

COVID-19 Council Update

January 19, 2021

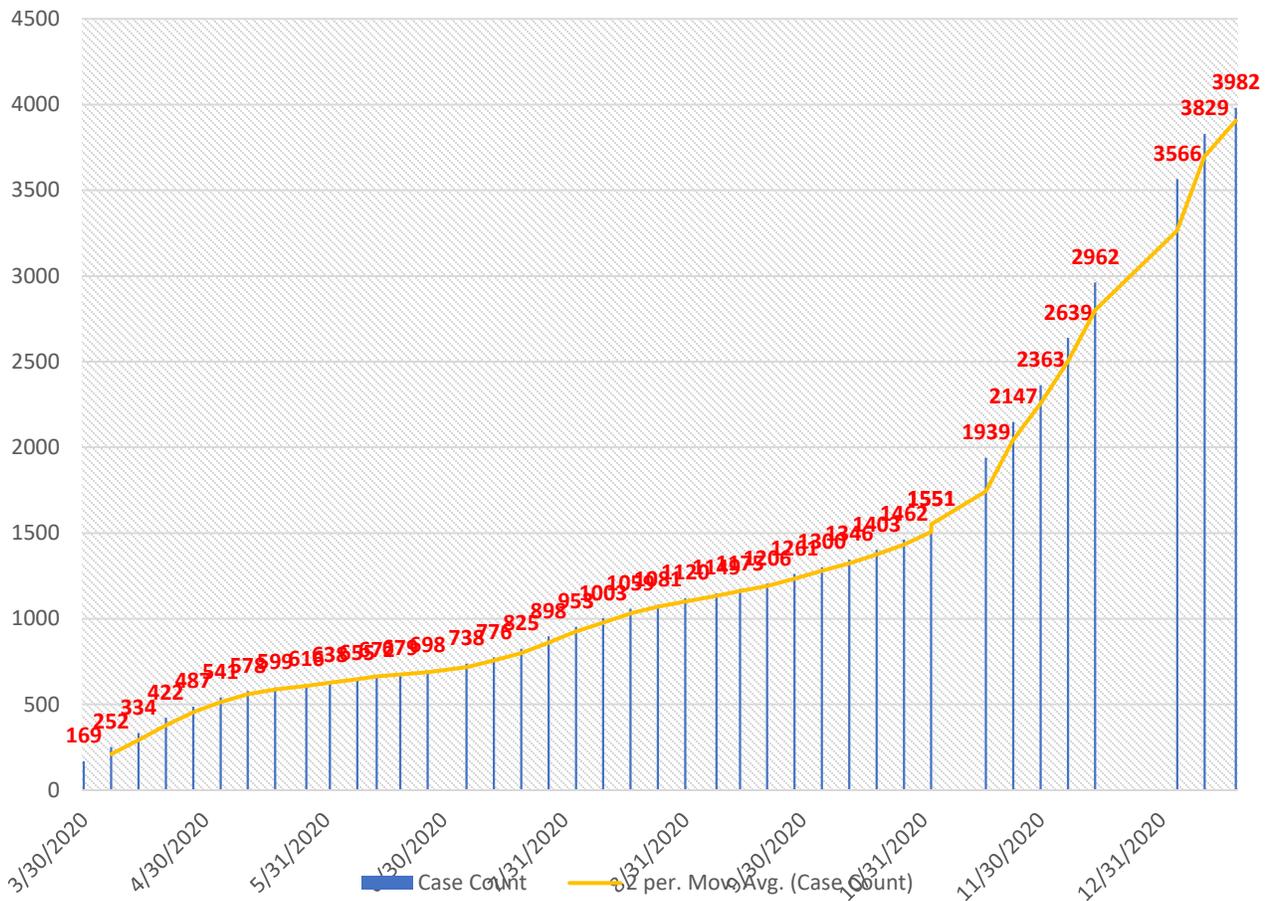
Current Statistics as of 1/19/2021:

