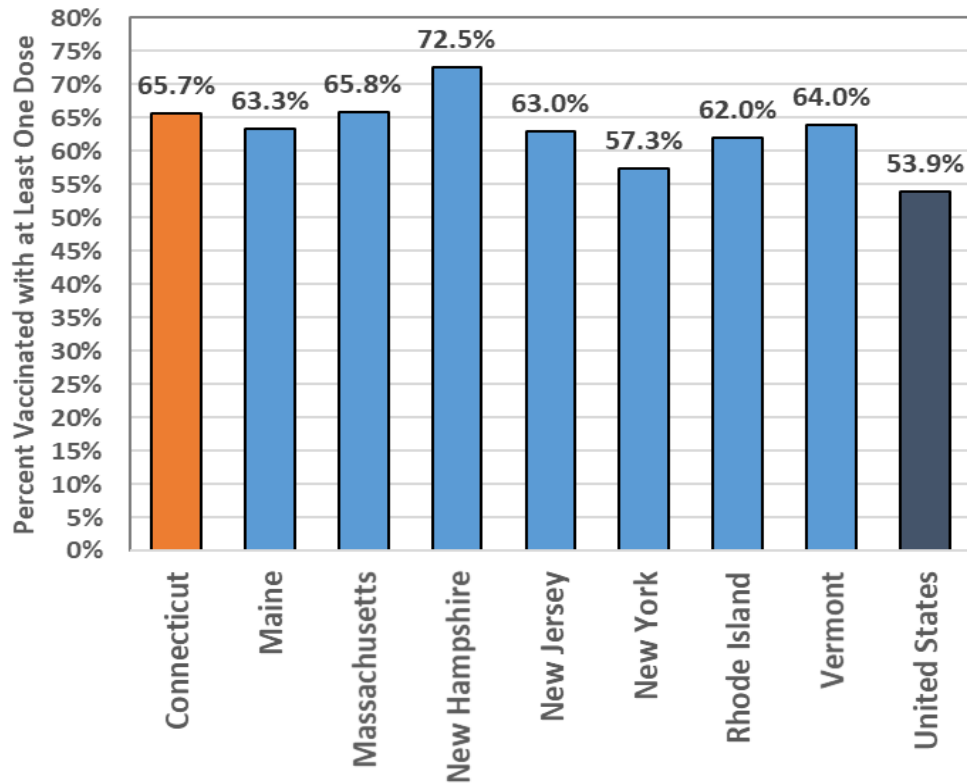
Hospitalization Rate



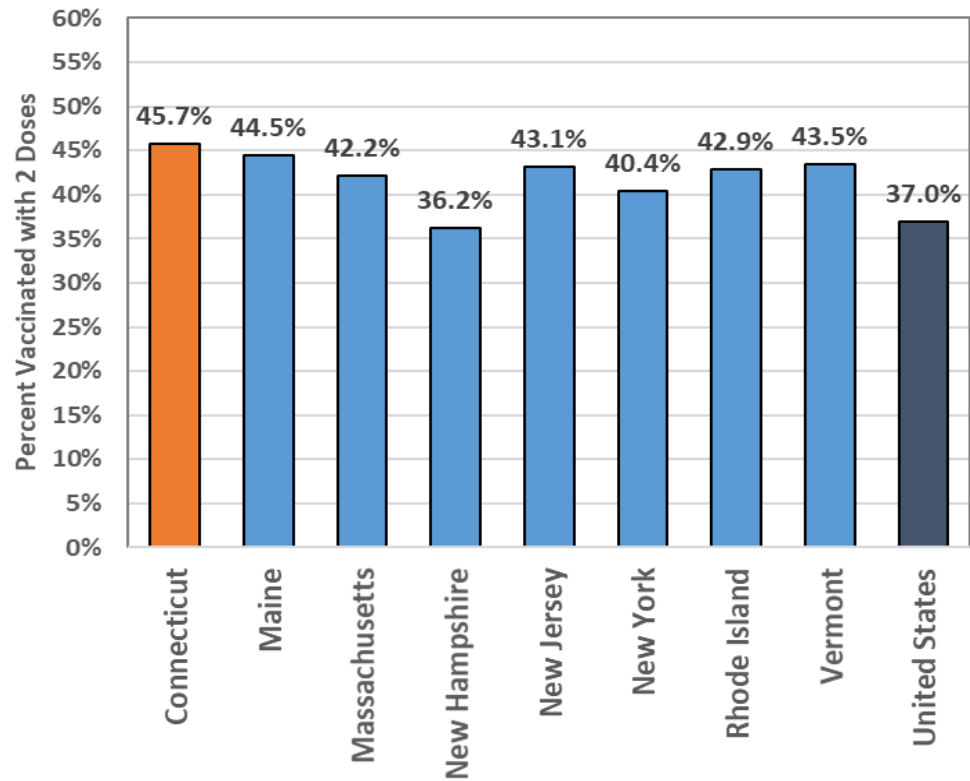
State of Connecticut: Covid 19 Vaccination Rate



