

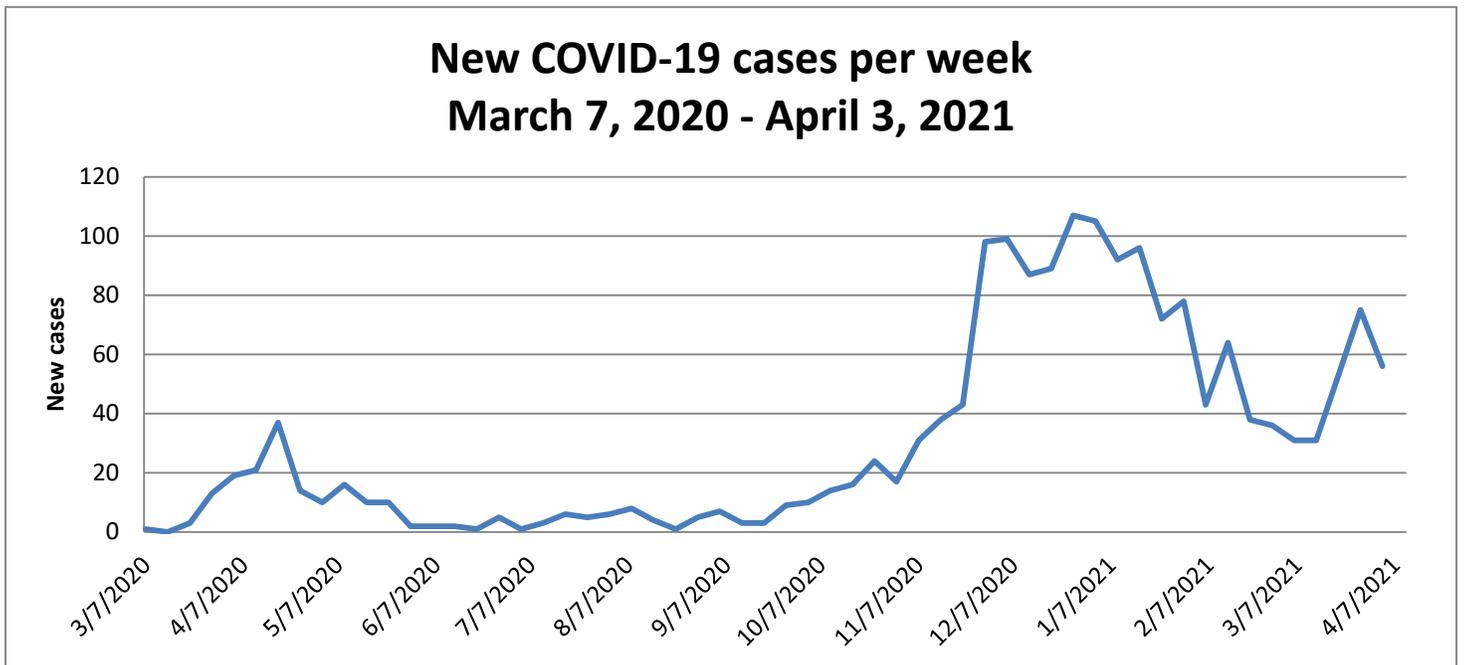
COMMUNITY UPDATE COVID-19

April 5, 2021:

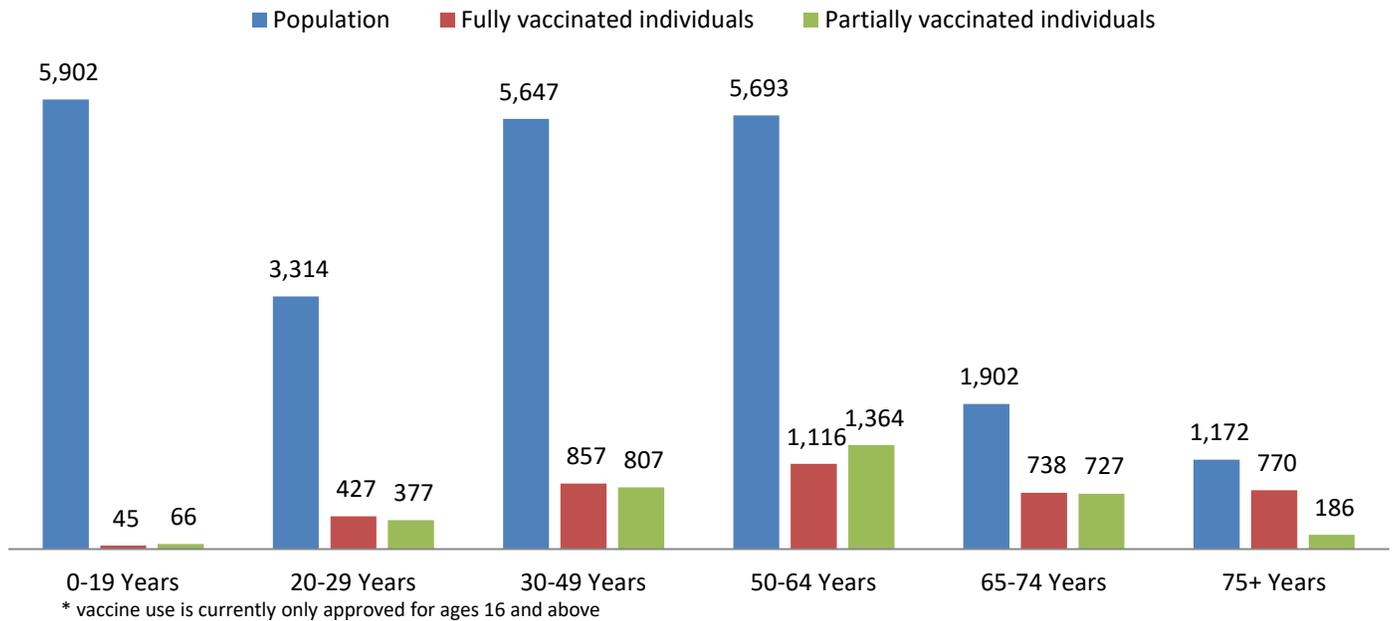
The Town of Mansfield continues its community update on our website with our up to date information and important tips for the public as it relates to the COVID-19 pandemic. For more complete information, please see the town [coronavirus webpage](#).

- **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 | 79 | (updated 4/5 08:00) |
| Positive Cases recovered | 1616 | |
| Total tested positive since beginning: | 1718 | |
| 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



• 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

TODAY Monday, April 5th, residents 55+ and residents with one certain medical condition are eligible to receive vaccine at any of the Commonwealth's over 300 vaccination locations, including 269 pharmacy locations. With this group, more than 1 million additional residents will be eligible for vaccine in the Commonwealth.

The full timeline is available at mass.gov/COVIDVaccinePhases.

The CDC recently updated its [list of conditions](https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/need-extra-precautions/people-with-medical-conditions.html) which can make an individual more likely to get severely ill from COVID-19. <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/need-extra-precautions/people-with-medical-conditions.html>

- Cancer
- Chronic kidney disease
- Chronic lung diseases, including COPD (chronic obstructive pulmonary disease), asthma (moderate-to-severe), interstitial lung disease, cystic fibrosis, and pulmonary hypertension
- Dementia or other neurological conditions
- Diabetes (type 1 or type 2)
- Down syndrome
- Heart conditions (such as heart failure, coronary artery disease, cardiomyopathies or hypertension)
- HIV infection
- Immunocompromised state (weakened immune system)
- Liver disease
- Overweight and obesity (body mass index (BMI) > 25 kg/m²)
- Pregnancy
- Sickle cell disease or thalassemia
- Smoking, current or former
- Solid organ or blood stem cell transplant
- Stroke or cerebrovascular disease, which affects blood flow to the brain
- Substance use disorders

For individuals that have already pre-registered but would like to update their information to reflect the new medical conditions recognized by the CDC and [Massachusetts](#) as of April 5th: The administration is building a feature for individuals to edit their submission that will be made available soon.

- [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 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](#)



A mask is NOT a substitute for staying at least 6 feet away from others. To protect yourself and others from COVID-19, wear a mask that fits snugly against the sides of your face with no gaps and stay at least 6 feet apart.

Learn more: <https://bit.ly/3ee8iP4>.