### September 29, 2021 COVID-19 Report

| September 15-September 29: Cumulative Confirmed Cases by Independence Zip Code** |             |             |             |             |               |              |
|--|-------------|-------------|-------------|-------------|---------------|--------------|
| Independence Zip   | Total       | Rate per    | Number of   | Percent     | Total         | Rate per     |
| Code   | Reported    | 1,000 as of | New Cases   | Increase in | Estimated     | 1,000        |
|  | Cases as of | Sept. 15    | Since Sept. | the Number  | Cases to date | residents to |
|  | Sept. 15    |             | 15          | of Cases    |               | date         |
| 64050  | 2741        | 122.90      | 84          | 3.06%       | 2825          | 126.67       |
| 64052  | 2704        | 134.54      | 122         | 4.51%       | 2826          | 140.61       |
| 64053  | 656         | 121.39      | 40          | 6.10%       | 696           | 128.79       |
| 64054  | 344         | 95.64       | 1           | 0.29%       | 345           | 95.91        |
| 64055  | 4322        | 127.29      | 144         | 3.33%       | 4466          | 131.53       |
| 64056  | 2225        | 129.86      | 97          | 4.36%       | 2322          | 135.52       |
| 64057  | 2216        | 150.89      | 66          | 2.98%       | 2282          | 155.39       |
| 64058  | 782         | 112.70      |             |             | 782           | 112.70       |
| 64015  | 3329        | 106.05      |             |             | 3329          | 106.05       |
| 64016  | 440         | 94.73       |             |             | 440           | 94.73        |
| Total  | 19759       | 123.38      | 554         | 2.80%       | 20313         | 126.84       |

<sup>\*\*</sup>Data is preliminary due to a delay in laboratory reporting. Updates will be provided in subsequent reports.

<sup>\*\*\*</sup>On July 15, 2021, the City took over communicable disease reporting from the County. Since that date, only cases for Independence citizens within 64058, 64015, and 64016 will be included in new data and delays are expected. As historical data is analyzed, these rows will be updated to include only Independence residents.

| Case rate by Independence Zip Code: Week-to-Week Comparison |   |   |                |  |  |
|---|---|---|----------------|--|--|
| Independence Zip  | Case rate per 1,000 residents           | Case rate per 1,000                     | Change in rate |  |  |
| Code  | September 15 <sup>th</sup> to September | residents September 22 <sup>nd</sup> to |                |  |  |
|   | 21 <sup>st</sup>                        | September 28 <sup>th</sup>              |                |  |  |
| 64050   | 1.57                                    | 1.21                                    | -23%           |  |  |
| 64052   | 3.13                                    | 1.69                                    | -46%           |  |  |
| 64053   | 4.07                                    | 2.04                                    | -50%           |  |  |
| 64054   | 0.00                                    | 0.00                                    | 0              |  |  |
| 64055   | 2.36                                    | 0.97                                    | -59%           |  |  |
| 64056   | 2.57                                    | 2.04                                    | -20%           |  |  |
| 64057   | 2.38                                    | 0.89                                    | -63%           |  |  |

To date, the City of Independence has seen **164** confirmed cases among staff: forty-four in the Fire Department, sixty-three in the Police Department, twenty-three in the Utilities Department, twelve in Municipal Services, four in Health & Animal Services, two in Municipal Court, three in Finance & Administration, three in Community Development, one in the City Manager's Office, and ten in the Parks/Recreation/Tourism Department.

Please note: Positive rates should be at or below 5% for at least 14 days before a state or country can safely reopen, according to the World Health Organization. The Harvard Global Health group estimates that communities need to test widely enough so that the number of people testing positive for the virus is 3% or lower in order adequately suppress the pandemic. In the US, the current positive rate is **7.6%**.

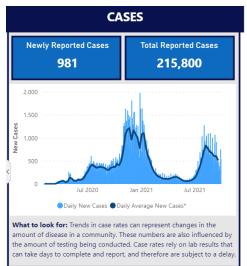
| Eastern Jackson County Comparison to Independence |                        |              |  |  |  |
|---|------------------------|--------------|--|--|--|
|   | Eastern Jackson County | Independence |  |  |  |
| Rolling Average Percent                           |                        |              |  |  |  |
| Positive  | 7.78%                  | 11.79%       |  |  |  |
| Total Deaths                                      | 475                    | 237          |  |  |  |
| Deaths in the Last 7 Days                         | 10                     | 2            |  |  |  |

| MARC Eastern Jackson County Hospital Stats |                    |                    |                   |  |  |  |
|--|--------------------|--------------------|-------------------|--|--|--|
|  | As of September 15 | As of September 29 | Percent Change    |  |  |  |
| <b>Total Beds Available</b>                | 150                | 188                | 25.33% (increase) |  |  |  |
| Used by Non-Covid                          |                    |                    |                   |  |  |  |
| Patients                                   | 264                | 457                | 73.11% (increase) |  |  |  |
| Used by Covid                              |                    |                    |                   |  |  |  |
| Patients                                   | 63                 | 76                 | 20.63% (increase) |  |  |  |

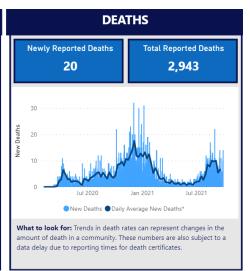
<sup>\*&</sup>quot;Beds available" is now calculated based on beds that are staffed.

### **MARC Region Graphical Data**

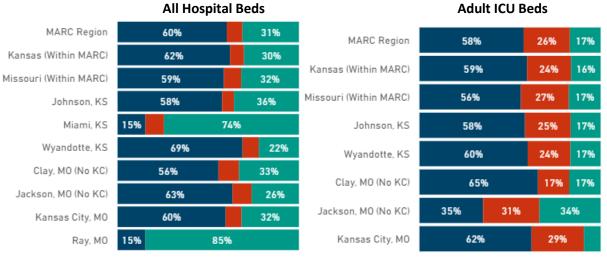
## **Regional Snapshot**



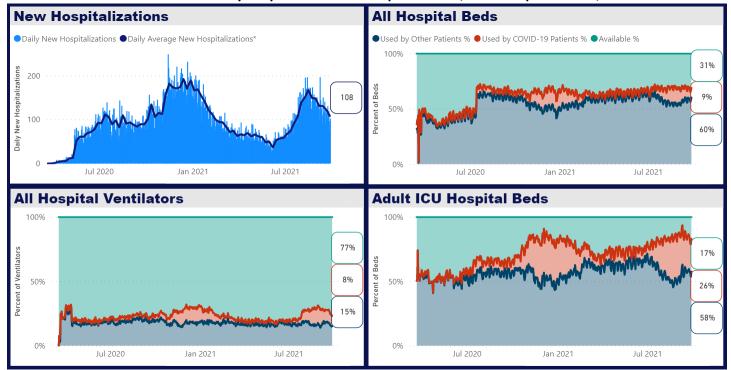




# Jurisdiction Comparison on Hospital Resource Usage



Eastern Jackson County Hospital Resources Snapshot: Jan 1, 2020 - September 29, 2021



# Institute of Health Metrics and Evaluation Hospital Resource Use Projections for Missouri