Percent >18 Vaccinated At Least One Dose Northeast States

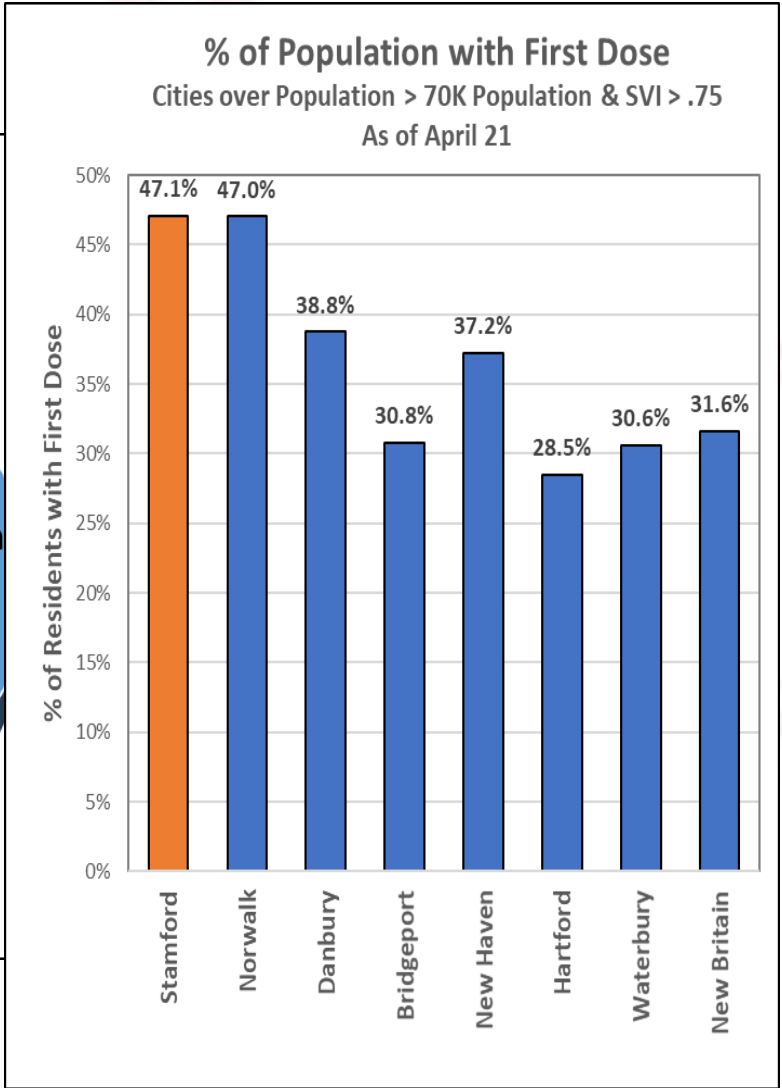
