

Week in Review November 23, 2020

Continuing Education!

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

2019 Novel 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.html (Note: due to new reporting procedures, CDC data may be out of date)

Confirmed Cases -

Within 50 United States		Worldwide Cases	
Total	12,249,528	Total	58,751,191
Deaths	256,798	Deaths	1,389,770
Recovered	4,526,513	Recovered	37,559,450

Delaware (https://de.gov/coronavirus)

- Cases: 31,808 (NCC 17,587; KC 4,439; SC 9,682)
- Hospitalizations: 177, deaths: 748, recovered: 15,890
- Weekly COVID Update, November 20

United States

- COVID-19 Vaccine Candidates (Mass Gen FLARE)
- NIH Expands Research to Improve COVID-19 Testing Among Underserved and Vulnerable Populations (NIH)
- Why Moderna May Have an Edge in the Vaccine Race: Refrigeration (<u>National</u> Geographic)

World

- China Tests Millions After Coronavirus Flare Ups in Three Cities (<u>US News</u>)
- COVID-19: Oxford University Vaccine is Highly Effective (BBC News)
- Spain's Vaccination Plan to Kick Off in January (<u>US News</u>)
- We Are Facing an Unprecedented Global Challenge to Protect Every Country from COVID-19 (<u>The Telegraph</u>)



2020-2021 Flu Season

Week 46 (November 8-14, 2020)

United States

Seasonal influenza activity in the United States remains lower than usual for this time of year.



Delaware (Sporadic)

There has been one laboratory confirmed case of influenza in Delaware.

Location	This Week	2020-2021 Season
Statewide	0	1
New Castle	0	0
Kent	0	1
Sussex	0	0
Subtype		
A/2009 H1N1	0	0
A/2012 H3N2	0	0
A/no subtype	0	0
Co-infection	0	0
B/Yamagata	0	0
B/Victoria	0	0
B/no subtype	0	1
Hospitalizations	0	0
Deaths	0	0

Flu Clinics

Delaware Division of Public Health Flu Clinics can be found by visiting <u>flu.delaware.gov</u>, or checking out the information below. <u>Beebe</u> and <u>Tidal Health</u> are also holding their own clinics.

This week:

- Monday, 11/23
 - 10a-2p: Epworth UMC, 19285 Holland Glade Road, Rehoboth Beach
- Adams, Hudson, Milford, Porter, Shipley, and Williams State Service Centers, by appointment only, Monday Friday, 9:00 am 3:00 pm.
- TidalHealth Immediate Care (Walk-in)
 - 100 Rawlins Dr., Seaford (302-536-5415)
 - 503 W. Market St., Georgetown (302-856-7099)
 - o 30549 Sussex Hwy., Laurel (302-715-5214)

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December 2020 – Volume 26, Number 12 – Zoonotic Infections https://wwwnc.cdc.gov/eid

WHO Disease Outbreak News (www.who.int/csr/don/en/)

- 11/17: Lao People's Democratic Republic – Avian Influenza A(H5N1)

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

Travel Notices

- November
 - COVID-19 Very High: Cuba, the Gambia, Bahrain, Lesotho, Saudi Arabia,
 Zambia, Armenia
 - o COVID-19 Alert: St. Lucia, British Virgin Islands, Benin

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In other news...

- Brazil measles: Ongoing Outbreaks in Pará, Rio de Janeiro and São Paulo States (Outbreak)
- Brazil: Ribeirão Preto Dengue Cases Top 17K, Exceeds All Of 2019 (Outbreak)
- Shigella Experimental Vaccine: Intravacc Publishes Positive Phase I Data (Outbreak)
- South Africa Reports 3 Measles Cases: 'Warrants Heightened Attention' (Outbreak)
- WHO and Other Stakeholders Join Forces To Accelerate Access To Effective Paediatric HIV And Tuberculosis Diagnostics And Medicines (WHO)

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