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NH DHHS COVID-19 Update – August 14, 2020

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

On Friday, August 14, 2020, DHHS announced 43 new positive test results for COVID-19. There have now been 6,964 cases of COVID-19 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 eight individuals under the age of 18 and the rest are adults, with 43% being female and 57% being male. The new cases reside in Hillsborough County other than Manchester and Nashua (8), Rockingham (7), Cheshire (3), Strafford (3), Belknap (1), and Grafton (1) counties, and in the cities of Manchester (13) and Nashua (7).

One new hospitalized case was identified for a total of 706 (10%) of 6,964 cases. Five of the new cases had no identified risk factors. Community-based transmission continues to occur in the State and has been identified in all counties. Of those with complete risk information, most have either had close contact with a person with a confirmed COVID-19 diagnosis or have recently traveled.

DHHS has also announced one additional death related to COVID-19. We offer our sympathies to the family and friends.

- 1 male resident of Hillsborough County, 60 years of age and older

Current Situation in New Hampshire

New Hampshire 2019 Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) Summary Report (data updated August 14, 2020, 9:00 AM)

NH Persons with COVID-19	6,964
Recovered	6,218 (89%)
Deaths Attributed to COVID-19	423 (6%)
Total Current COVID-19 Cases	323
Persons Who Have Been Hospitalized for COVID-19	706 (10%)
Current Hospitalizations	13

Total Persons Tested at Selected Laboratories, Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) ₂	181,285
Total Persons Tested at Selected Laboratories, Antibody Laboratory Tests ₂	28,458
Persons with Specimens Submitted to NH PHL	39,544
Persons with Test Pending at NH PHL ₃	457
Persons Being Monitored in NH (approximate point in time)	2,800

₁Includes specimens positive at any laboratory and those confirmed by CDC confirmatory testing.