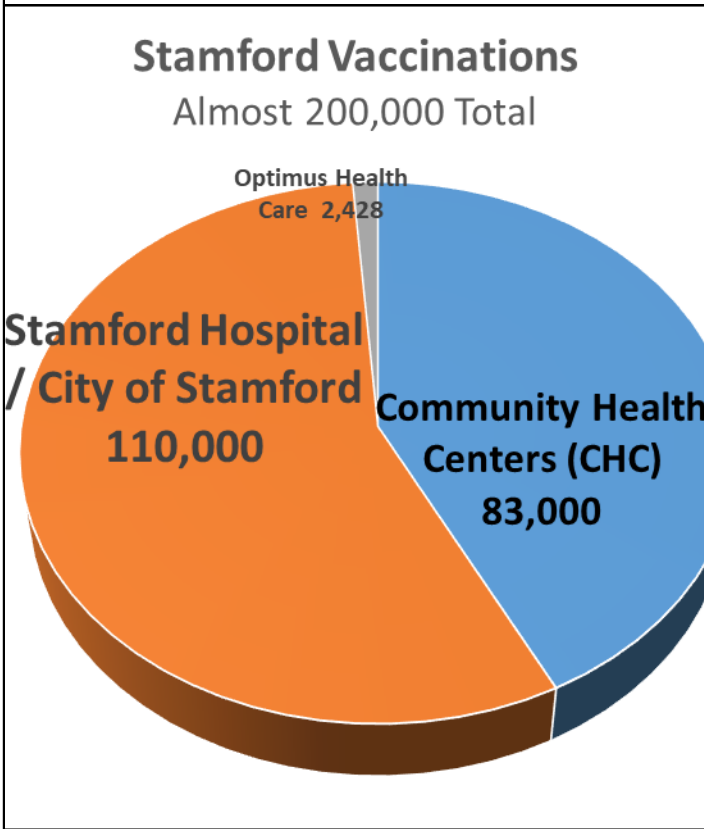
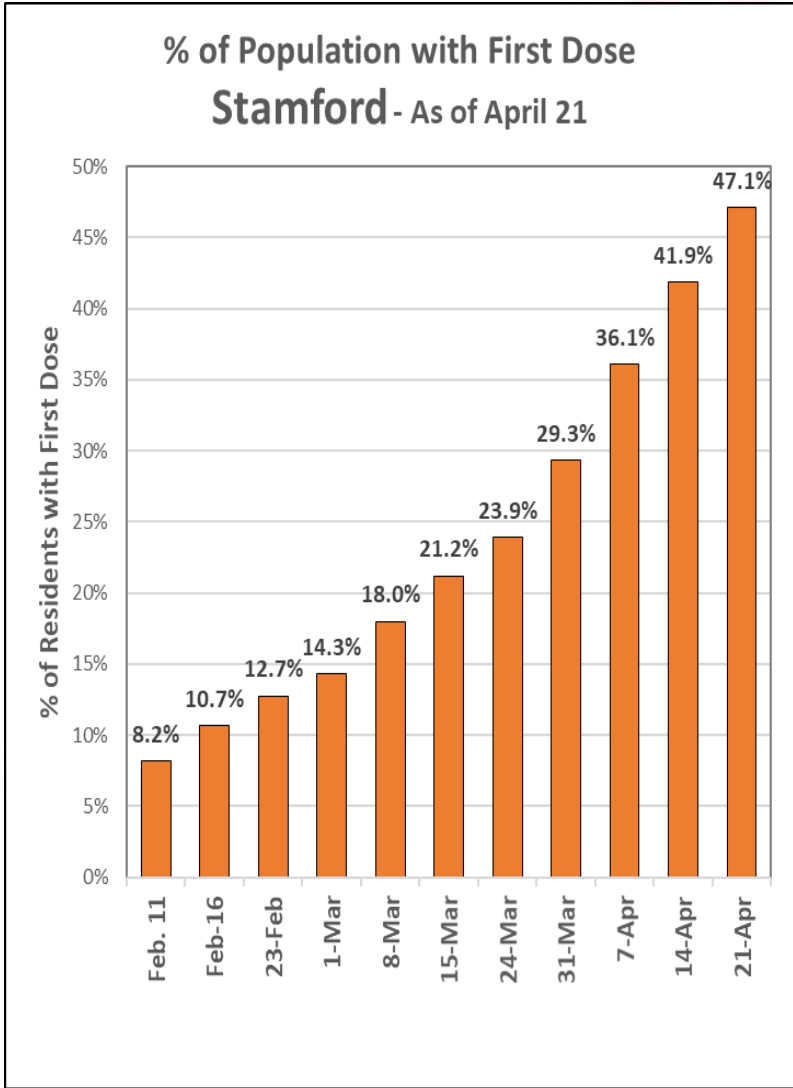