- **Snohomish County** – 27,340 Confirmed/Probable cases (+1,203 cases from 1/11)
 - 458 Deaths (+30 from 1/11)
 - 1,736 Hospitalizations
 - 82 currently hospitalized with confirmed COVID-19, 9 patients requiring ventilators

- **Washington State** – 277,404 Confirmed cases; (+17,044 from 1/11)
 - 3,903 Deaths statewide
 - 16,558 Hospitalizations
 - 1.3% of Deaths/Confirmed Cases

- **City of Lynnwood** – 3,982 Cases (+153 from 1/11) – 3,226 recovered
 - 45 Deaths

Lynnwood Trending



*Statistics and data compiled from the Snohomish Health District website and the Washington State Department of Health website.

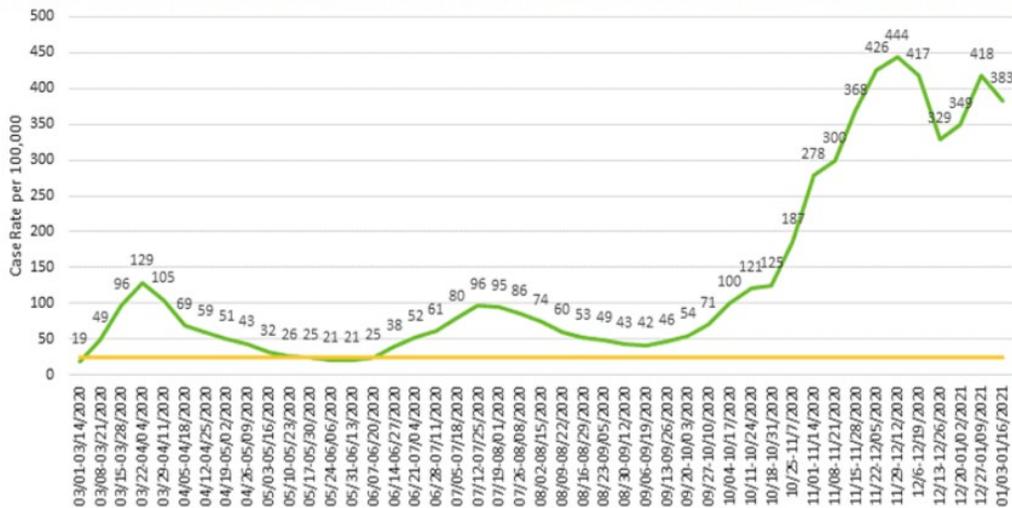
Status Update:

- COVID Case Rate Climb Again:** The latest case rate for Snohomish County is 383 per 100,000 residents. This is a slight decrease from last week, but we are a long way from being able to reopen. The snapshot is provided as an informational item, but it is not an official decision making tool. Snohomish County remains in Phase 1 of Healthy Washington--Roadmap to Recovery.

