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55.1 tests conducted per 1,000 residents *Testing data for week of 12/14-12/20

4.1% average positivity rate

Orleans Parish, LA



23.8% **POVERTY RATE**



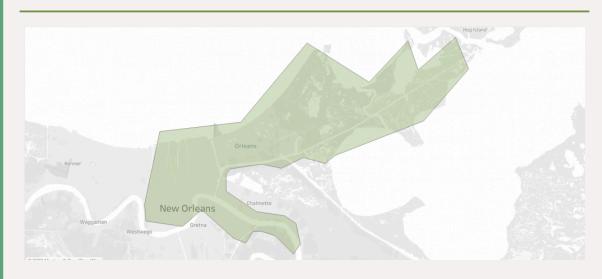
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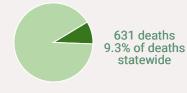
20% <18 YEARS OLD

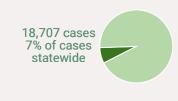


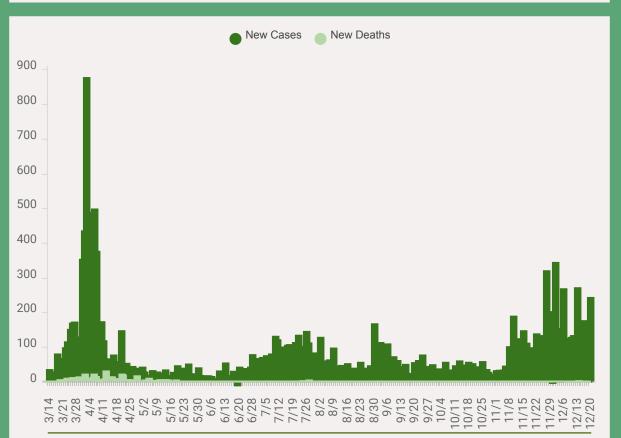
14.7% ≥ 65 YEARS OLD



Orleans Parish ranks # 1 in deaths and #3 in cases statewide







Previous Month Test Positivity in Orleans Parish Daily Positivity Rate 7 Day Rolling Average



people in New Orleans 8 neighborhood areas (census tracts) have more than 300 cases 5 are in New Orleans East

COVID-19 risk is not equal for all

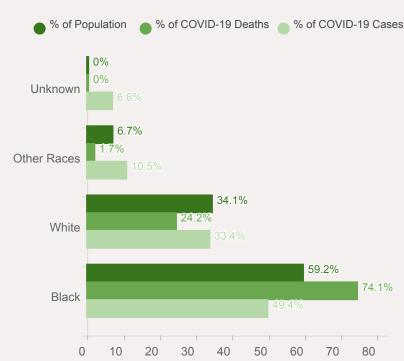


New Orleans is

A Black person in

1.8 TIMES

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



facilities that

release



The New Orleans Metropolitan Area is home to

million pounds of toxic pollution each year

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

