



Weekly Data Snapshot

KANSAS CITY REGION | COVID-19 RESPONSE



Week of Nov. 1-7, 2020

KEY DATA POINTS

633.9* New Cases

2,919.6* Average Tests/Day

21.7%* % Positive Tests

1.1 New Deaths

*Seven-day rolling average

WHAT YOU CAN DO



Wear a face mask



Practice social distancing



Wash hands often



Frequently clean surfaces



Stay home if you are sick

[Donate supplies](#)

[Volunteer opportunities](#)

While the number of new COVID-19 cases in the nine-county Kansas City metropolitan region decreased from Nov. 1-7, the overall trend is up. Local hospitals are reporting increasing numbers of patients coupled with staffing shortages.

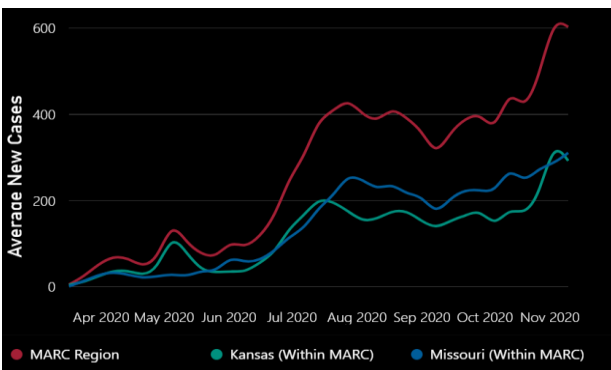
- New cases **decreased by 18%**.
- Deaths **decreased by 78%**.
- **Hospital admissions related to COVID-19 increased by 21%**.
- The number of overall tests has increased, but the number of unique tests declined.
- Labs are returning test results in 2 to 3 days.

What can you do? **Get a test!** It's important to get a test if you have symptoms or think you've been exposed. Check with your local health department or find a COVID-19 testing site at [PrepareMetroKC.org](https://www.preparemetrokc.org) or [ComebackKC.com](https://www.comebackkc.com).

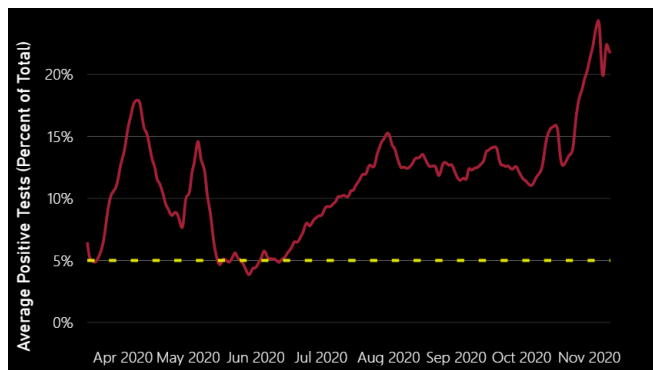
With the holidays around the corner, it's more important than ever to **not let your guard down**. You can celebrate safely by limiting the size of your gathering. For the safest celebration, stick with just those who live in your home. Also, keep things local by avoiding travel, which can increase the risk of getting or spreading COVID-19. Consider connecting with friends and family via phone or video instead of getting together in person.

Key Graphs

CASES | 7-day rolling average



PERCENT OF POSITIVE TESTS | 7-day rolling average



NOTE: The data in this summary pulls from multiple sources and what is believed to be the best, most current available data. However, because information and strategies are changing quickly and data sources are updated at different intervals, the information presented may not always be comprehensive. Please email marcinfo@marc.org with questions, corrections or input.