

Department of Public Health Health Equity

## COVID-19 Vaccine Equity Workgroup Meeting

Welcome! Please introduce yourself in the chat.

February 7, 2024

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#### Agenda



**COVID-19 Vaccine Equity Forum** 



Tracking COVID-19
Cases and Vaccinations in
San Bernardino County



Joint Mobile COVID-19 Vaccine Event Success Stories



Mapping Mobile COVID-19 Vaccine Events (December - January)



**COVID-19 Vaccine Equity Newsletter** 

### **Hello Community Members!**



## COVID-19 Vaccine Equity Forum

#### Let's Discuss!

## What have communities been bringing up about COVID-19 vaccines?

Where do you go for COVID-19 information? Where do other community members go?

What are some reasons that members of your community do not get vaccinated?

# Tracking COVID-19 Cases and Vaccinations in San Bernardino County

(December - January)

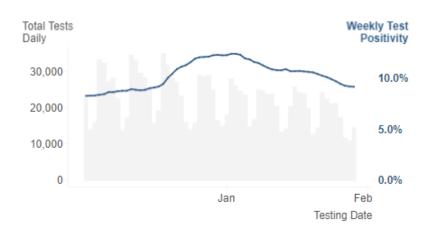
#### **COVID-19 Case and Hospitalization Data**

#### COVID-19 Testing

• *Positivity Rate:* 9.1% (2/1/24)



**9.1%** Test Positivity (Most Recent 7-Day Rate) 1.1% Decrease From 7 Days Prior



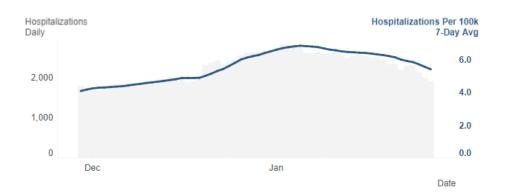
#### Hospital Admissions:

~2100 admissions on the week of 1/28/24

#### COVID-19



2,154.14 COVID-19 Hospitalizations (Most Recent 7-Day Average)
5.368 COVID-19 Hospitalizations Per 100k (Most Recent 7-Day Average)
-320.57 Hospitalizations from Prior 7 Days (-13.0%)



Data from December 2023 - February 1, 2024

Source: <u>Tracking COVID-19 in California - Coronavirus COVID-19 Response</u> (Updated February 1, 2024)

#### **DISCLAIMER**

The California Department of Public Health (CDPH) no longer requires persons to report their COVID-19 positive status.

#### San Bernardino County Vaccination Data

**January 5, 2024**Updated Vaccine Recipients

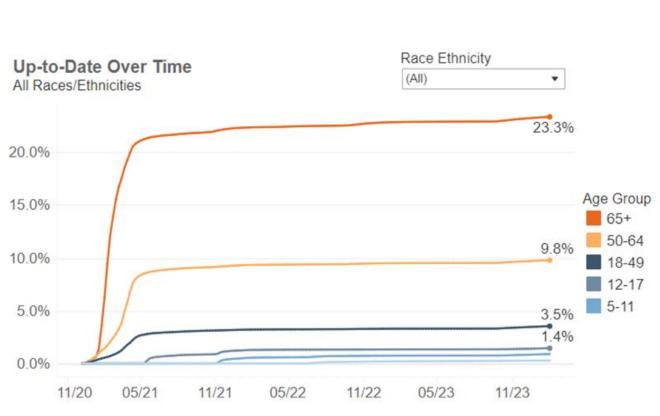
**February 1, 2024**Updated Vaccine Recipients

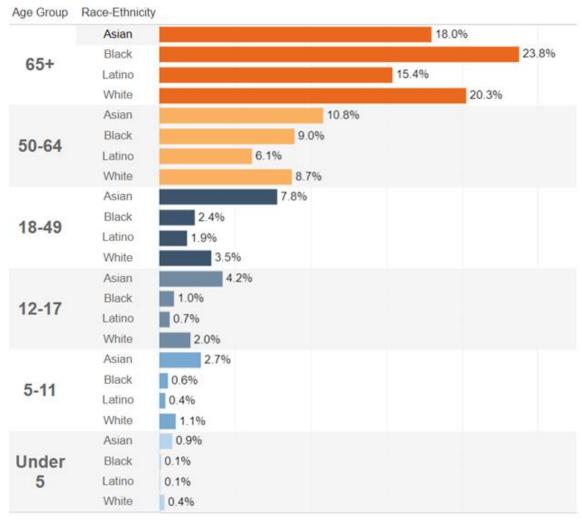
% of Population

5.8%

% of Population

6.5%





## Joint Mobile COVID-19 Vaccine Event Success Stories

#### **Vaccine Event Success Story**

## Warehouse Worker's Resource Center

Our Lady of Guadalupe Church San Bernardino 92411

- 1/7
- **109** total vaccinations
  - **54** COVID-19 vaccinations
  - **55** Flu vaccinations





#### **San Bernardino County Superintendent of Schools**

West End Education Center, DMCC, & DILC

- 1/5, 1/16, 1/18, & 1/19
- 31 total vaccinations
  - 23 COVID-19 vaccinations
  - 8 Flu vaccinations

