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NH DHHS COVID-19 Update – May 3, 2021

Concord, NH – The New Hampshire Department of Health and Human Services (DHHS) has issued the following update on the new coronavirus, COVID-19.

On Monday, May 3, 2021, DHHS announced 161 new positive test results for COVID-19. Today's results include 90 people who tested positive by PCR test and 71 who tested positive by antigen test. There are now 1,979 current COVID-19 cases diagnosed in New Hampshire.

Several cases are still under investigation. Additional information from ongoing investigations will be incorporated into future COVID-19 updates. Of those with complete information, there are forty individuals under the age of 18 and the rest are adults with 48% being female and 52% being male. The new cases reside in Rockingham (39), Hillsborough County other than Manchester and Nashua (29), Strafford (11), Carroll (10), Grafton (10), Merrimack (9), Sullivan (9), Coos (4), Belknap (3), and Cheshire (3) counties, and in the cities of Nashua (12) and Manchester (11). The county of residence is being determined for eleven new cases.

Community-based transmission continues to occur in the State and has been identified in all counties. Of those with complete risk information, most of the cases have had close contact with a person with a confirmed COVID-19 diagnosis.

There are currently 80 individuals hospitalized with COVID-19. In New Hampshire since the start of the pandemic, there have been a total of 95,506 cases of COVID-19 diagnosed.

Current Situation in New Hampshire

New Hampshire 2019 Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) Summary Report (updated May 3, 2021, 9:00 AM)

NH Persons with COVID-19	95,506
Recovered	92,222 (97%)
Deaths Attributed to COVID-19	1,305 (1%)
Total Current COVID-19 Cases	1,979
Current Hospitalizations	80

The most up-to-date laboratory testing data and positivity rates are available on the COVID-19 dashboards at <https://www.covid19.nh.gov/dashboard/overview>.

For more information, please visit the DHHS COVID-19 webpage at <https://www.covid19.nh.gov/>.

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