



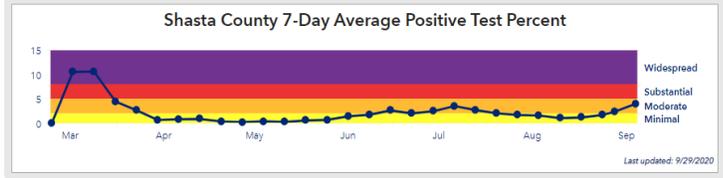
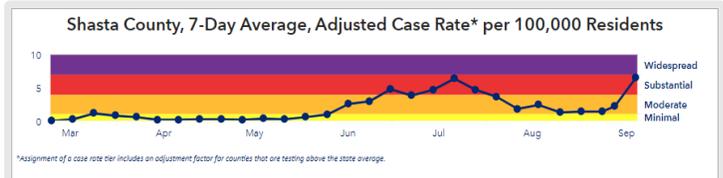
COVID-19 INCIDENT UPDATE: September 29, 2020

Statistics from September 28, 2020

INCIDENT FACTS AND SUMMARY			
Total Confirmed Cases:	Hospitalized in Shasta County	In Isolation	Active Cases
869	6	89	95
Confirmed Cases Monday	Currently in the Intensive Care Unit (ICU)	In Quarantine	Released from Isolation to Date
22	1	281	760
Negative Tests Monday	Negative Tests to Date	Total Tests	Deaths
275	46,467	47,342	20

CURRENT SITUATION

- We had 22 new cases on Monday. Twenty had symptoms (one was unknown) and none are hospitalized. They are:
 - One girl under age 13
 - Nine women and six men in their 20s
 - Three women in their 30s
 - One woman and two men in their 40s



- We are sorry to have to report three deaths today. They are a woman in her 80s, a man in his 70s and a man in his 50s.
- At least 85 percent of our positive cases since Friday have been **people with symptoms**. COVID-19 spreads through respiratory droplets, so people who are coughing or sneezing are more likely to spread it. **If you are sick, please do not leave your home, and stay away from anyone you live with** until you are symptom-free without medication for 24 hours.
- Shasta County's worsening numbers threaten to put the county in the red ("substantial") range after Tuesday's statewide data update. Our case rate increased from 2.2 to 6.5 daily cases per 100,000 residents, and our positivity rate increased from 2.4 to 4 percent. These numbers are a seven-day average with a seven-day lag (Sept. 13-19). Counties must have numbers in a more restrictive tier for two weeks before they are moved to that tier, so Shasta will remain at orange until at least next week. Learn what a change in tiers would mean at [ShastaReady.org](https://www.shastaready.org) – click on "Roadmap to Recovery."

Resources: Website: www.ShastaReady.org Live maps: <https://coronavirus.jhu.edu/us-map>

Cooperating Agencies:
 Shasta County Sheriff's Office, CAL FIRE/Shasta County Fire Department, City of Redding, City of Anderson, City of Shasta Lake, Mercy Medical Center Redding, Shasta Regional Medical Center, Redding Rancheria Tribal Health Center, Shasta Community Health Center, Mountain Valleys Health Centers, Mayers Memorial Hospital District, Hill Country Community Clinic, Shingletown Medical Center