



Week in Review
April 26, 2021

Continuing Education!

<http://www.immunizedelaware.org/for-professionals/continuing-education-events/>

COVID-19 Vaccine Provider Information

Want to administer the COVID-19 vaccine? Find out how here:

<https://coronavirus.delaware.gov/vaccine/vaccine-information-for-medical-providers/>

Coronavirus:

CDC Situation Summary: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>

COVIDView: A weekly surveillance summary of US COVID-19 activity:

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/covid-data/covidview/index.html>

Confirmed Cases -

Delaware		Within 50 United States		Worldwide Cases	
Total	103,222	Total	32,077,477	Total	147,238,543
Deaths	1,616	Deaths	572,200	Deaths	3,110,511

Delaware (<https://myhealthycommunity.dhss.delaware.gov/locations/state>)

- NCC 60,970; KC 17,065; SC 24,973
- Hospitalizations: 159, critical: 22
- Delaware Specific COVID-Vaccine Information (de.gov/covidvaccine)
 - o [DPH](#) Statement on lifting J&J pause
- Delaware Vaccine Release Tracker ([MyHealthyCommunity](#))
 - o Delaware is administering vaccine to any resident over the age of 16
 - o As of April 25, Delaware has administered 700,859 doses of the COVID-19 vaccine (264,475 are fully vaccinated (27.6%), and 394,765 have had at least one dose (41.2%)).

United States

- Clinical [trial](#) of therapeutics for severely ill hospitalized COVID-19 patients begins
- [Michigan](#) became hotspot as variants rose and vigilance fell
- [NIH](#): COVID-19 vaccine responses to be studied in people with immune deficits

World

- [South Africa](#) records 1,637 COVID-19 infections
- Virus 'swallowing' people in [India](#); crematoriums overwhelmed

- [WHO](#): COVID-19 continues to disrupt essential health services in 90% of countries

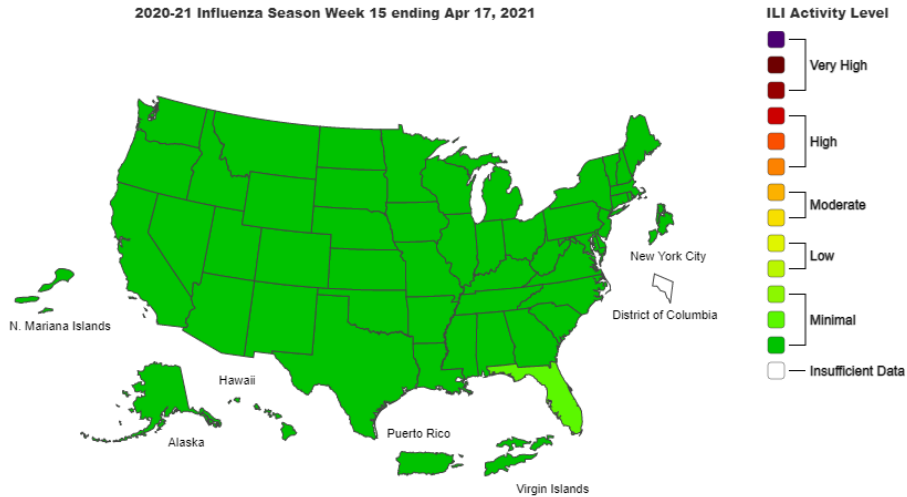


2020-2021 Flu Season

Week 15 (April 11 - 15, 2021)

United States

Seasonal influenza activity in the United States remains lower than usual for this time of year. ILI activity levels may be impacted by the COVID-19 pandemic and should be interpreted with caution.



Delaware (Sporadic)

There have been 21 laboratory confirmed cases of influenza in Delaware so far this season.

Location	This Week	2020-2021 Season
Statewide	2	23
New Castle	1	5
Kent	1	14
Sussex	0	4
Hospitalizations	0	1
Deaths	0	1

Flu News

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<https://wwwnc.cdc.gov/eid>

WHO Disease Outbreak News (<https://www.who.int/emergencies/disease-outbreak-news>)

- 4/14: Saudi Arabia – MERS-CoV

CDC Current Outbreak List (<https://www.cdc.gov/outbreaks/index.html>)

- *Salmonella* – Wild Songbirds
- *Salmonella* – Ground Turkey

Travel Notices

- April
 - o COVID-19
 - Very High – Bermuda, Cameroon, India, the Bahamas
 - High – Zambia, Ghana, Senegal, French Polynesia
 - Moderate – Guam, Nepal, Guernsey, Timor-Leste, Sri Lanka
 - Low – Montserrat, Thailand
 - Unknown – Suriname, French Polynesia, North Korea, Jersey
 - o Rabies – Haiti
 - o Volcanic Eruption – St. Vincent & the Grenadines
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In other news...

- [Ebola](#) in Guinea: 23 cases, 12 deaths.
- Impending [measles](#) outbreak looms over Africa over vaccination stalls
- Second [measles](#) case confirmed in Connecticut
- WHO launches effort to eradicate [malaria](#) in 25 countries by 2025

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