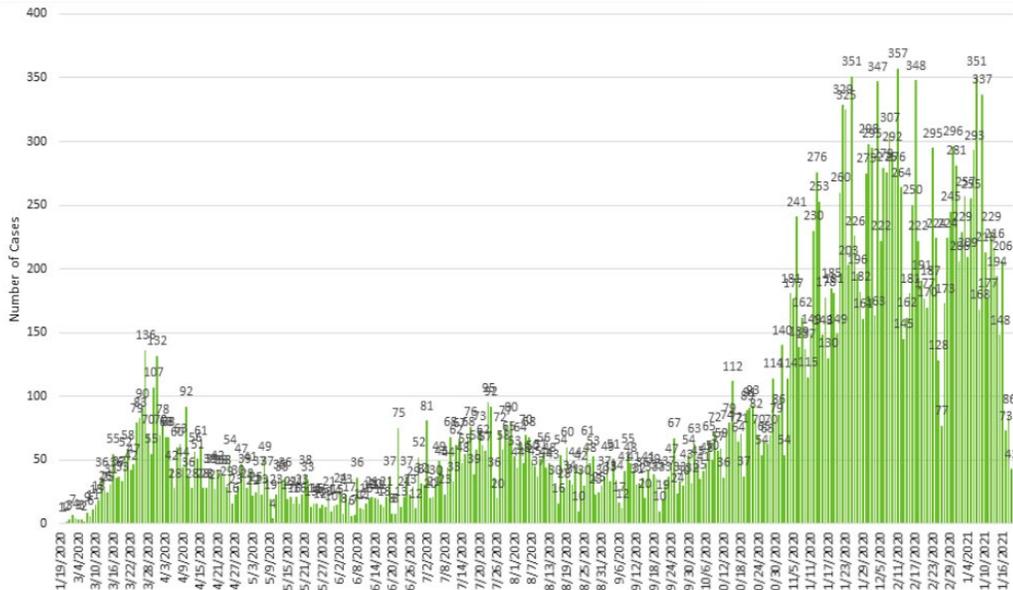
Based on our preliminary data, and given the increased cases and test positivity rates after the holidays, we anticipate numbers going back up for the next reports being run by the Department of Health on Friday.

While people are waiting to get their vaccines, it is still critically important that we stay vigilant about wearing face coverings, limiting social gatherings and watching our distance. These efforts will help get the transmission levels down in the more immediate term and the vaccines will help keep them down.

SNOHOMISH COUNTY COVID-19 CASE RATE PER 100,000 FOR 2-WEEK ROLLING PERIOD (UPDATED MONDAYS)



COVID-19 CASES REPORTED IN SNOHOMISH COUNTY BY DATE (UPDATED WEEKDAYS)



- **Vaccinations Now Available to Phase 1b1:** On Monday, Governor Jay Inslee announced that COVID vaccine providers can move to Phase 1b1 of vaccination immediately. Phase 1b1 includes all people age 65 and older, and those 50 and older in multigenerational households.

Eligibility information, as well as information on how to get vaccinated, has been updated at [Here](#). Be sure to check with your regular healthcare provider, local clinic, or pharmacy on vaccination plans. If your provider does not offer COVID-19 vaccine, you can register for an appointment at one of the drive-thru vaccination sites coordinated by the Snohomish County Vaccine Taskforce. Please note that appointments may book up quickly for the drive-thru sites, so check back.

Vaccine supply is still limited, and it will take time to vaccinate everyone who is now eligible. We ask everyone to be patient as work continues to get Snohomish County residents vaccinated as quickly as possible.

Updates to who is eligible for COVID vaccine

- All people **65 years or older**
- People **50 or older in multigenerational households** (2 or more generations)
 - Example: An older adult who cannot live alone and is being cared for by a relative or in-home caregiver, or an older adult who shares the home with a grandchild.
- Workers in **health care settings**
- High-risk **first responders**
- Residents and staff of **nursing homes, assisted living facilities,** and other community-based, congregate living settings where individuals over 65 receive care, supervision, or assistance



COVID Vaccine



www.snohd.org/covidvaccine

• **bit.ly/SnoCoHub**



Snohomish County

- **Three Community Drive Through Vaccine Sites Now Available:** Three drive-thru COVID-19 vaccination sites are now operating in Snohomish County: Edmonds College, Paine Field, and the Monroe County Fair Grounds.

The sites are part of a multifaceted approach to increase vaccine access for Snohomish County residents. Additional sites are in the planning stages and information on new sites, who is eligible, and how to get vaccinated in Snohomish County will continue to be updated at www.snohd.org/covidvaccine and bit.ly/SnoCoHub under the COVID-19 Vaccine button.

