COVID-19
Orleans Parish, LA

15,208 cases (7.5% statewide)
381 deaths (16.3% statewide)

Out of every 1,000 residents, 23.6% are living in poverty.

93% are uninsured.

20% are < 18 years old.

14.7% are ≥ 65 years old.

New cases per day peaked at 878 cases on 4/2/20

New deaths per day peaked at 32 deaths on 4/14/20

17 neighborhood areas (tracts) have more than 150 cases.

A Black person in New Orleans is

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

1.8 TIMES more likely to die from COVID-19 than a White person

The New Orleans Metropolitan Area is home to

79% industrial and commercial establishments

45.3 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 2019
COVID-19 cases, testing and deaths data from Louisiana Department of Health (https://www.ldoh.la.gov)

Polk County Data 80% Title Release Survey, 2008