

COVID-19 Impact on Broward County, FL March 2020 - March 2021

One Community Partnership 3

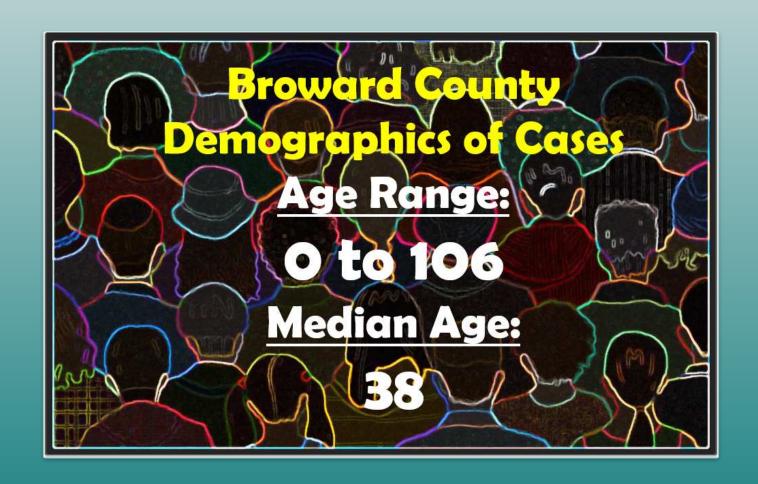


Working together - Making a difference

On March 8, 2020, Broward County reported its first positive case of COVID-19. During the pandemic, the lead evaluator began compiling data representing the impact of the pandemic on the community. The data compiled in this report provides the context for the community environment that OCP3 has been implemented in the last 12 months of the pandemic. Data was prioritized by county, then by region/state, and national data when local data was not available. The data was categorized based on the primary social determinants of health and healthcare.



