

## DAILY HIGHLIGHTS

Globally, COVID-19 cases have surpassed 21.54 million with more than 767,000 deaths.

The total number of cases in the U.S. increased from 5,228,817 as reported on Friday 8/14/2020 to 5,382,125 reported today. The number of deaths in the U.S. increased from 166,317 to 169,350.

Leading up to the current COVID-19 public health crisis, many state and federal policies undercut Tribal sovereignty, leaving Tribal healthcare systems underfunded and ill-equipped to respond to the spread of COVID-19 in their communities. In response, Tribes have exercised their inherent sovereignty to implement a range of infection control measures, with community-led initiatives providing creative and nimble solutions to the evolving crisis. This webinar will introduce participants to key principles in Indian law and Tribal public health law, discuss the impact of COVID-19 in Indian Country, and identify response strategies based upon practical experience. The webinar will be held on August 18 from 1:00-2:30 PM EST. Register [here](#).

The Indian Health Service (IHS) is hosting a webinar about childhood and adult immunizations during the COVID-19 pandemic. Childhood and adult vaccinations have been impacted as clinics focus efforts on COVID-19. As everyone prepares for the upcoming school year and quickly approaching flu season, CAPT Thomas Weiser, MD, MPH, along with other presenters will discuss the IHS flu data as well as strategies for ensuring that Native communities are protected against vaccine-preventable diseases. The webinar will be held on August 18, 2020 from 2:00-3:00 PM EDT. Use the following link to attend: <http://ihs.adobeconnect.com/influenzaupdate>.

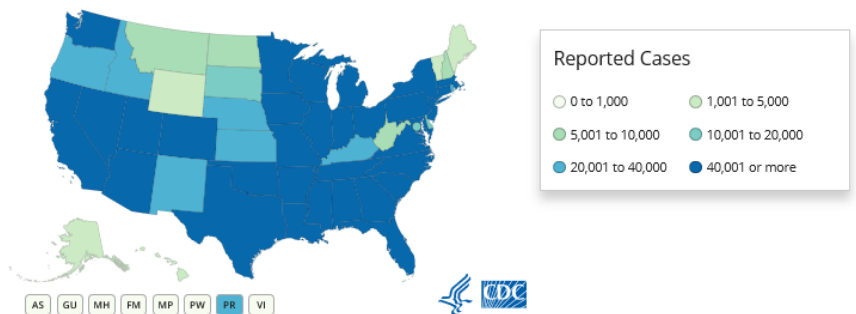
The National Indian Health Board (NIHB) is still offering a pre-application webinar for the Tribal School Readiness mini-grant on Tuesday, August 18, 2020 at 3:30 PM Eastern Time. Register for the webinar [here](#). Please contact Brett Weber at [bweber@nihb.org](mailto:bweber@nihb.org) with any questions.

## UNITED STATES

### COVID-19: U.S. at a Glance\*

- Total cases: 5,382,125
- Total deaths: 169,350
- Jurisdictions reporting cases: 55 (50 states, District of Columbia, Guam, Puerto Rico, the Northern Mariana Islands, and the U.S. Virgin Islands)

\*As of April 14, 2020, CDC case counts and death counts include both confirmed and probable cases and deaths. This change was made to reflect an interim COVID-19 position statement issued by the Council for State and Territorial Epidemiologists on April 5, 2020. The position statement included a case definition and made COVID-19 a nationally notifiable disease.



A confirmed case or death is defined by meeting confirmatory laboratory evidence for COVID-19.

A probable case or death is defined by:

- meeting clinical criteria AND epidemiologic evidence with no confirmatory laboratory testing performed for COVID-19; or
- meeting presumptive laboratory evidence AND either clinical criteria OR epidemiologic evidence; or
- meeting vital records criteria with no confirmatory laboratory testing performed for COVID-19.

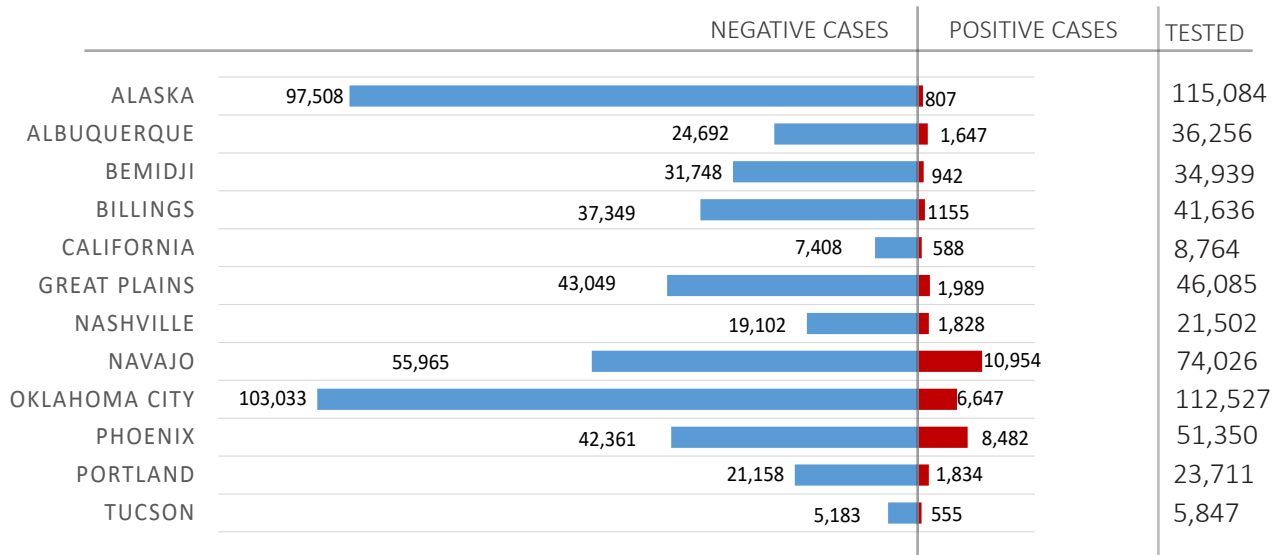
State and local public health departments are now testing and publicly reporting their cases. In the event of a discrepancy between CDC cases and cases reported by state and local public health officials, data reported by states should be considered the most up to date.

