COVID-19

Harrison County, MS

258 deaths
4% of cases statewide

16,117 cases
5.6% of cases statewide

Harrison County ranks #3 in deaths and #2 in cases statewide

COVID-19 Risk Level

Extremely High

This site level is provided by the New York Times and is based on county population and test positivity. 

Cases in Harrison County 2021

COVID-19 risk is not equal for all people in Harrison County

% of Population % of COVID-19 Cases % of COVID-19 Deaths

Unknown 1.1% 21.1% 31.1%

Other 6% 4.4% 7.7%

American Indian or Alaska Native 0.6% 0.6% 0.6%

Asian 0.7% 0.7% 0.7%

White 27.9% 21.9% 37.5%

Black 26.5% 26.5% 26.5%

Harrison County is home to

48 industrial facilities that release
4.5 million pounds of toxic pollution a year

Exposure to air pollution is linked to increased risk of death from COVID-19

Data from the Environmental Justice Atlas
Data from the Environmental Protection Agency
Data from the American Lung Association

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