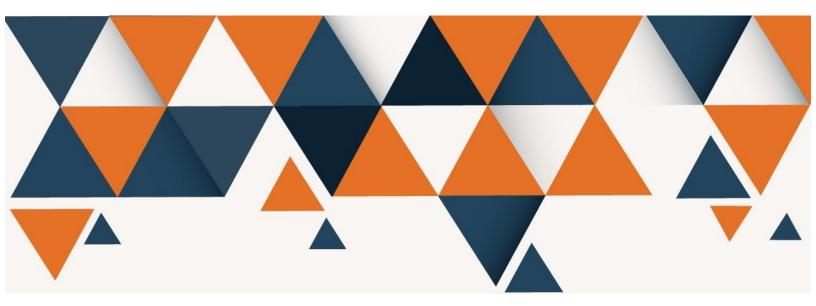# Covid-19 Report

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Salt Lake County Numbers

Cases	Trending	Vaccinations
Daily avg. past 7 days **55**	**5%** Reduction in cases over the past 14 days	**75%** Ages 5+
Cases per 100,000 **5**	Community Level **Low**	**70%** All ages

Utah Covid News
The reduction in Utah's Covid numbers are starting to flatten out. We only saw a 5% reduction in cases over the last two weeks. However, the case numbers look positive for now. There are still no restrictions in place in Utah.

Utah is moving into a new status in their covid response. They are moving away from providing free testing sites and referring people to local private medical providers when seeking a covid test. Below are links to Utah's new covid response and a search page to find the closest location to get tested.

[What you need to know about Utah's new steady state Covid response](#)

[Utah testing sites](#)

Vaccines
The FDA has authorized a fourth shot of Pfizer and Moderna vaccines for adults over the age of 50. Moderna plans to request from the FDA authorization of a vaccine shot for children under the age of 6. They claim their children's vaccine performs as well in children as it does in adults.

[CDC vaccine recommendations](#)

Current Surge in Cases
The new BA.2 variant is surging in the U.K., parts of China, and South Korea. The prevalence of Covid-19 in the U.K. has reached record levels, with about 1 in 13 people estimated to be infected with the BA.2 virus in the past week, according to the latest figures from Britain's official statistics agency. Shanghai on Sunday ordered its 26 million residents to undergo two more rounds of tests for COVID-19 to combat the surge in cases in China.

Summary
Cases are still on the decline but on a slower rate. For now, Utah is very quiet with regards to Covid. Hopefully this will continue for the upcoming Pycon conference.

Eventually, the US will see a surge in cases much like what we are seeing in the U.K., China, and South Korea, but it's unclear when that will happen.