

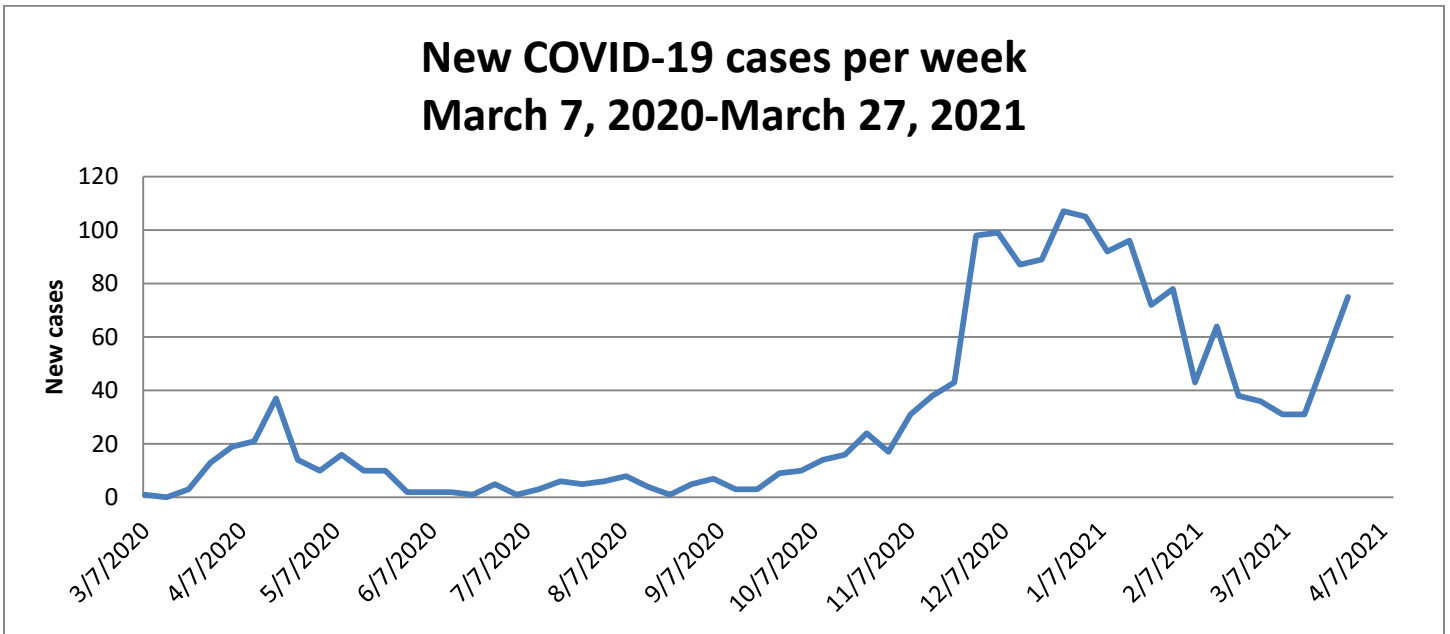
COMMUNITY UPDATE COVID-19

April 2, 2021:

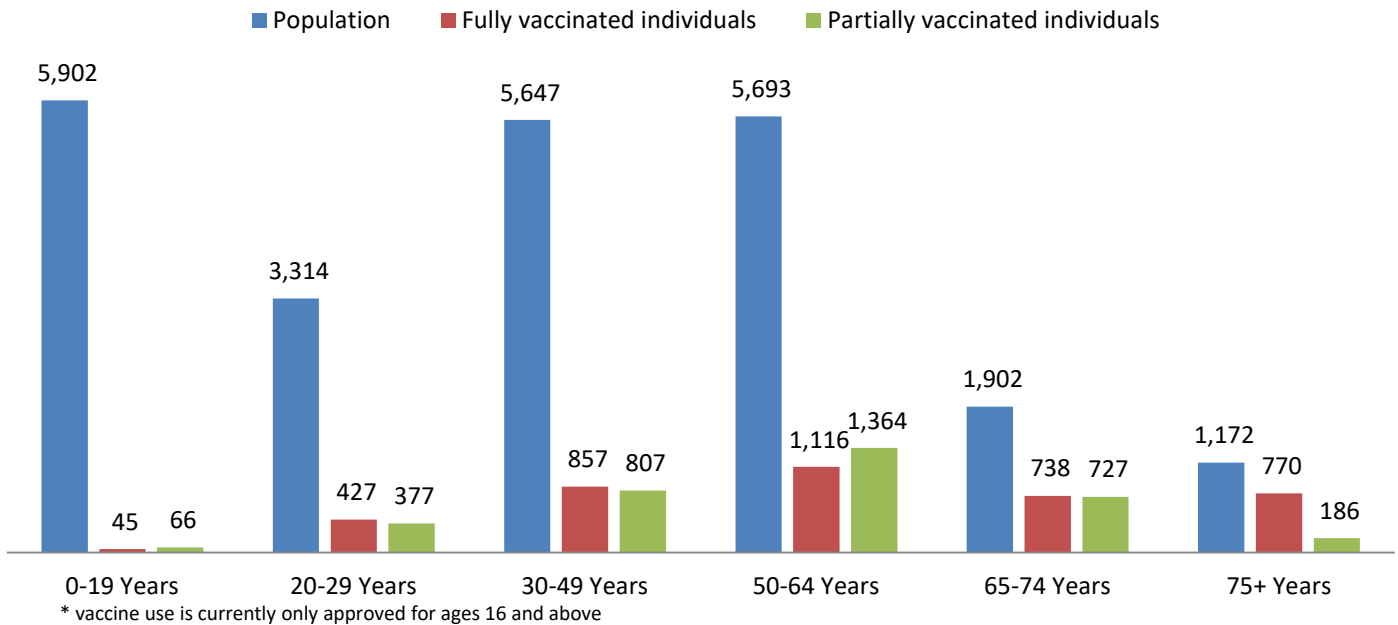
The Town of Mansfield continues its community update on our website with our up to date information and important tips for the public as it relates to the COVID-19 pandemic. For more complete information, please see the town [coronavirus webpage](#).