Percent >18 Vaccinated Fully Vaccinated Northeast States



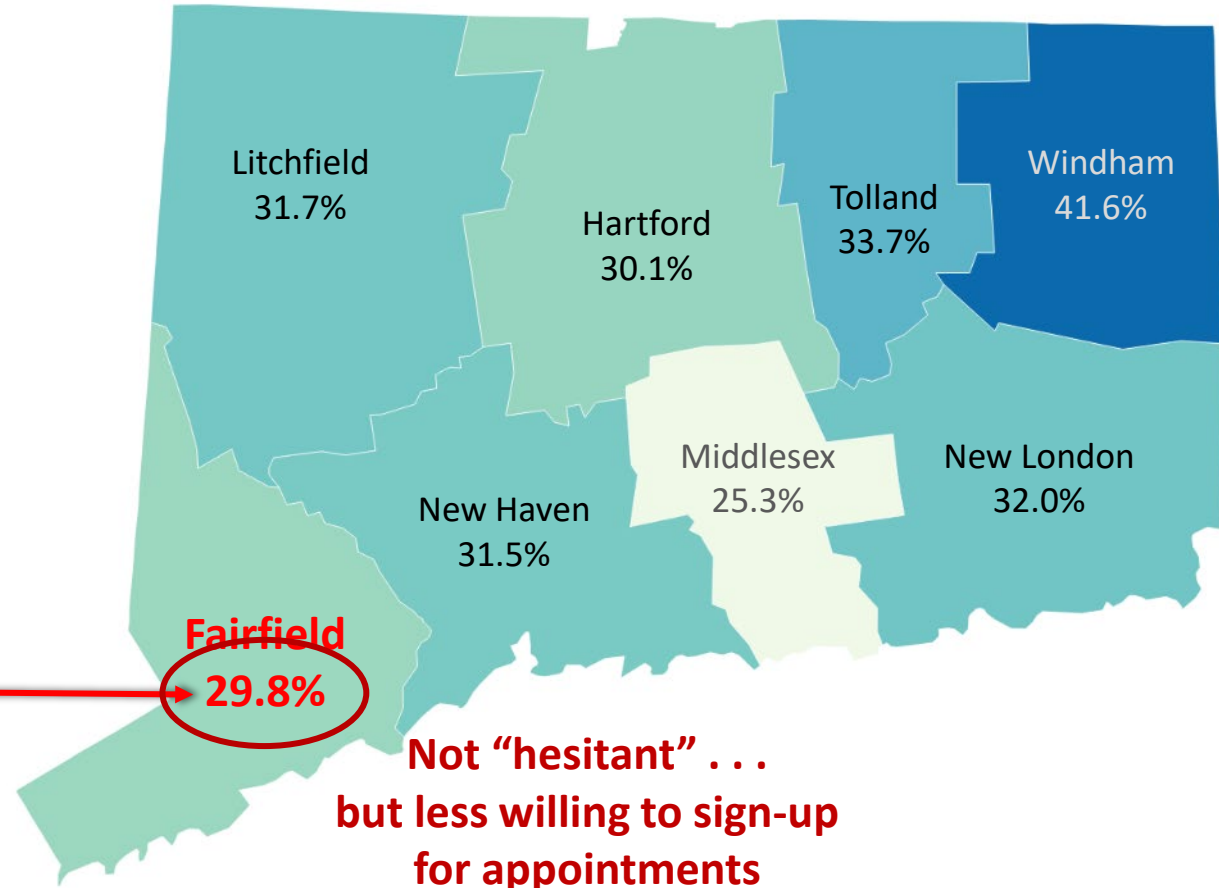
Source: Center for Disease Control
Data updated 4/26

State of the City: COVID19 Vaccinations



State of the City: COVID19

Outstanding Adult (16+) Non-Hesitant Population – First Dose Coverage



Fairfield County	
Total Population (>16)	100.0%
<i>Less</i>	
Coverage - 1 st Dose	61.2 %
Vaccine Hesitant	<u>~ 9.0 %</u>
Unvaccinated, Non-Hesitant	29.8 %

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Evolving Vaccine “Take the Shot” Strategy



Pop-Up Vaccination Sites this Week

No Appointment Required

- **Grace Daycare and Learning Center / Holy Name Church**

- Sunday May 2
- Sponsored by Grace Daycare and Learning Center, Holy Name Church, The City of Stamford and Griffin Health/State of Connecticut
- 369 Washington Boulevard at Henry Street
- 2pm – 5pm
- Moderna Vaccine; Second Dose May 30
- Age 18+, Must Live or Work in Connecticut