DEMOGRAPHICS: Age

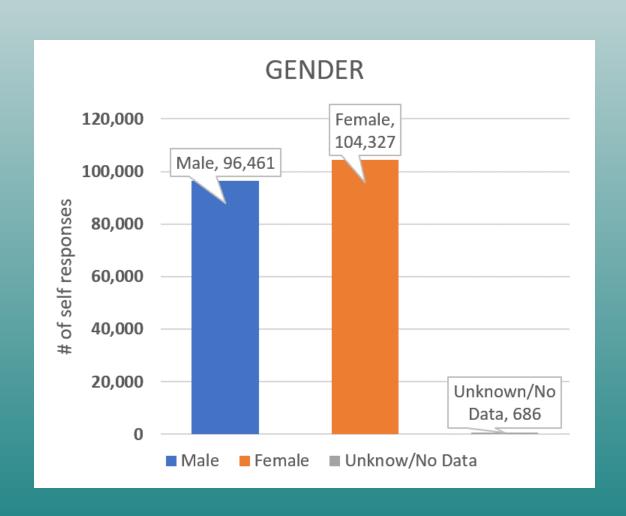


Broward County

Demographics



DEMOGRAPHICS: Gender

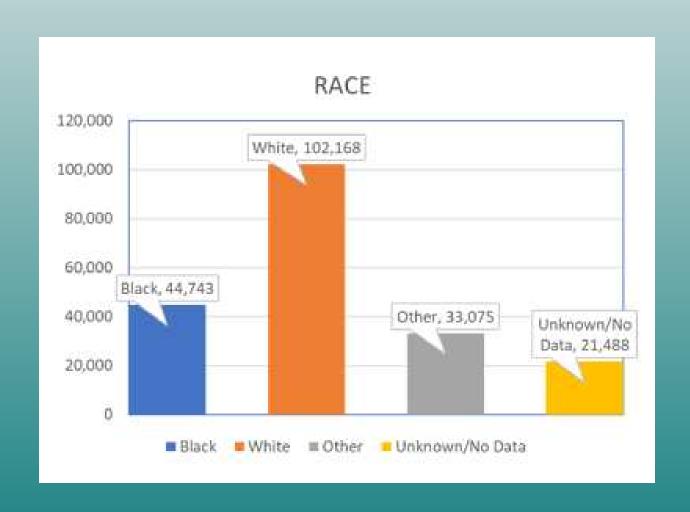


Broward County

Demographics



DEMOGRAPHICS: Race



Broward County

Demographics

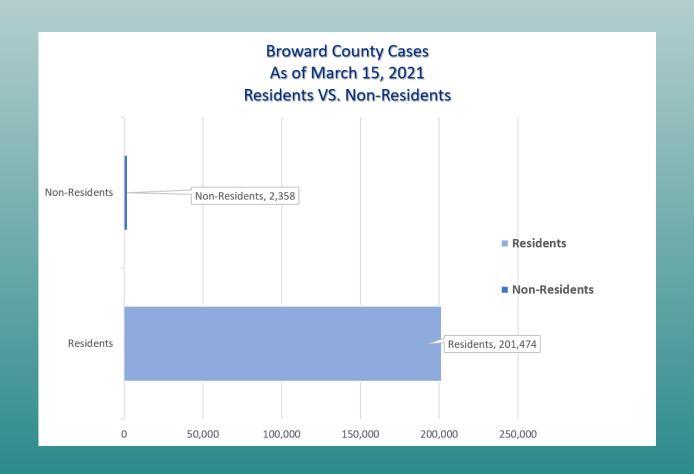


DEMOGRAPHICS: Ethnicity





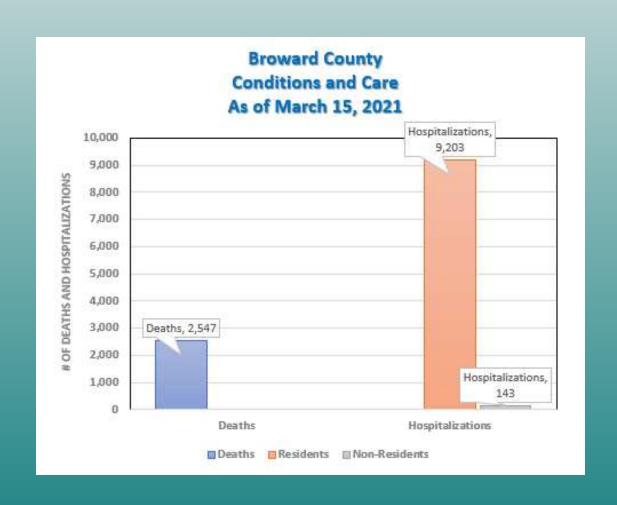
DEMOGRAPHICS: Residents vs. Non-Residents



