



## BERNARDS TOWNSHIP HEALTH DEPARTMENT

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## 2019 Novel Coronavirus (COVID-2019) Weekly Update #65 – February 25, 2021

### Bernards Township COVID-19 Testing

See below information for upcoming COVID-19 Testing on **March 4, 2021**

Peapack & Gladstone Municipal Gym

1 School Street

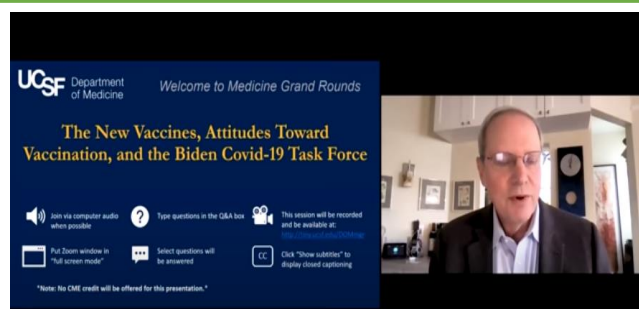
Peapack, NJ

Appointments begin at 9am

[Register Here!](#)

[View flyer here](#) (English)

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### UCSF – School of Medicine COVID-19 Update

In this very informative episode of University of California San Francisco's Medicine COVID Grant Rounds, several renowned doctors cover a variety of topics including new vaccine candidates including Johnson & Johnson, AstraZeneca and Novavax. Data will be reviewed and discussed on vaccine rollouts and the current variants seen worldwide. Vaccine communication is covered as well including reaching out to vulnerable populations. Check out the video [here](#) or click the picture above.

### COVID FAQ Corner

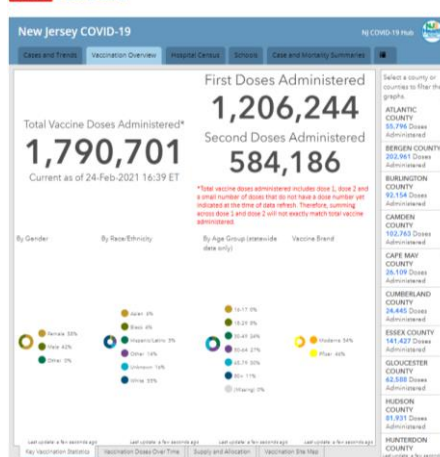
**Q: My child tested positive for COVID-19 in the last 90 days. We plan on visiting colleges within that 90 days out of state. Does my child still have to quarantine after travel if they have tested positive in the past 90 days?**

**A: Check with your school district about returning to in-person instruction. At this time, an individual who tested positive for COVID-19 within the last 3 months does not need to quarantine after exposure or travel.**

### Updates from the Governor's Office

- **General indoor gatherings** must be limited to 10 people, general outdoor gatherings must be limited to 25 people.
- Effective immediately, houses of worship and religious services can operate at 50% capacity. Masks are required and members of different households must always be at least six feet apart.
  - Indoor gatherings for religious services and celebrations, including wedding ceremonies, funerals and memorial services that involve a religious service must be limited to 50% of a room's capacity.
  - Wedding ceremonies, funerals, and memorial services that do not involve a religious service must be limited to 35% of a room's capacity, but no more than 150 individuals.
- Effective immediately, **indoor and outdoor collegiate sports** practices and competitions may allow two parents or guardians per participating athlete as spectators. Numbers cannot exceed 35% of the indoor room's capacity and social distancing must be maintained outdoors.
- Starting March 1<sup>st</sup>, sports, and entertainment venues with a fixed seating capacity of over 5,000 people may open for spectators. 10% for indoor venues, 15% for outdoor venues.

### DATA Dashboard



### NJ Vaccine Dashboard

Have you checked out the vaccine dashboard on [covid19.nj.gov](https://covid19.nj.gov)? See how many first and second doses have been administered and demographic breakdowns. See vaccine administration by county, supply and allocation and a vaccination site map. Check it out [here](#).

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## **2019 Novel Coronavirus (COVID-2019)** **Resources and Links**

**COVID-19 Case Graphs per Municipality** – Case counts come directly from raw data imported from Commcare by the Bernards Township Health Department.

### **Somerset County**

- [Bernards Township](#)
- [Bernardsville Borough](#)
- [Peapack and Gladstone Boroughs](#)

### **Morris County**

- [Chester Borough](#)
- [Long Hill Township](#)
- [Mendham Borough](#)

### **COVID-19 Weekly Activity Reports**

- Provides data on COVID-19 transmission by six regions in NJ.
- Updated every Thursday.
- Used to determine school exclusion and other re-openings.
- Click [here](#) to view past week's reports.
- **CALI SCORE WAS NOT UPDATED AS OF 4:15 PM 2/25/21**  
**PLEASE CHECK BACK.**

### **NJ COVID-19 Vaccine Resources**

- **Pre-Register for the Vaccine through NJVSS (NJ Vaccine Scheduling System) –**  
<https://covidvaccine.nj.gov/>
- <https://covid19.nj.gov/pages/vaccine>
- [https://www.nj.gov/health/cd/topics/covid2019\\_vaccination.shtml](https://www.nj.gov/health/cd/topics/covid2019_vaccination.shtml)

### **New Jersey COVID-19 Resources**

- <https://covid19.nj.gov/> - Visit this webpage to get information on all things COVID-19 in New Jersey.
- COVID-19 New Jersey Dashboard + Positive Test Results available [here](#). Now including trends, hospital census, long term care facilities, psychiatric hospitals, demographics, contact tracing and school info. Updated daily.
- Somerset County NJ COVID-19 Status Dashboard available [here](#).
- Morris County NJ COVID-19 Status Dashboard available [here](#).
- Phone/Text Lines:
  - 2-1-1 for General COVID-19 questions (7am-11 pm)
  - 1-800-962-1253 for Clinical Questions (24/7)
  - Text NJCOVID to 898-211 to receive alerts
  - Text your zip code to 898-211 for live text assistance
- NJ COVID-19 Vaccine Phone Lines
  - State of NJ Hotline – (855) 568-0545 – Get help scheduling a COVID-19 vaccination appointment. Staffed with live agents from 8am-8pm daily.
  - Somerset County Hotline – (908) 231-7155 – Get answers to your questions about COVID-19 Testing and Vaccinations. M-F 8:30am-8:00pm, Sat 10:00am-4:00pm.
  - Morris County COVID-19 Hotline – (973) 829-8250 – Staffed 7 days a week during business hours.

**Testing Updates** – Click [here](#) for more information on free testing across New Jersey

- **NJ Testing Sites** – [click here](#) for the most up to date information including new locations and testing criteria.
  - **Morris County** – [Click here for Morris County Testing Locations.](#)
  - **Somerset County** – [Click here for Somerset County Testing Locations.](#)

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