### **Benjamin E. Jones Community Resource Center**

H.E.L.P.E.R.S - Seccombe Lake

- 1/26
- **10** total vaccinations:
  - 5 COVID-19 vaccinations
  - **5** Flu vaccinations



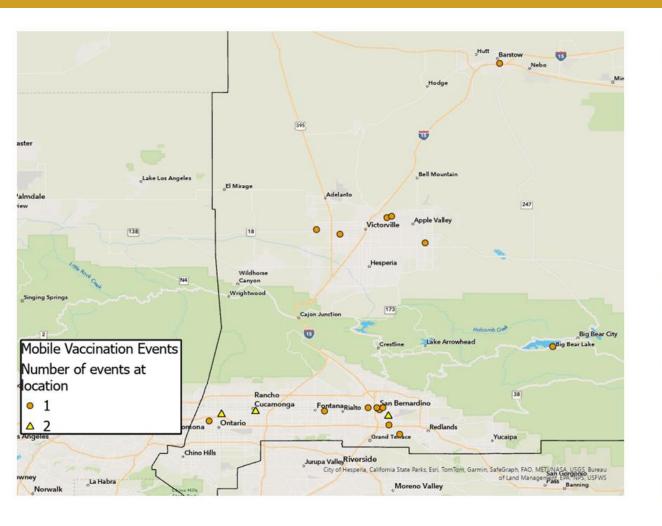


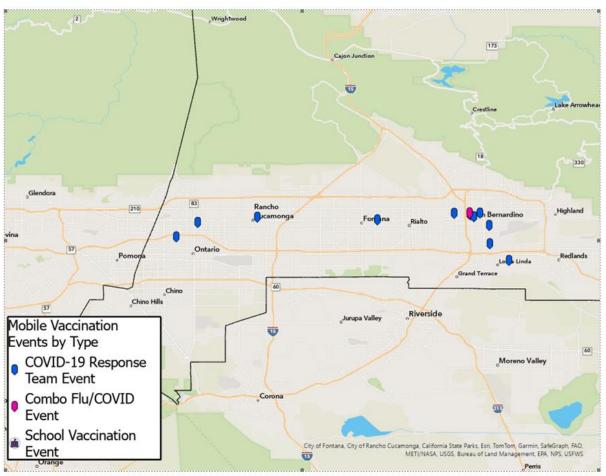
### Consulado de Mexico en San Bernardino

Ventanilla de Salud (Health Window)

- 1/24
- **14** total vaccinations:
  - **7** COVID-19 vaccinations
  - **7** Flu vaccinations

# Mapping Mobile COVID-19 Vaccine Events (January)





#### **Health Equity Resources**



- Health Equity Education Series
- Principles for Using Public Health Data to Drive Equity
- Taking A Sacred Pause: An Equity Leadership Practice
- Engaging Indigenous Communities in Health Equity Activities

## COVID-19 Vaccine Equity Newsletter



Here we share countywide vaccination goals, data to identify disparities, and track progress, resources to support equity in action, and success stories.

#### **COVID-19 Vaccine Equity Goals**

Happy New Year!

As the New Year starts, we have six months to achieve our COVID-19 vaccine equity goals. As a reminder, below you will find our goals for 2024:

By June 2024, 25% of SBC residents >65 years old will be vaccinated, and there will be less than 3% difference in vaccination rates among racial and ethnic groups.

By June 2024, 15% of children 6 months to 5 years old will be vaccinated, and there will be less than 3% difference in vaccination rates among racial and ethnic groups.

Vaccination data as of 01/19/2024 shows:

- Vaccination rates for adults >65 years old have increased. 21.6% of Black/African American adults are vaccinated, but Asian (16.5%) and Latinx (13.8%) counterparts are trailing.
- Overall, the 6 months to 5 year old age group has not reached a 1% vaccination rate, and Black/African American and Latinx children are among those least vaccinated.

See chart below for additional vaccination data:

COVID-19 Resources

COVID-19 Isolation Guidance (ca.gov)

Factors That Affect Your Risk of Getting Very Sick from COVID-19 | CDC

3 Things to Know About JN.1, the New Coronavirus Strain

Tracking Variants

FAQ - Commercialization of COVID-19 Medical Countermeasures (hhs.gov)

My Turn - California
Vaccine Scheduling &
Notifications

Mobile COVID-19
Vaccination or Testing
Event Request Form

#### Trainings

Vaccine Expiration Date and Beyond-Use Date or Time Video Series

#### Successful Strategies

California's Rural North:
Evidence-Based Strategies
and County-Level Best
Practices to Improve
Health Equity

### **COVID-19 Vaccine Equity Newsletter**

## Is everyone who signed up for the COVID-19 Vaccine Equity Newsletter receiving the newsletter?

Please email communityevents@dph.sbcounty.gov to be added to the distribution list.

### **COVID-19 Vaccine Equity Newsletter**

#### Did you find the information useful?

- Resources
- Updates
- Guidance

Is there additional information you would like included in the newsletter?



### **Next Meeting:** March 6



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## Thank you!

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