- **As of today, please see the below chart that represents our communities COVID-19 relates cases:**

<i>Mansfield Covid-19 Workflow</i>	#	
Positive COVID-19 under isolation	74	(updated 4/2 08:00)
Positive Cases recovered	1594	
Total tested positive since beginning:	1691	
Mansfield Community Designation Level	Red	Red-higher risk Yellow- moderate risk Green- lower risk
Covid-19 Related Deaths	23	Last Covid death in Mansfield 03/01/21



Vaccine Distribution in Mansfield as of April 1, 2021



- ### Maintaining Emotional Health & Well-Being

Taking care of your emotional health and well-being during this time is important. [Decreasing stress can help bolster your immune system](#) and can help keep you and others around you healthy. The [Maintaining Emotional Health & Well-Being website](#) contains resources and tips for staying emotionally healthy and well. If you or someone you know are experiencing a mental health crisis find emergency/crisis supports in your area by calling [1 \(877\) 382-1609](tel:18773821609) or visiting the [emergency services web page](#).

- Call 2-1-1 and choose the “CALL2TALK” option.
- Access [MassSupport - Free COVID-19 Counseling and Support](#) by calling 1-888-215-4920, M-F 9am-6pm, or email at MassSupport@riversidecc.org
- [The Massachusetts Network of Care](#) is a searchable behavioral health directory of services and organizations.
- Samaritans is continuing operations 24/7, as always. During this unprecedented time, it can feel overwhelming to receive constant messages about COVID-19. Call or text their 24/7 helpline any time at 877-870-4673.
- The Disaster Distress Helpline, 1-800-985-5990, is a 24/7, 365-day-a-year, national hotline dedicated to providing immediate crisis counseling for people who are experiencing emotional distress related to any natural or human-caused disaster, including disease outbreaks like COVID-19. This toll-free, multilingual, and confidential crisis support service is available to all residents in the United States and its territories.

- If you or a family/household member does not feel safe at home, please call **1-800-799-7233** for live support. If you are unable to speak safely, you can log onto thehotline.org to chat online, or text **LOVEIS** to **22522**.

- **Vaccine Eligibility Timeline**

When can I get a COVID-19 vaccine in MA?

PHASE ONE
In order of priority

- Clinical and non-clinical healthcare workers doing direct and COVID-facing care
- Long term care facilities, rest homes and assisted living facilities
- First responders (EMS, Fire, Police)
- Congregate care settings (including corrections and shelters)
- Home-based healthcare workers
- Healthcare workers doing non-COVID-facing care

PHASE TWO
In order of priority

- Individuals 75+
- Individuals 65+ and individuals with 2+ certain medical conditions (those that are at increased risk for severe illness)
- K-12 educators, K-12 school staff and child care workers
- **MARCH 22:** Individuals 60+ and workers in certain sectors (including transit, grocery, utility, food and agriculture, sanitation, public works and public health workers)
- **APRIL 5:** Individuals 55+ and individuals with one certain medical condition

PHASE THREE
APRIL 19: Individuals age 16+

December - February
Estimated timeframes

February - April

April 19th
Updated 3/17/2021

For more information on vaccine distribution visit Mass.gov/COVIDvaccine

Eligible Monday, April 5, 2021:

- People who are 55 or older
- [People with 1 certain medical condition](#)

- [Steps to Get Your Vaccination](#)

Step 1: Check your eligibility below or [use our tool](#)

Step 2: Preregister for a mass vaccination location or find a location and schedule your appointment

There are different ways to find a vaccine appointment:

- Preregister at VaccineSignUp.mass.gov to be notified when it's your turn to schedule an appointment at one of [7 mass vaccination locations](#).

- Use [VaxFinder.mass.gov](https://vaxfinder.mass.gov) to search for appointments at pharmacies, health care providers, and other community locations

Massachusetts receives a limited supply of COVID-19 vaccine doses from the federal government each week. Due to high demand and very limited supply, it may take several weeks to schedule an appointment or to be notified that an appointment is available at mass vaccination locations.

At this point, the Town does not have any vaccine for public distribution.

Council on Aging staff is available to assist any vaccine-eligible seniors who need help navigating the scheduling process. Please call 508-261-7368.

Step 3: [Prepare for your appointment](#)

- **More Vaccine Information**

Massachusetts vaccine information webpage:

- [Massachusetts COVID-19 vaccination data and updates](#)
- [Sign up for COVID-19 and vaccine alerts](#)
- [MA Vaccine Scheduling Resource Line](#)
- [COVID-19 Vaccine Frequently Asked Questions](#)

CDC vaccine information webpages:

- [Benefits of Getting a COVID-19 Vaccine](#)
- [How COVID-19 Vaccines Work](#)
- [Myths and Misconceptions about COVID-19 Vaccines](#)
- [Frequently Asked Questions about COVID-19 Vaccination](#)

It will take time to get everyone vaccinated. In the meantime...



Wear a mask	Wash your hands
Keep your distance	Avoid groups

 Centers for Disease Control and Prevention
National Center for Health Statistics

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