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NH DHHS COVID-19 Update – May 24, 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 24, 2021, DHHS announced 52 new positive test results for COVID-19. Today's results include 31 people who tested positive by PCR test and 21 who tested positive by antigen test. There are now 411 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 eleven individuals under the age of 18 and the rest are adults with 44% being female and 56% being male. The new cases reside in Rockingham (11), Hillsborough County other than Manchester and Nashua (9), Carroll (4), Merrimack (4), Strafford (3), Cheshire (2), Grafton (2), Coos (1), and Sullivan (1) counties, and in the cities of Manchester (6) and Nashua (5). The county of residence is being determined for four 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 either had close contact with a person with a confirmed COVID-19 diagnosis or have recently traveled.

There are currently 48 individuals hospitalized with COVID-19. In New Hampshire since the start of the pandemic, there have been a total of 98,349 cases of COVID-19 diagnosed.

Current Situation in New Hampshire

New Hampshire 2019 Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) Summary Report (updated May 24, 2021, 9:00 AM)

NH Persons with COVID-19	98,349
Recovered	96,594 (98%)
Deaths Attributed to COVID-19	1,344 (1%)
Total Current COVID-19 Cases	411
Current Hospitalizations	48

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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