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*Testing data from 10/8-10/21

8.4 tests conducted per 1,000 residents

13.7% of tests were positive

Harrison County, I





15.3% **UNINSURED**



23.9% <18 YEARS OLD



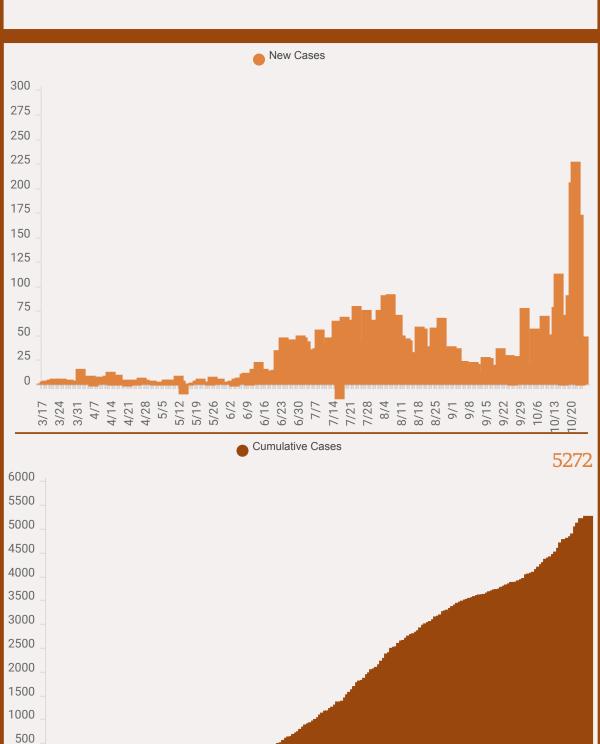
≥ 65 YEARS



Harrison County ranks #9 in deaths and #3 in cases statewide

84 deaths 2.6% of deaths statewide

5272 cases 4.6% of cases statewide



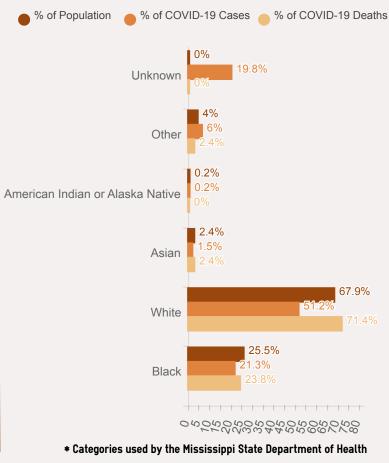
COVID-19 risk is not equal for all people in Harrison County

3/17 3/31 4/7 4/7 4/2 4/2 4/2 4/2 6/2 6/2 6/2 6/2 6/2 6/2 6/2 7/15 7/15 7/15 8/15 8/15 8/16 8

A Black person in Harrison County is

1.1

more likely to test positive for COVID-19 than a White person



Harrison County is home to





million pounds of toxic pollution each year

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



Population data from American Community Survey COVID-19 case and mortality data from Mississippi State Department of Health Testing data from Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services via MSDH (based on Mississippi electronic laboratory reporting data) COVID-19 dashboard, LAST UPDATED 10/26/20 Pollution data from EPA Toxic Release Inventory, 2018