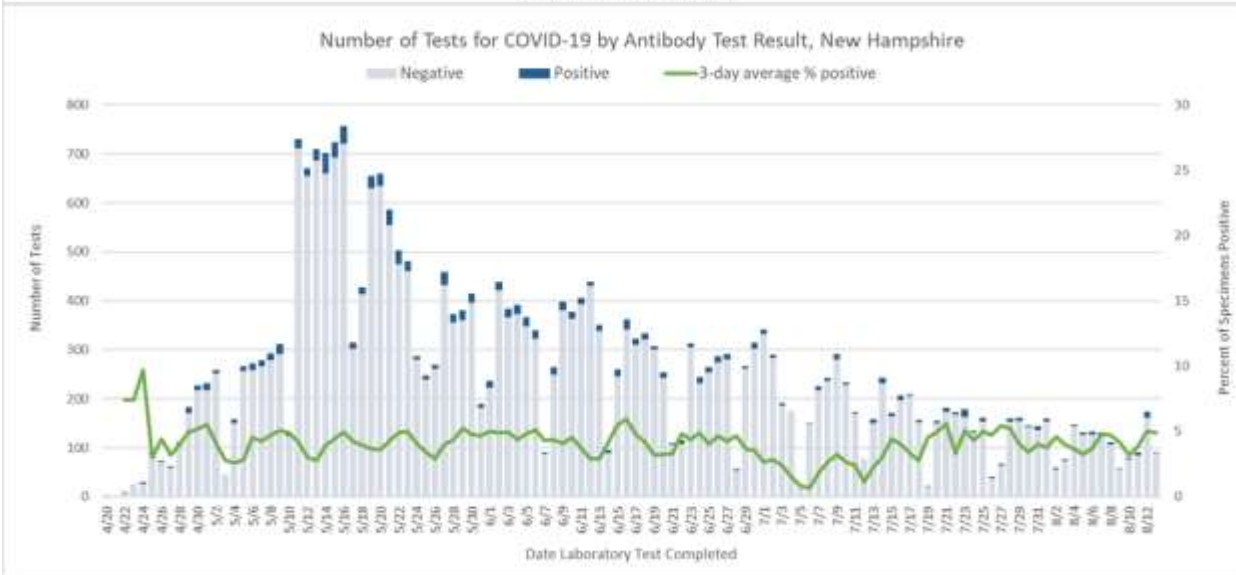
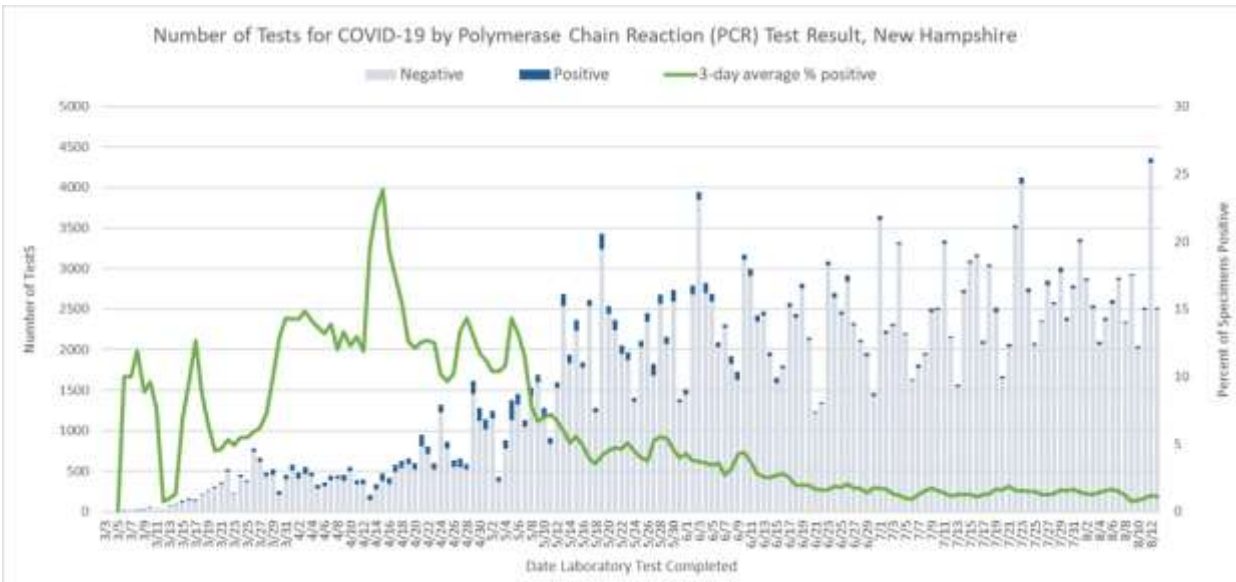
₂Includes specimens tested at the NH Public Health Laboratories (PHL), LabCorp, Quest, Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center, and those sent to CDC prior to NH PHL testing capacity.

₃Includes specimens received and awaiting testing at NH PHL. Does not include tests pending at commercial laboratories.

Number of Tests Conducted by Date of Report to NH DHHS

Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) Tests								
Testing Laboratory	8/7	8/8	8/9	8/10	8/11	8/12	8/13	Daily Average
NH Public Health Laboratories	806	386	460	306	207	932	695	542
LabCorp	653	607	733	382	558	897	298	590
Quest Diagnostics	325	366	909	833	876	1,566	661	791
Mako Medical	7	0	15	1	2	11	29	9
Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center	871	812	569	302	250	689	689	597
Other NH Hospital Laboratory	162	127	148	158	225	154	92	152
Other Laboratory*	66	50	102	58	396	107	55	119
Total	2,890	2,348	2,936	2,040	2,514	4,356	2,519	2,800
Antibody Laboratory Tests								
Testing Laboratory	8/7	8/8	8/9	8/10	8/11	8/12	8/13	Daily Average
LabCorp	14	18	3	4	21	23	0	12
Quest Diagnostics	94	87	55	38	48	126	77	75
Dartmouth-Hitchcock Medical Center	14	4	0	12	16	12	12	10
Other Laboratory*	8	2	0	23	5	9	1	7
Total	130	111	58	77	90	170	90	104

* Includes out-of-state public health laboratories, out-of-state hospital laboratories, and other commercial laboratories not listed in the above table.



[NH DHHS Daily Update on COVID-19 Archive](#)

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

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