### National Laboratory Testing Data (as of 8/14/20)

- Total tests reported: 70,155,956
- Positive tests reported: 6,281,615
- Percent of positive tests: 9%



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\*as of 11:59PM EST August 15, 2020

## CALIFORNIA

As of August 16, 2020, there were a total of 628,031 positive cases and 11,242 deaths in California.

Ages of all confirmed positive cases:

- Age 0-17: 61,538 cases
- Age 18-49: 378,186 cases
- Age 50-64: 119,629 cases
- Age 65 and older: 67,816 cases
- Unknown/Missing: 862 cases

Gender of all confirmed positive cases:

- Female: 315,642 cases
- Male: 305,562 cases
- Unknown: 6,827 cases

Lab tests reported statewide: 9,933,780

Twenty-five public health labs in California are testing samples for COVID-19. These labs include the California Department of Public Health's Laboratory in Richmond, Alameda, Butte, Contra Costa, Fresno, Humboldt, Imperial, Long Beach, Los Angeles, Monterey, Napa-Solano-Yolo-Marin (located in Solano), Orange, Riverside, Sacramento, San Bernardino, San Diego, San Francisco, San Joaquin, San Luis Obispo, San Mateo, Santa Clara, Shasta, Sonoma, Tulare and Ventura County public health laboratories. The Richmond Laboratory will provide diagnostic testing within a 48-hour turnaround time. This means California public health officials will get test results sooner, so that patients will get the best care.

Click [HERE](#) to find your nearest testing site.

## INDIAN HEALTH SERVICE CALIFORNIA AREA

8,764 Tribal or Urban Indian Health Program patients in the California Area have been tested for COVID-19 as of 8/15/2020.

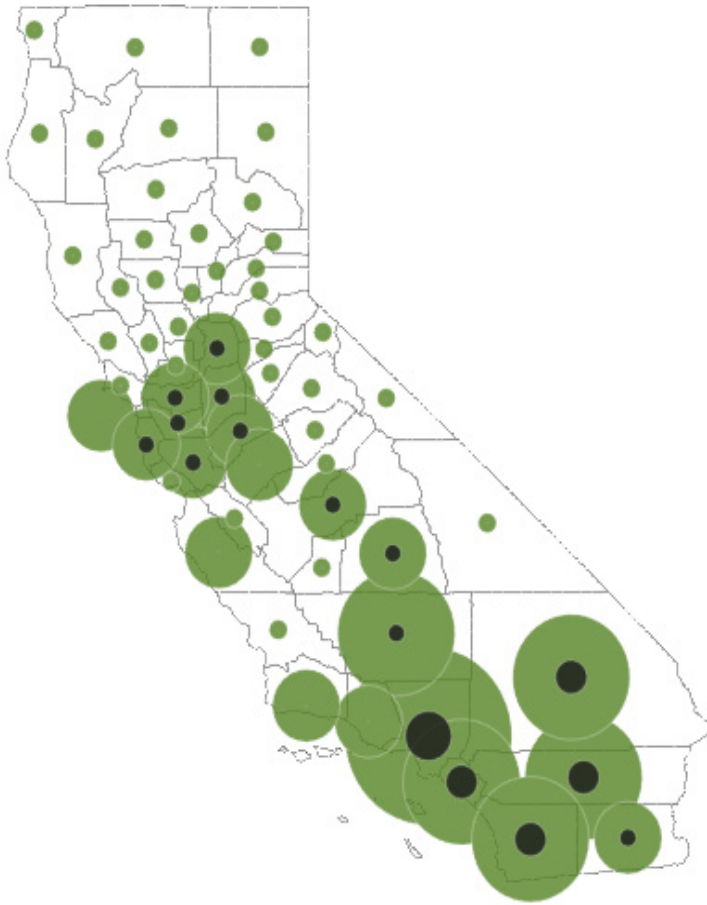
Of these, 588 patients have tested positive for COVID-19 and 7,408 have tested negative for COVID-19.

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## CONFIRMED CASES AND DEATHS BY COUNTY

CURRENT AS OF August 17, 2020



### Counties with most reported cases

Los Angeles	222,236
Riverside	47,669
Orange	43,303
San Bernardino	41,724
San Diego	34,680