Broward County

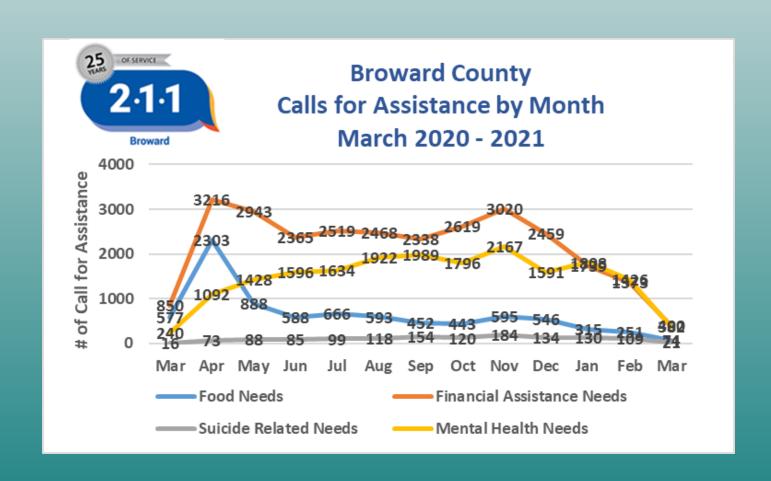


DEMOGRAPHICS: Deaths and Hospitalizations



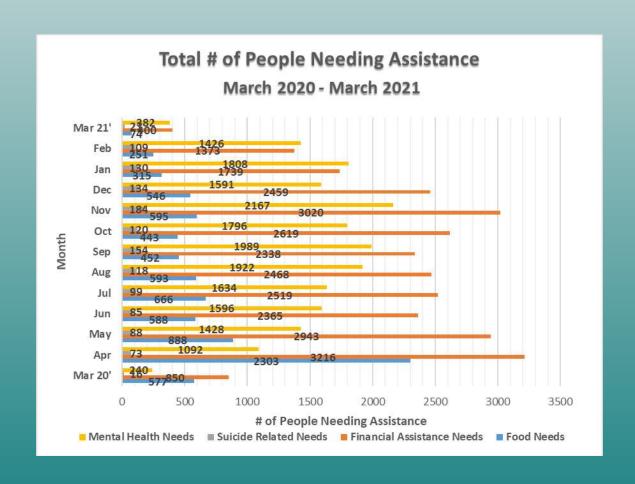


SOCIAL SUPPORT: Calls for Assistance





SOCIAL SUPPORT: Calls for Assistance by Month





Broward County COVID-19 Impact 2020 - 2021 Broward County Public Schools

Broward County Public Schools (Feb 2021)

Students returned to in-person school

BCPS Miami-Dade

35% 50%

BCPS youth returned to school

50% of elementary school students

16% of high school students

Broward County



Broward County COVID-19 Impact 2020 - 2021 Broward County Public Schools

Broward County Public Schools (Feb 2021)

BCPS Superintendent Runci estimates that:

Nearly 60,000 students "are struggling academically, socially and emotionally"

84% of those children are Black or Hispanic

69% come from low-income households

34% are English-language learners

25% have disabilities

Broward County

Broward County Public Schools

https://d3n9y02raazwpg.cloudfront.net/browardschools/339d2020-7b82-11eb-96cb-0050569183fa-63aa63db-254e-4225-a5ca-ccef6a4e1570-1615587306.pdf



Health Story by Broward Health Regional Planning Council: Zip Codes with High COVID-19 Cases

Broward County Public Schools (Feb 2021)

BCPS Superintendent Runci estimates that (cont.):

Number of habitually truant students increased

<u>last year</u>

this year

from **1,700**

to 8,200

a nearly 400% increase

% of students receiving one or more F's

by end of first grading period

tripled to 11 percent

Enrollment fell by 8,700, four X normal annual decrease typically attributed to students' movement to charter schools

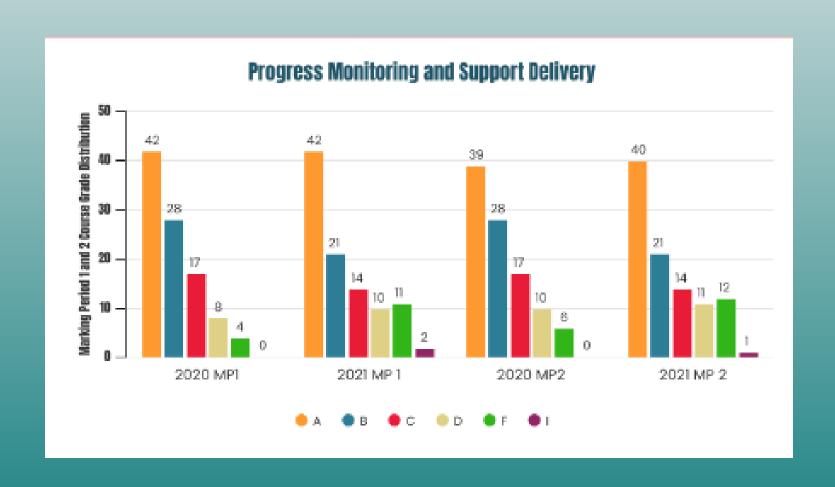
Broward County

Broward County Public Schools

https://d3n9y02raazwpg.cloudfront.net/browardschools/339d2020-7b82-11eb-96cb-0050569183fa-63aa63db-254e-4225-a5ca-ccef6a4e1570-1615587306.pdf