- **Stamford YMCA**

- May 3 and May 7
- Sponsored by CHC, Stamford YMCA, Stamford Senior Center and the City of Stamford
- 10 Bell Street
- 10am – 3pm
- Sign Up Using Link on City Website or Walk In
- Pfizer Vaccine; Second Dose May 24 and May 28
- Age 16+, Must Live or Work in Connecticut



Upcoming Pop-Up Sites

- **Concerned Clergy/Charter School for Excellence/Sacred Heart Church**
 - 1 Schuyler Avenue
 - May 15
 - 10am – 3pm
- **Building One Community**
 - 75 Selleck Street
 - May 16
 - 10am – 3pm
- **Bethel AME**
 - Location and Details to follow
 - May 22



CHC Sites: *No Appointment Required*

- Lord & Taylor Mass Vaccination Site and 22 Fifth Street
 - Walk Up or Drive Up at Both Sites
 - Or, Register online at chc1.com or Call 877-918-2224

Scheduling a Vaccine Appointment

You can schedule your COVID-19 vaccine through the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention's (CDC's) Vaccine Administration Management System (VAMS) or by calling 877-918-2224 or 211 **or walk in without an appointment.** Please do not call CHC to book an appointment.

[Click here to self-register online](#)

[Click here for an instructional video about enrolling in VAMS.](#)

[Click here for an instructional video about how to register and schedule your appointment.](#)

If you schedule through 211, you will schedule your second dose appointment at the same time you schedule your first dose. If you schedule through VAMS, you should return to VAMS to schedule your second dose.

We will attempt to bill your insurance for the vaccine, however if you do not have insurance this will not prevent you from getting the vaccine. Individuals will not be billed.

Wondering what to expect after you get your vaccine? [Click here for information from the Public Health Collaborative.](#) Also available in Spanish.



Free CHC Walk Up Clinic This Weekend

No Appointment Required

- Cove Island Park – Saturday May 1 and Sunday May 2
 - Sponsored by CHC and the City of Stamford
 - 10am – 4pm
 - Johnson & Johnson Vaccine Administered
 - Age 18+, Must Live or Work in Connecticut



Update on Johnson & Johnson Vaccine

- The Department of Health is confident in its recommendation residents can use the J&J vaccine as a safe means of developing immunity to the COVID-19 virus.
- Safety data currently available suggests
 - The risk of developing blood clots after being vaccinated with the J&J vaccine is very low.
 - Approximately 0.0001% or a one in a million chance.
 - While we know from other sources that this risk increases to approximately 21% after infection with SARS CoV-2 virus (“COVID-19”)
 - 210,000 in a million chance
- In addition to this recent safety data, the Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices (ACIP), U.S. Food and Drug Administration (FDA), and Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) on April 23, recommended resuming the use of the J&J vaccine.
- Therefore, we agree the benefits of the J&J vaccine greatly outweigh the risks.

The logo for Johnson & Johnson, featuring the company name in a red, cursive script font.