### Counties with most reported deaths

Los Angeles	5,254
Riverside	881
Orange	810
San Diego	626
San Bernardino	568

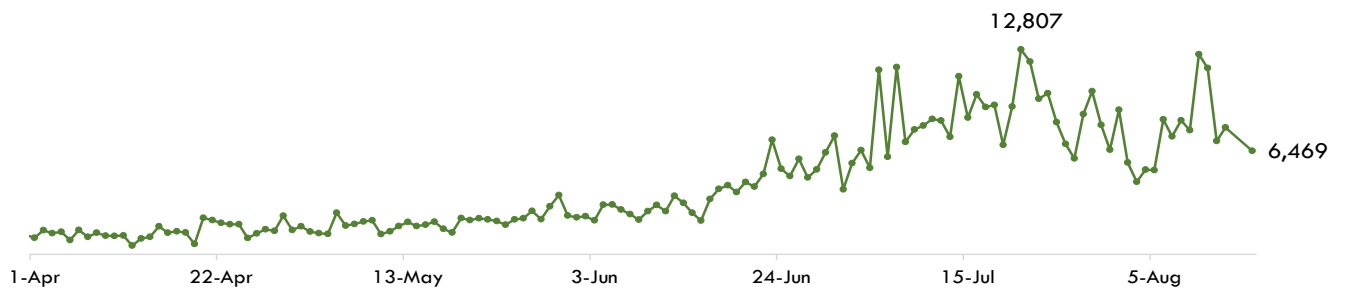
For an interactive version of this map online, click [HERE](#).

As of 08/17/2020. Source: CDPH

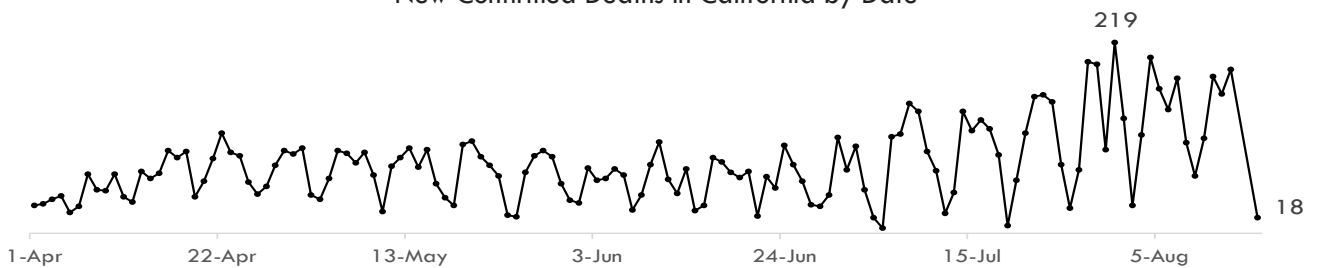
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New Confirmed Cases in California by Date of Lab Confirmation



