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NH DHHS COVID-19 Update – April 28, 2020

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

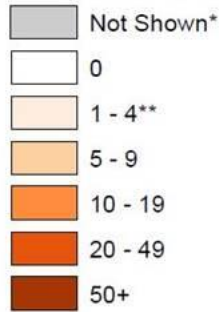
On Tuesday, April 28, 2020, DHHS announced 82 new positive test results for COVID-19. There have now been 2,010 cases of COVID-19 diagnosed in New Hampshire. Several cases are still under investigation. Additional information from ongoing investigations will be incorporated into future COVID-19 updates. Of those with complete information, there is one individual under the age of 18 and the rest are adults with 55% being female and 45% being male. The new cases reside in Rockingham (23), Merrimack (13), Hillsborough County other than Manchester and Nashua (6), Cheshire (2), and Strafford (1) counties, and in the cities of Manchester (31) and Nashua (3). The county of residence is being determined for 3 new cases.

Three new hospitalized cases were identified for a total of 249 (12%) of 2,010 cases. Three of the new cases have no identified risk factors. Community-based transmission continues to increase in the State and has been identified in all counties with cases. Most of the remaining cases have either had travel to domestic or international locations or have had close contact with a person with a confirmed COVID-19 diagnosis.

Current Situation in New Hampshire

COVID-19 in New Hampshire
Positive Test Results
3/1/2020 - 4/28/2020
(n=2,010)

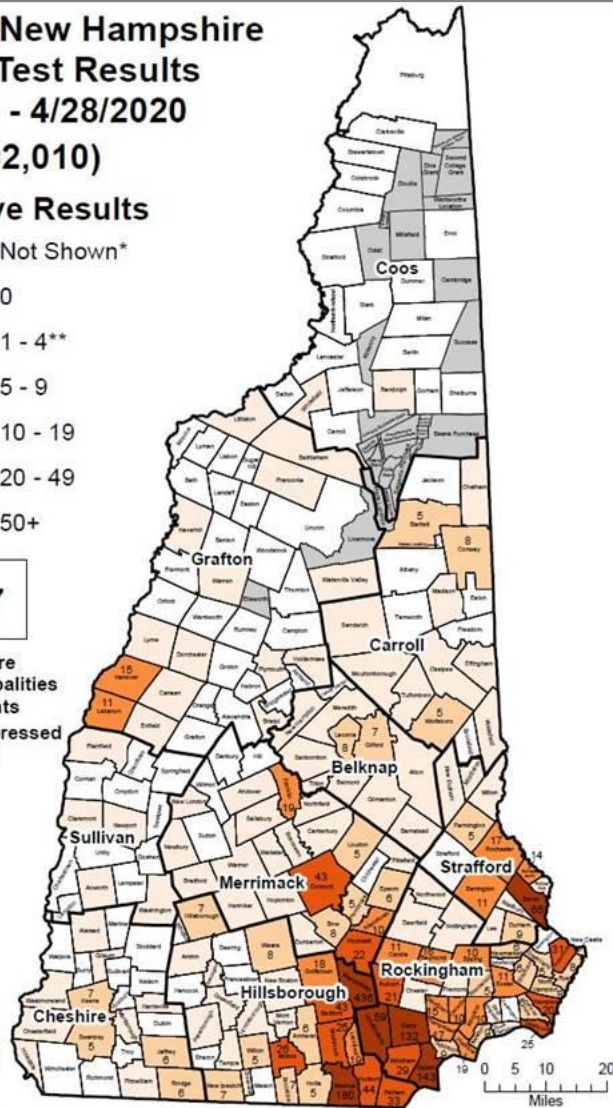
Positive Results



Cases under investigation, 7 town unknown

*Positive case counts are suppressed in municipalities with under 100 residents

**Exact counts are suppressed for municipalities with 1-4 cases



County	Cases
Belknap	34
Carroll	31
Cheshire	40
Coos	2
Grafton	48
Hillsborough - Other	280
Hillsborough - Manchester	436
Hillsborough - Nashua	180
Merrimack	144
Rockingham	664
Strafford	133
Sullivan	11

<i>County TBD</i>	<i>7</i>
Grand Total	2010

**New Hampshire 2019 Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19)
Summary Report
(data updated April 28, 2020, 9:00 AM)**

NH Persons with COVID-19 ₁	2,010
Recovered	936 (47%)
Deaths Attributed to COVID-19	60 (3%)
Total Current COVID-19 Cases	1,014
Persons Who Have Been Hospitalized for COVID-19	249 (12%)
Current Hospitalizations ₂	106
Persons Tested Negative at Selected Laboratories ₃	18,736
Persons with Specimens Submitted to NH PHL	8,635
Persons with Test Pending at NH PHL ₄	81
Persons Being Monitored in NH (approximate point in time)	2,550

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

₂Number of patients currently hospitalized with COVID-19 as reported by hospitals.

₃Includes 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.

₄Includes specimens received and awaiting testing at NH PHL. Does not include tests pending at commercial laboratories.

[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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