Weekly COVID-19 Dashboard
Hospital and Public Data

August 26, 2020
NOTES

• The following data only reflect pediatric patients with COVID-19 testing obtained at NCH. In addition to testing patients with symptoms suspicious for COVID-19, testing indications at NCH also include testing all hospitalized patients (regardless of indication for admission) and all patients prior to procedures.

• For the above reasons, these data are not broadly generalizable to the entire pediatric population of Central Ohio. Clinicians should refer to their local public health department for further information.

• Currently observed burden and acuity of COVID-19 and MIS-C at NCH is low relative to reports from other large children’s hospitals located within epicenters of outbreak.
## Data Dictionary

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<td>Testing performed on hospitalized patients with signs or symptoms of COVID-19</td>
<td>Routine admission testing upon hospitalization of asymptomatic patients</td>
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<td>All outpatient testing not obtained for operative or procedural indications</td>
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Clinical outpatient tests remained under 10% positive during August. Surveillance testing continues at approximately 1.5% positive.
Positive testing rates for clinical samples vary by age. Children ages 12-17 have the highest positive test percentage for clinical testing while children ages 1-5 have the lowest. Surveillance testing results do not differ significantly by age.
*(NH = Non-Hispanic)*

Positive testing rates for both clinical and surveillance testing differ by race and ethnicity. NH Asian, NH Black, and Hispanic children have the highest positive test percentage while NH White children have the lowest.
Most children diagnosed with COVID-19 have been managed as outpatients. For children requiring hospitalization, very few have required ICU care. Hospital length of stays have generally been short (median 3 days). MIS-C has largely not been observed in Central Ohio (< 0.5% of all pediatric cases).
COVID-19 Public Health Data
(To Date as of August 24, 2020)

Ohio COVID-19 Cases

115,651

For more information visit https://coronavirus.ohio.gov/wps/portal/gov/covid-19/dashboards.
COVID-19 Public Health Data
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Franklin County
COVID-19 Cases

20,659

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COVID-19 Public Health Data
(To Date as of August 24, 2020)

Columbus Pediatric COVID-19 Cases

1,801

For more information visit https://www.columbus.gov/publichealth/Coronavirus-Portal/.

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