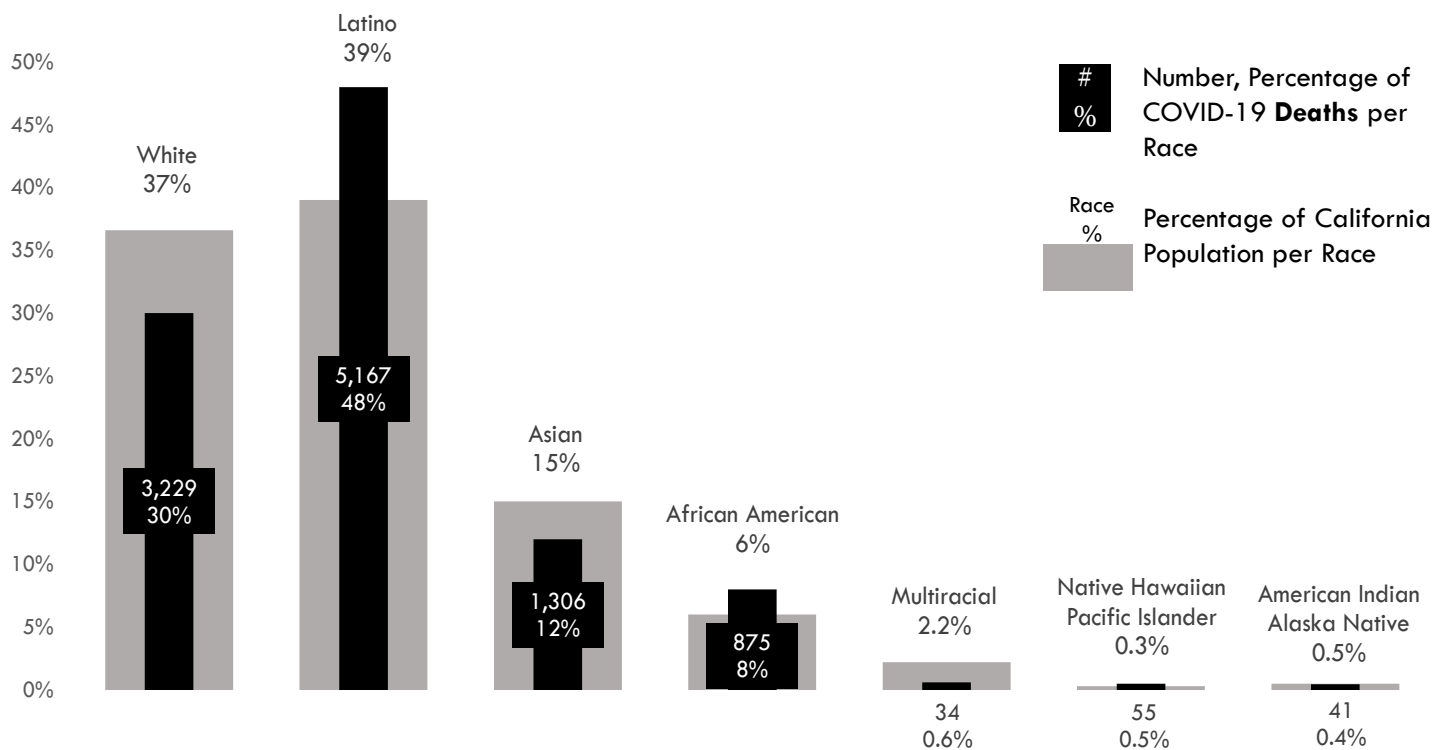
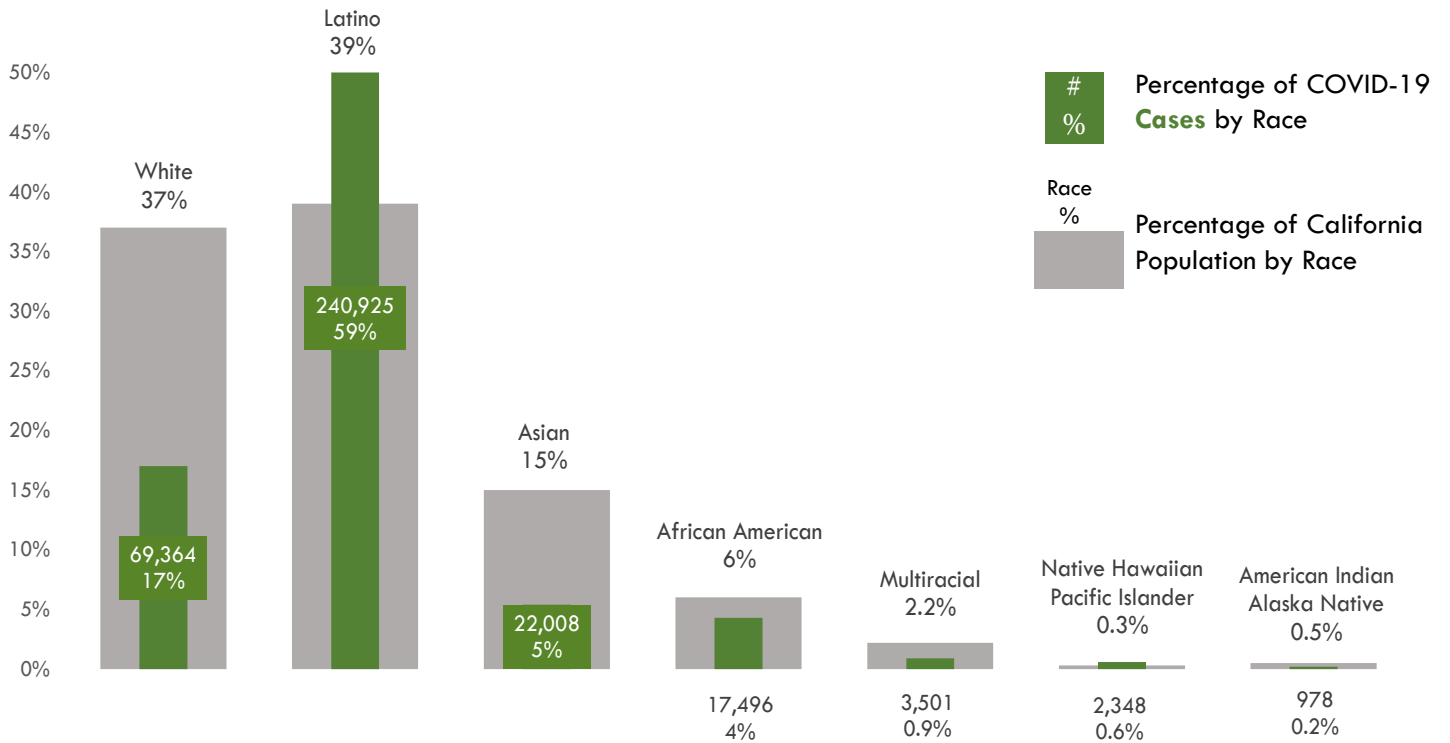
New Confirmed Deaths in California by Date



As of 08/17/2020. Source: CDPH

## RACIAL DISTRIBUTION OF CONFIRMED COVID-19 CASES AND DEATHS IN CALIFORNIA

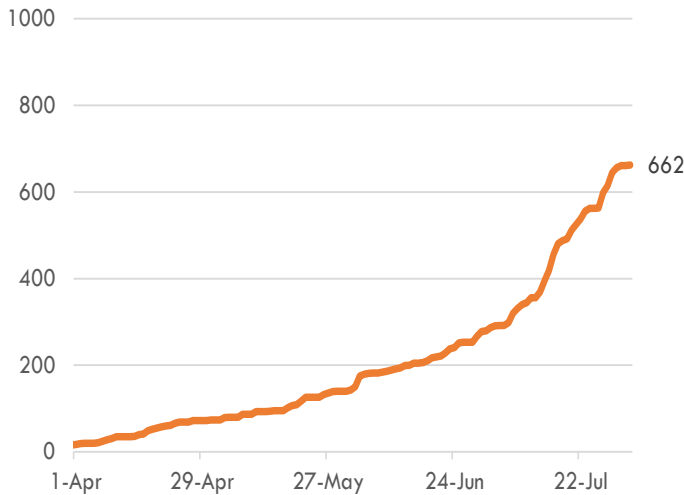
American Indians and Alaska Natives account for 0.5% percent of the population, **0.2% of COVID-19 cases**, and **0.4% of deaths** in California. These include **978 cases** and **41 deaths** among American Indian and Alaska Native people in California.