COVID-19 Restrictions for Businesses

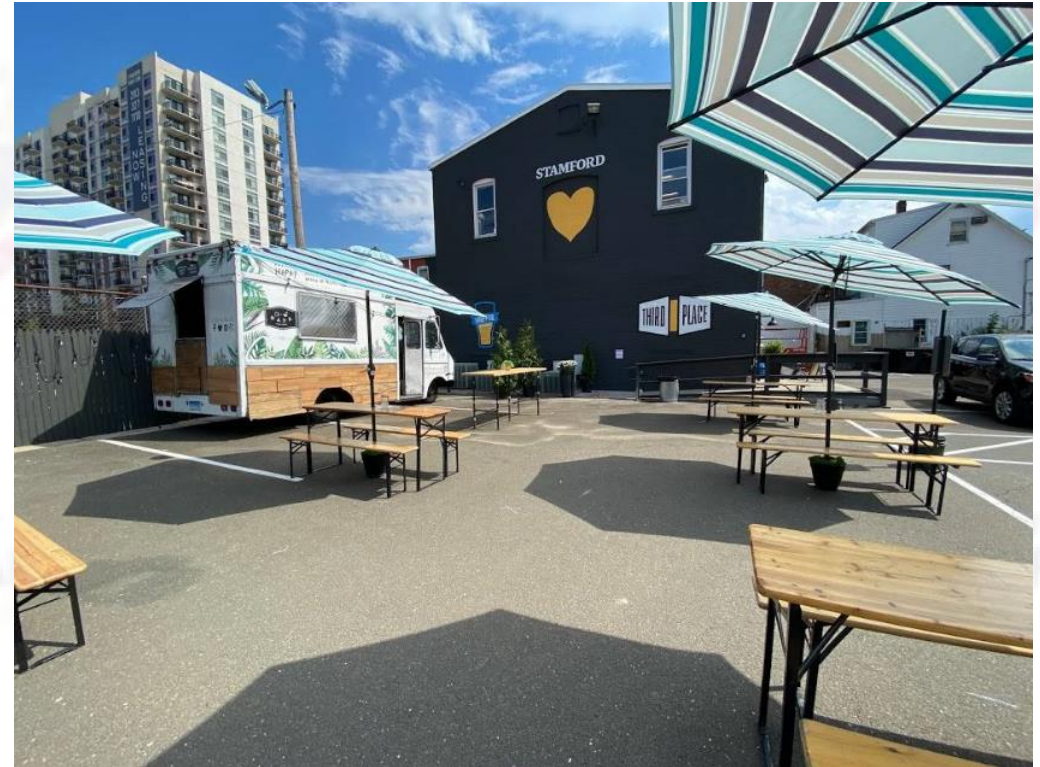
General Recommendations

- Businesses/organizations should continue to support local public health contact tracing efforts, such as maintaining a log of employees on-premises over time.
- Employers should continue to encourage employees to stay home when sick and encourage working from home when possible. In the event of a positive COVID-19 case, employees shall inform their employers and follow state testing and contact tracing protocols.
- Businesses have the right to refuse service from customers not wearing masks.
- Social distance markers, signage, and one-way traffic are still encouraged.
- In terms of ventilation, facilities should work to increase the percentage of outdoor air that circulates into the system where possible, or use window units.
- Businesses are still encouraged to post clear signage that includes the state hotline (211) for employees and customers to report potential violations of these rules.

COVID-19 Restrictions for Businesses

Effective May 1, 2021:

- All restaurants, entertainment, recreation, and theaters will be subject to a 12:00 AM closing time.
- Food Service continues to be required with alcohol service indoors—indoor bars that only serve beverages must remain closed.
 - No standing bar services is allowed indoors, outside of private events.
 - Tables continue to be subject to an 8-person capacity limit indoors.
- Food Service will no longer be required with alcohol service outdoors—outdoor bars that only serve beverages may open.
 - Standing bar service is allowed outdoors.
 - There will no longer be an 8-person table limit outdoors.



COVID-19 Restrictions for Businesses

Effective May 19, 2021:

- Contingent upon sufficiently low rates of infections and increasing vaccination rates, all remaining business restrictions will be lifted.
- The Department of Public Health will issue recommendations for indoor and other large outdoor events, such as concerts, as well as clarify where masking will continue after May 19.



SBA Grants – Restaurant Revitalization

- The U.S. Small Business Administration will begin registrations on Friday, April 30, 2021, at 9 a.m. EDT and open applications on Monday, May 3, 2021, at noon EDT for the Restaurant Revitalization Fund.
- The online application will remain open to any eligible establishment until all funds are exhausted.
- SBA may provide funding of up to \$5,000,000 per location (not to exceed \$10,000,000 total) for Applicants who meet eligibility requirements.
- The minimum funding amount will be \$1,000.



SBA Grants – Restaurant Revitalization

- Priority in Awarding Funds Schedule
 - Days 1 - 21: SBA will accept applications from all eligible Applicants. During this period, SBA will distribute funds only for approved applications where the Applicant has self-certified that it meets the eligibility requirements for a small business concern owned by women, veterans, or socially and economically disadvantaged individuals.
 - Days 22 – End of program: SBA will accept applications from all eligible Applicants and distribute funds in the order in which applications are approved by SBA.





