

# JEFFERSON COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH SERVICE

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## Jefferson County, NY COVID-19 Twice-Weekly Data Reporting to Transition to Monthly Reporting Beginning in May 2022

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Beginning in May, the Jefferson County Public Health Service (JCPHS) will issue the COVID-19 Monthly Index for routine COVID reporting only; the April Monthly Index will be issued in early May. Components of the index will continue to be tracked and include vaccination data, laboratory-reported testing data, COVID-19 community level designated by the U.S. Centers for Disease Control (CDC), wastewater results, hospital discharge data, and mortality data. The JCPHS, as has been the case throughout the pandemic, will continue to monitor for cluster outbreaks of COVID-19 in Jefferson County, and report those clusters that pose risk to the general public to the media. Otherwise, this data will only be reported publicly at the conclusion of each month in the Index.

The public will continue to have access to daily Jefferson County updates via other sources. A COVID-19 Data tab will be established on the JCPHS webpage at [www.jcphs.org](http://www.jcphs.org). The tab will be added to the Testing, Isolation and Quarantine, and Vaccination tabs currently on the site, and appear as:



This tab will link readers to:

- CDC - **COVID-19 Integrated County View**, which will provide Jefferson County's COVID-19 community levels, case rate per 100,000, vaccination status, and a number of other metrics, maps, and graphs people may have interest in, all measured by the CDC and frequently updated. Vaccination status, community level, and positivity rate reported in the soon-to-conclude Jefferson County twice-weekly reports comes from the CDC, and can be freely accessed any time in this link. Every counties' data in the United States can also be accessed from this site.
- NYSDOH – **COVID-19 Data in New York**, which will provide tracking by county on reported laboratory tests, cases and variants; hospitalizations and fatalities; vaccine data; long term care facility data; and school data.
- JCPHS – a link to the current **Jefferson County COVID-19 Monthly Index**.
- Johns Hopkins University – **COVID-19 Dashboard**, which will provide daily status, metrics, and maps of COVID-19 concentration and activity from around the world.

This week will conclude twice-weekly COVID-19 reporting from Jefferson County with the last two reports on Monday, 4/25/2022 and Thursday, 4/28/2022.

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