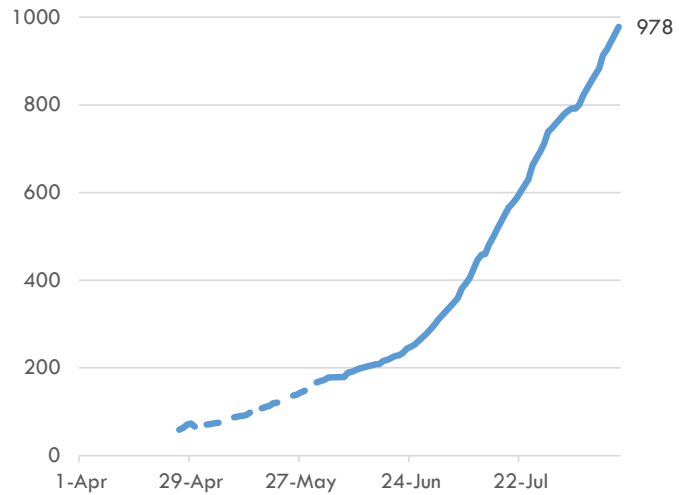
Note: 35% of cases and 2% of deaths are of unknown race/ethnicity. As of 8/17/2020. Source: CDPH

## Two sources for tracking American Indian and Alaska Native (AIAN) cases reported in California

Data from the **Indian Health Service (IHS)** include positive cases reported by Tribal and Urban Indian Health Programs.

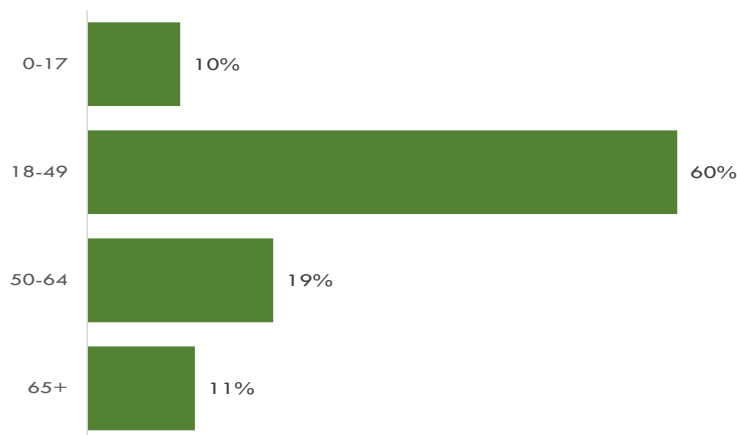


Data from **California Department of Public Health (CDPH)** include all positive cases of AIAN diagnosed in California.

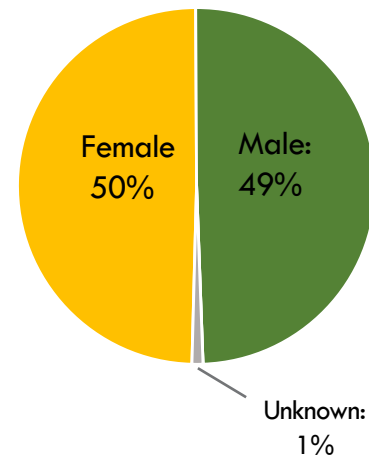


As of 7/31/2020. Source: IHS Data Portal. Note: Gaps in CDPH reported AIAN cases are due to intermittent availability. As of 8/17/2020. Source: CDPH

### Positive Cases by Age Group among all California cases



### Positive Cases by Gender among all California cases



As of 8/17/2020. Source: CDPH

### In California:

**0.8%** of confirmed cases have been admitted to a hospital

**0.3%** of confirmed cases have been admitted to an Intensive Care Unit

**1.8%** of cases have died

As of 8/17/2020. Source: CDPH

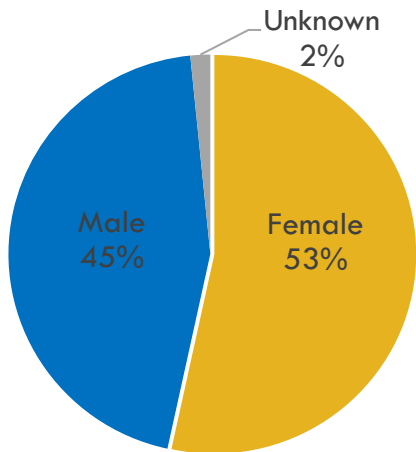
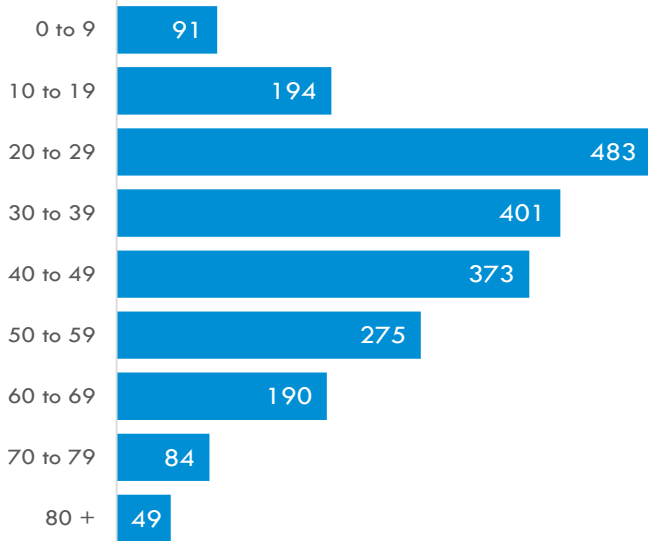
### Case and death disparities:

- For all adults ages 18+, Latinos and African Americans are dying at disproportionately high rates. The proportion of COVID-19 deaths in Latinos is more than 1.5 times their population representation across all adult age categories.
- More males (57%) are dying from COVID-19 than females (43%).