SBA Grants – Restaurant Revitalization

Get access to the RRF details at an info. session

Wednesday, April 28 @ 10am (*Spanish speaking event*)

<https://www.sba.gov/RRFenespanol>

Wednesday, April 28 @ 2pm (*Chinese/Mandarin speaking event*)

<https://www.eventbrite.com/RRFmandarin>

Thursday, April 29 @ 9:30am in collaboration w/ the CT Small Business Development Center

https://ctsfdc.uconn.edu/news_events/restaurant-revitalization-fund-overview-april-29/

Friday, April 30 @ 11am in collaboration w/ the Community Economic Development Fund

<https://www.cedf.com/training/2021/04/30/restaurant-revitalization-fund-opening/>

Wednesday, May 5 @9:30am in collaboration w/ the Women's Development Business Council

<https://May5/RRFopening/WBDC>

Thursday, May 6 @ 9:30am in collaboration w/ the CT Small Business Development Center

https://ctsfdc.uconn.edu/news_events/restaurant-revitalization-fund-overview-may-6/

SBA Grants – Restaurant Revitalization

Eligible entities are businesses that are not permanently closed and include businesses where the public or patrons assemble for the primary purpose of being served food or drink including:

- Restaurants
- Food stands, food trucks, food carts
- Caterers
- Bars, saloons, lounges, taverns
- Other similar places of business in which the public or patrons assemble for the primary purpose of being served food or drink
- *Bakeries
- *Brewpubs, tasting rooms, taprooms
- *Breweries and/or microbreweries



Drinks Are On Us!

- Have you been vaccinated? Then you're eligible for a free drink!
- Participating Connecticut restaurants are offering one free alcoholic or non-alcoholic drink to customers who show their vaccine card between May 19-31.
- Food purchase will be required, the limit of one drink per person.
- Here's a list of restaurants participating in #CTDrinksOnUs.
 - More info
<https://www.ctvisit.com/articles/DrinksOnUs>
- *Please note: each individual restaurant will determine which drinks are "on them." Please Drink Responsibly.*



#TakeTheShot

Tag us on Instagram!
@CityofStamfordCT



Mayor David Martin



Local Stamford resident

<https://www.instagram.com/p/CNICjEII06/>



Connecticut State Representative
Matt Blumenthal



(left to right) Stamford Board of Representatives Members Susan Nabel, Mary Lisa Fedeli, Monica DiConstanza, and Bob Lion



(left to right) UConn Student President Michael Hernandez and UConn Student Mike Cerulli



Local Stamford Resident

<https://www.instagram.com/p/CMnoF9dFgDS/>



At Building One Community

All information updated on our new website



Covid-19 Vaccine - 3/19/21
Vaccines are now available for residents who are 45 years and older. [Click for more information.](#)



City Jobs Subscribe Livestream

RESIDENTS GOVERNMENT AROUND TOWN BUSINESS **SERVICE FINDER**

COVID-19 VACCINE INFORMATION

Vaccines are now available for residents who are 45 years and older. Click Here for to learn how to get the vaccine

[READ MORE](#)

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- COVID-19 VACCINES
- BEACH PERMITS
- PARKING TICKETS
- PROPERTY TAXES

Sign Up at Stamford Mass Vaccination Locations



Stamford Health
Stamford Health has vaccination sites at Stamford Hospital and 1 Elmcroft Rd.

Sign Up Now

Residents can also book an appointment by calling 203.276.7300. Visit [Stamfordhealth.org](https://stamfordhealth.org) for more information.



Community Health Center
CHC drive-through COVID-19 Vaccination Clinic is in the parking lot of Lord & Taylor, 110 High Ridge Road.

No Appointment Needed!

Residents can also book an appointment by calling 877.918.2224 or 211.

Note: As of, April 26th, no appointments are needed for CHC pop up vaccinations sites.

When arriving for your vaccine appointment, please be sure to enter the Lord and Taylor Parking lot on Long Ridge Road. [Visit the CHC Vaccine Page](#) for more information.

Free Pop Up Vaccine Events

[Today](#) | [Next 7 days](#) | [Next 30 days](#) | [All Upcoming](#) | [All Past](#) | [All](#)

EVENT	DATE/TIME
Free COVID-19 Vaccine Event	05/02/2021 2:00 PM - 5:00 PM



Vaccines are rolling out...



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

Protect your community



Think of the health of your family, wear a mask.

Wear Mask Over Nose & Mouth

PROTECT YOUR COMMUNITY



STAY 6ft APART

Social Distancing

STOP:



Did you wash your hands for 20 seconds?

They may still be dirty. Wash for 20 seconds to stop the spread of the virus.

Frequent Handwashing

NO LARGE GATHERINGS/PARTIES