- **Drive Through Testing Sites:**



The graphic features a dark blue background with a white border. At the top, there are six green car icons. Below them, the text "COVID-19 Testing Available Jan. 16-Jan. 22" is written in white. Underneath, it says "Register for an appointment & find more info at www.snohd.org/testing" in white. The main body of the graphic is white with a dark blue border, containing five testing site locations and their hours. At the bottom, it states "Testing is for COVID-19 and is by appointment. Results should be available in 2-3 calendar days." and includes the Snohomish Health District logo and website URL.

COVID-19 Testing Available Jan. 16-Jan. 22

Register for an appointment & find more info at www.snohd.org/testing

Testing at 3900 Broadway, Everett:

- Open seven days a week from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Testing at 915 N Broadway, Everett:

- Monday through Friday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Testing at 5320 176th St SW, Lynnwood:

- Monday, Tuesday, and Thursday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Testing at Evergreen State Fairgrounds off of 179th Ave SE, Monroe:

- Monday through Thursday from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Testing at 501 Date St in Sultan:

- Friday from 9 a.m. to 3 p.m.

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- **Snohomish County Reopens Small Business Relief Grants:** Snohomish County Executive Dave Somers on Tuesday announced the reopening of the Small Business Relief, Recovery, and Resiliency (R3) Grant Program. This grant program is a key part of the relief and recovery action Snohomish County is taking to help businesses impacted by the pandemic. This grant program is part of the package of COVID-19 responses funded by CARES Act resources. Businesses that previously applied to the R3 program in 2020 but have not yet received an award will automatically be considered in this round and do not need to reapply.

The application for the R3 Grant Program is now reopened. Small business owners who have not previously applied for the R3 grant program may visit www.workforcesnohomish.org for details and application materials. Applicants can also request a direct link to the application and instructions by sending an email to requestgrant@workforcesnohomish.org.

- **Lynnwood Recreation Center opens for limited recreation activities:** The Lynnwood Recreation Center has opened its weight room by appointment only for socially distanced workouts. The lap pool, wellness pool, weight room, and a few fitness classes, are currently open with limited capacity.

To register for a session by phone, please call 425-670-5732, or online, by logging in to your account and looking for Facility Access - Lap and Wellness Pool Access, Facility Access - Group Fitness. To go directly to the online registration page.

- **REMINDERS**

- Staying home is still the safest. If you do go out, keep it quick, keep your distance and wear a face covering. Recreate and do business locally to avoid spreading the virus

across county lines. Limit the number of people outside of your household that you gather with every week. If you feel symptoms of COVID-19, get tested.

- **Symptoms:** Fever, Chills, Cough, Difficulty breathing, Fatigue, Muscle pain or body aches, Headache, Sore throat, Runny nose or nasal congestion, or New loss of taste or smell.
- **Asymptomatic individuals:** If you are a close contact of a confirmed case, or Live in a congregate setting, like a shelter, group home or assisted living facility, or Work in a location that has had a case, Part of a family or social network that has had a case, or Work in healthcare, EMS, law enforcement or other fields where work settings have a higher risk of catching or spreading COVID-19, or Are part of a racial or ethnic group that has been disproportionately impacted by this virus in terms of rate or severity of cases (this includes people who are Black, Latinx, Native American/Alaskan Native, or Pacific Islander).

- **Extended Telecommuting:** The EOC Command Staff along with Mayor Smith have made the decision to extend employee telecommuting through the end of the first quarter of 2021.

- **CARES Act Funding:** The City of Lynnwood is eligible to receive \$1,782,000 in federal CARES Act Funding.

- Recap of \$1,782,000 CARES Act Funding allocations:

▪ Technology Costs	\$220,000
▪ Payroll Costs (estimates)	\$60,000
▪ COVID-related expenses	\$208,000
▪ Business Relief Fund	\$800,000
▪ Community Relief Fund	\$250,000
▪ Additional city expenses related to COVID-19	\$194,000
▪ Grant to the Lynnwood Food Bank	\$50,000

- Sub-recipient Grant from Snohomish County for Small Business Grant Program: \$231,596