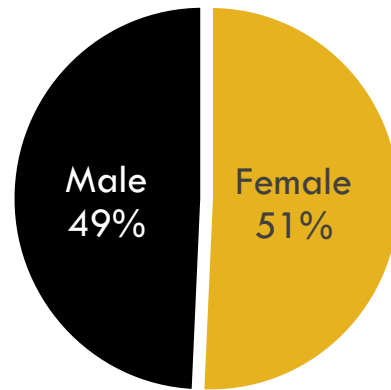
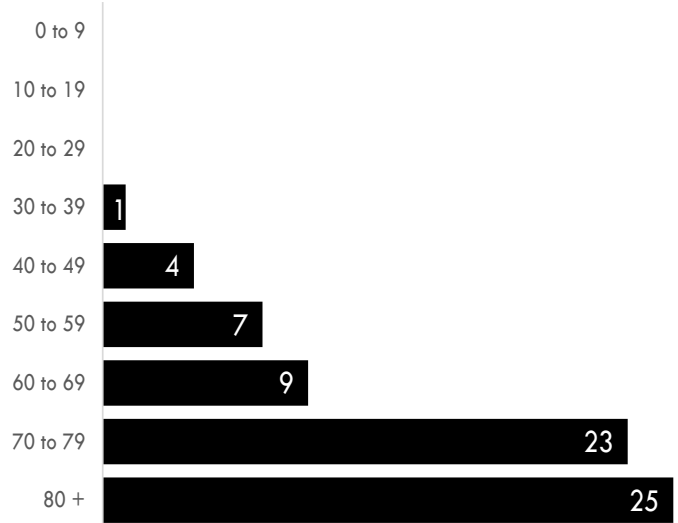
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## American Indian and Alaska Native (AIAN) data reported by California to the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC)

Positive COVID-19 cases among AIAN people in California by Age Group and Gender

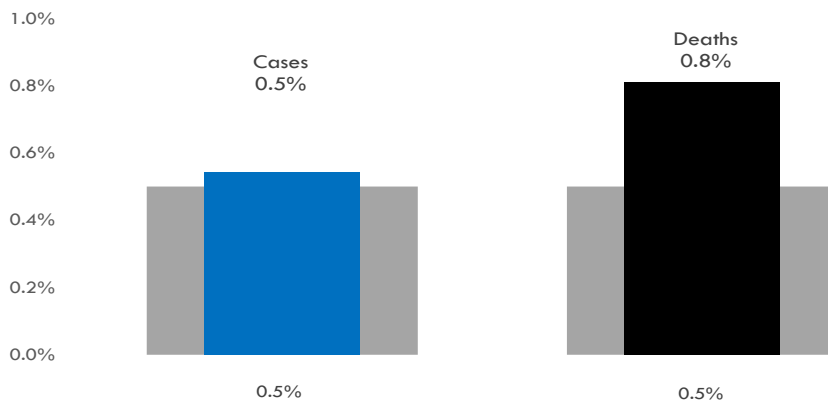


COVID-19 deaths among AIAN people in California by Age Group and Gender



CDC Data show that AIAN in California are testing positive for COVID-19 at rates equal to their proportion of California's population and dying at slightly higher than expected rates.

This includes a total of **2,140 cases** and **69 deaths**.



As of 8/17/2020. Source: CDC

# COVID-19 Testing Information from Patients Seen at a Tribal or Urban Indian Health Program in California.

Note: This map shows patients by the regional location of the clinic where they were tested and NOT by the residence of the patients.



Number of positive cases identified by region



# TRIBAL STATE OF EMERGENCY AND SHELTER IN PLACE DECLARATIONS



Tribes do not need to issue a state of emergency to access FEMA resources.



