



# Health Alert



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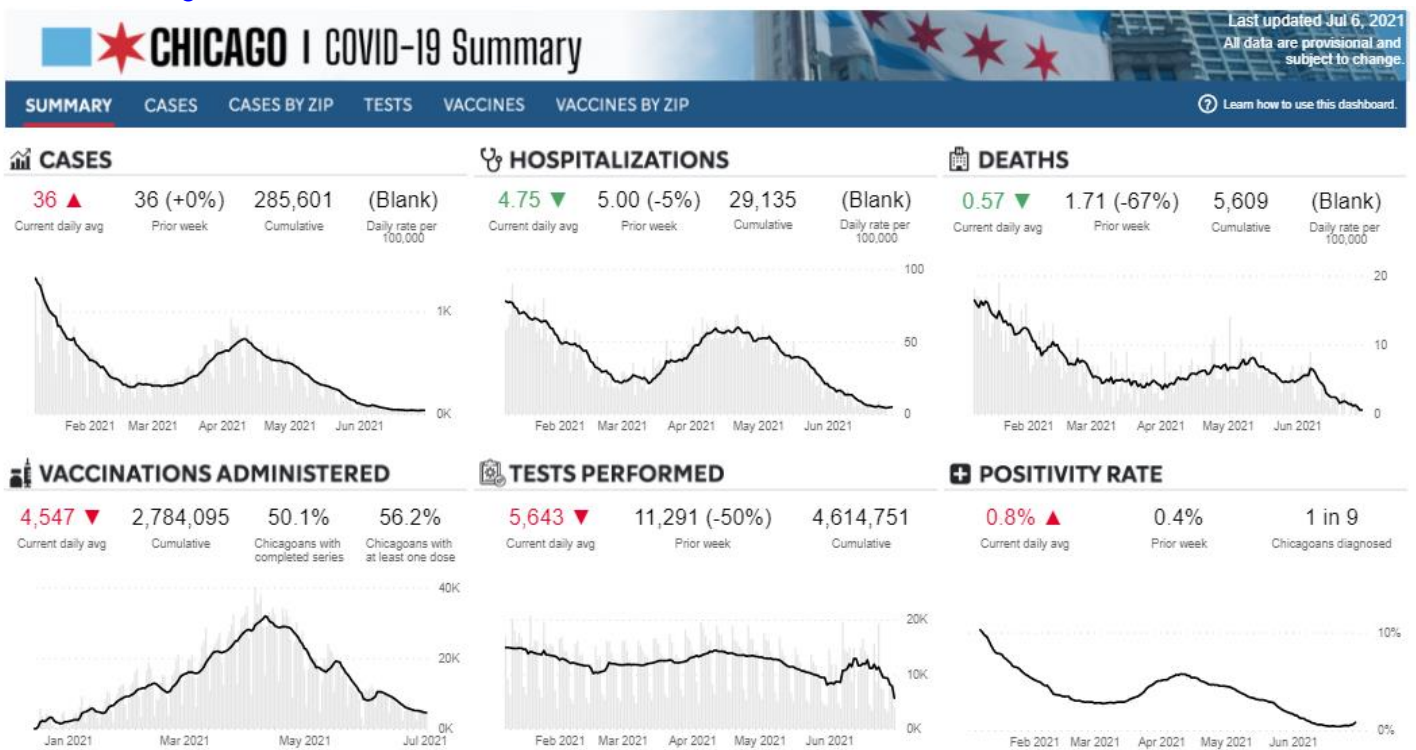
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## Chicago COVID-19 Hot Spot Report July 6, 2021 Summary and Action Items

- **COVID-19 test positivity has increased slightly and COVID-19 case incidence has stabilized in Chicago. Average new cases remain <50 daily, averaging 36 new cases per day.**
- Though COVID-19 cases are low, cases continue to be disproportionately high in areas of Chicago with lower COVID-19 vaccine coverage.
- **Continue to advise vaccination for everyone age 12 and older to protect against COVID-19 and its variants.**

### Chicago COVID-19 Trends: as of 7/6/21

- 7-day rolling average for COVID-19 test positivity in Chicago is 0.8%. This is a **slight increase** from the prior week's 7-day average of 0.4%.
- 7-day rolling average for daily COVID-19 cases in Chicago is 36. This is **stable** from the prior week's 7-day average of 36 daily cases.
- 7-day rolling average for deaths related to COVID-19 is 0.6 deaths per day. This is a **decrease** from the prior week's 7-day average of 1.7 deaths per day.
- All [CDC-defined variants of concern](#) have been detected in Chicago, and are likely causing the majority of COVID-19 cases. Find the IDPH page on COVID-19 variants of concern [here](#).
- Visit the [Chicago COVID Dashboard](#) for detailed data on COVID-19 cases and vaccination.



COVID-19 cases - hot spot analysis by Census tract