## Tribes Issuing Shelter in Place Order

- 28. Hoopa Valley Tribe
- 68. Tule River Tribe
- 74. Wiyot Tribe



## Emergency Declarations (n=76)

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|-------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------------------------------------------------------|-----------------------------------------------|
| 1. Agua Caliente Band of Cahuilla Indians                               | 25. Fort Independence Indian Community of Paiute Indians of the Fort Independence Reservation | 51. Ramona Band of Cahuilla                   |
| 2. Augustine Band of Cahuilla Indians                                   | 26. Fort Mojave Indian Tribe                                                                  | 52. Redding Rancheria                         |
| 3. Barona Band of Mission Indians                                       | 27. Habematolel Pomo of Upper Lake Tribe                                                      | 53. Resighini Rancheria                       |
| 4. Bear River Band of Rohnerville Rancheria                             | 28. Hoopa Valley Tribe                                                                        | 54. Rincon Band of Luiseno Indians            |
| 5. Berry Creek Rancheria of Maidu Indians of California                 | 29. Iipay Nation of Santa Ysabel                                                              | 55. Robinson Rancheria                        |
| 6. Big Lagoon Rancheria                                                 | 30. Jamul Indian Village                                                                      | 56. San Manuel Band of Mission Indians        |
| 7. Big Pine Paiute Tribe                                                | 31. Kashia Band of Pomo Indians of the Stewarts Point Rancheria                               | 57. San Pasqual Band of Mission Indians       |
| 8. Big Valley Band of Pomo Indians                                      | 32. La Jolla Band of Luiseno Indians                                                          | 58. Santa Ynez Band of Chumash Indians        |
| 9. Bishop Paiute Tribe                                                  | 33. Lone Pine Paiute-Shoshone Tribe                                                           | 59. Scotts Valley Band of Pomo Indians        |
| 10. Blue Lake Rancheria                                                 | 34. Los Coyotes Band of Cahuilla and Cupeno Indians                                           | 60. Shingle Springs Band of Miwok Indians     |
| 11. Buena Vista Rancheria                                               | 35. Karuk Tribe                                                                               | 61. Soboba Band of Luiseno Indians            |
| 12. Cabazon Band of Mission Indians                                     | 36. Manchester Point Arena Band of Pomo Indians                                               | 62. Susanville Indian Rancheria               |
| 13. Cachil DeHe Band of Wintun Indians of the Colusa Indian Community   | 37. Manzanita Band of Diegueno Mission Indians                                                | 63. Sycuan Band of the Kumeyaay Nation        |
| 14. Cahto Tribe                                                         | 38. Mechoopda Indian Tribe                                                                    | 64. Table Mountain Rancheria                  |
| 15. Cahuilla Band of Indians                                            | 39. Mesa Grande Band of Diegueno Mission Indians                                              | 65. Tachi Yokut Tribe                         |
| 16. Chemehuevi Indian Tribe                                             | 40. Middletown Rancheria of Pomo Indians of California                                        | 66. Tolowa Dee-Ni' Nation                     |
| 17. Cher-Ae Heights Indian Community of the Trinidad Rancheria          | 41. Mooretown Rancheria                                                                       | 67. Torres Martinez Desert Cahuilla Indians   |
| 18. Chicken Ranch Rancheria of Me-Wuk Indians of California             | 42. Morongo Band of Mission Indians                                                           | 68. Tule River Tribe                          |
| 19. Colorado River Indian Tribes                                        | 43. North Fork Rancheria of Mono Indians of California                                        | 69. Tuolumne Band of Me-Wuk Indians           |
| 20. Coyote Valley Band of Pomo Indians                                  | 44. Pala Band of Mission Indians                                                              | 70. Twenty-Nine Palms Band of Mission Indians |
| 21. Dry Creek Rancheria Band of Pomo Indians                            | 45. Pauma Band of Luiseno Indians                                                             | 71. Viejas Band of Kumeyaay Indians           |
| 22. Elk Valley Rancheria                                                | 46. Pechanga Band of Luiseno Indians                                                          | 72. Washoe Tribe of Nevada and California     |
| 23. Enterprise Rancheria                                                | 47. Picayune Rancheria of the Chukchansi Indians                                              | 73. Wilton Rancheria                          |
| 24. Fort Bidwell Indian Community of the Fort Bidwell Reservation of CA | 48. Pit River Tribe                                                                           | 74. Wiyot Tribe                               |
|                                                                         | 49. Quartz Valley Indian Reservation                                                          | 75. Yocha Dehe Wintun Nation                  |
|                                                                         | 50. Quechan Tribe of the Fort Yuma Indian Reservation                                         | 76. Yurok Tribe                               |



# OPENINGS AND CLOSURES: TRIBAL CASINOS



## Casino Closures (n=3)

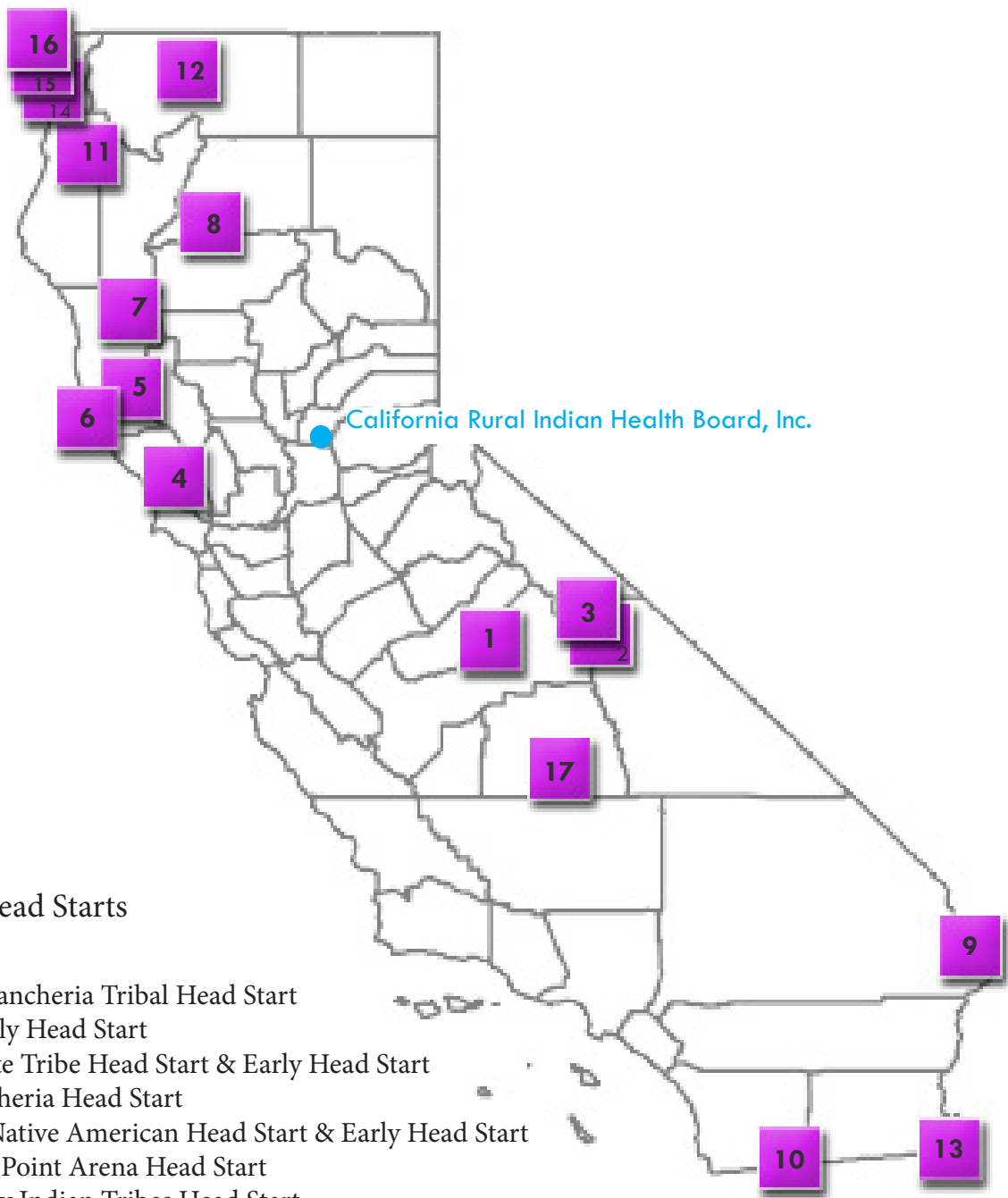
1. Blue Lake Casino
2. Garcia River Casino
3. Quechan Resort Casino



## Casino Openings (n=63)

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|--------------------------------------------------|----------------------------------------------------------|------------------------------------------|
| 1. Agua Caliente Casino Palm Springs             | 23. Golden Acorn Casino                                  | 44. Redwood Hotel Casino                 |
| 2. Agua Caliente Resort Casino Spa Rancho Mirage | 24. Graton Resort & Casino                               | 45. River Rock Casino                    |
| 3. Augustine Casino                              | 25. Hard Rock Hotel & Casino Sacramento at Fire Mountain | 46. Robinson Rancheria Resort and Casino |
| 4. Barona Valley Ranch Resort and Casino         | 26. Harrah's Northern California                         | 47. Rolling Hills Casino                 |
| 5. Bear River Casino                             | 27. Harrah's Resort Southern California                  | 48. Running Creek Casino                 |
| 6. Black Oak Casino                              | 28. Havasu Landing Resort and Casino                     | 49. San Manuel Indian Bingo and Casino   |
| 7. Cache Creek Casino Resort                     | 29. Jackson Rancheria Casino                             | 50. San Pablo Lytton Casino              |
| 8. Cahuilla Casino                               | 30. Jamul Casino                                         | 51. Sherwood Valley Casino               |
| 9. Casino Pauma                                  | 31. Konocti Vista Casino and Bingo                       | 52. Soboba Casino                        |
| 10. Cher-Ae Heights Bingo and Casino             | 32. Lucky 7 Casino                                       | 53. Spotlight 29 Casino                  |
| 11. Chicken Ranch Bingo and Casino               | 33. Lucky Bear Casino                                    | 54. Sycuan Resort and Casino             |
| 12. Chukchansi Gold Resort & Casino              | 34. Mono Wind Casino                                     | 55. Table Mountain Casino                |
| 13. Chumash Casino Resort                        | 35. Morongo Casino, Resort & Spa                         | 56. Tachi Palace Hotel and Casino        |
| 14. Colusa Casino Resort                         | 36. Paiute Palace Casino                                 | 57. Thunder Valley Casino Resort         |
| 15. Coyote Valley Casino                         | 37. Pala Casino Resort and Spa                           | 58. Tortoise Rock Casino                 |
| 16. Desert Rose Casino                           | 38. Pechanga Resort and Casino                           | 59. Twin Pine Casino                     |
| 17. Diamond Mountain Casino                      | 39. Pit River Casino                                     | 60. Valley View Casino                   |
| 18. Eagle Mountain Casino                        | 40. Rain Rock Casino                                     | 61. Viejas Casino                        |
| 19. Elk Valley Casino                            | 41. Red Earth Casino                                     | 62. Winnedumah Winn's Casino             |
| 20. Fantasy Springs Resort and Casino            | 42. Red Fox Casino                                       | 63. Win-River Casino                     |
| 21. Feather Falls Casino                         | 43. Redhawk Casino                                       |                                          |

TRIBAL HEAD STARTS CLOSED AS DIRECTED BY  
LOCAL SCHOOL DISTRICTS OR TRIBAL COUNCIL ORDERS



 Tribal Head Starts

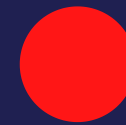
1. Big Sandy Rancheria Tribal Head Start
2. Big Pine Early Head Start
3. Bishop Paiute Tribe Head Start & Early Head Start
4. Lytton Rancheria Head Start
5. Pinoleville Native American Head Start & Early Head Start
6. Manchester-Point Arena Head Start
7. Round Valley Indian Tribes Head Start
8. Redding Rancheria Head Start
9. Chemehuevi Head Start
10. Campo Kumeyaay Head Start
11. Hoopa Tribal Early Head Start & Head Start
12. Karuk Tribal Head Start
13. Quechan Head Start
14. Yurok Tribe Head Start
15. Elk Valley Rancheria Head Start
16. Howonquet Head Start
17. Tule River Head Start

# California Counties COVID-19 Response

Click the color dots  
on the map  
for county information

[Governor Newsom Issued Statewide  
Stay At Home Executive Order  
March 19, 2020](#)

[Click here to read the REVISED Executive Order dated May 7, 2020](#)



Emergency Declarations and  
Shelter in Place /Safer at Home  
Orders or Directives  
(3 Counties)



Approved County Variances  
(55 Counties)