BCPS: Progress Monitoring and Support Delivery



Broward County

BROWARD COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

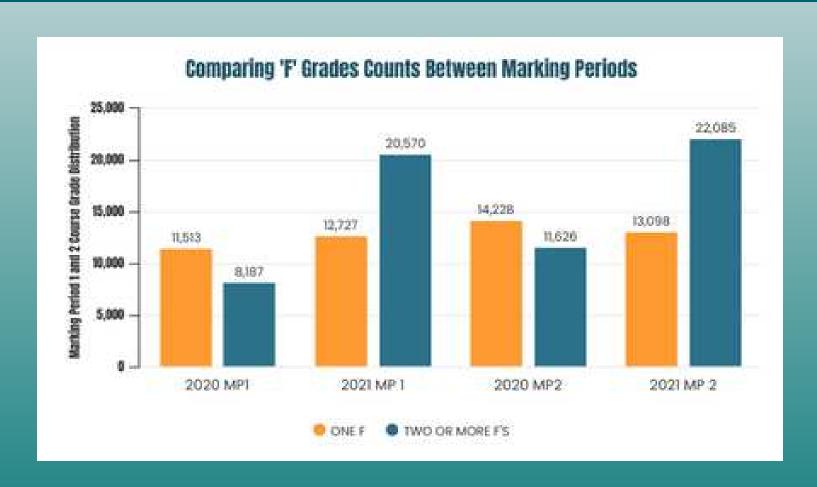
https://legistarweb-

production.s3.amazonaws.com/uploads/attachment/pdf/828772/Progress_Monitoring_Support

Sorvices ndf



BCPS: Comparing 'F' Grade Counts Between Marking Periods



Broward County

BROWARD COUNTY PUBLIC SCHOOLS

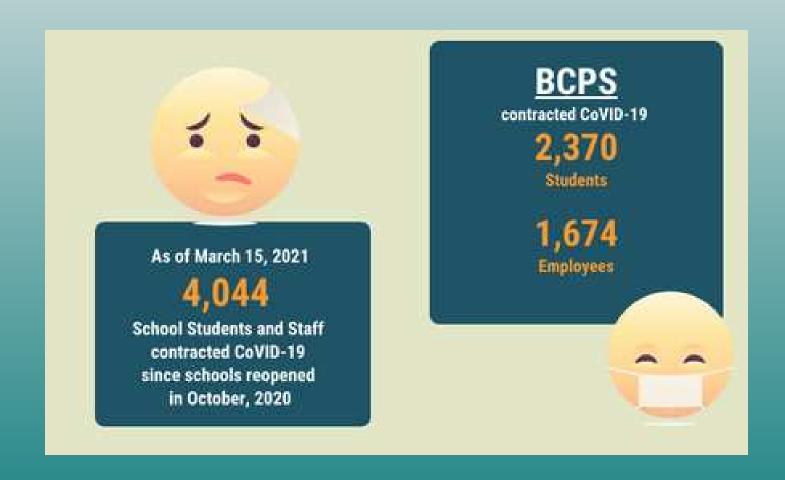
https://legistarweb-

production.s3.amazonaws.com/uploads/attachment/pdf/828772/Progress_Monitoring_Support

Sorvices ndf



BCPS: COVID-19 Cases



Broward County

Demographics



Broward County COVID-19 Impact 2020 - 2021 Broward County Public Schools

Broward County Public Schools (Feb 2021)

Students <u>returning to school in person or virtually</u>
2020-2021 school year

9,000 fewer students returned 2021/2022 school year

School open
100% in-person teaching
Fall 2021 school year

Broward County

Broward County Public Schools

https://d3n9y02raazwpg.cloudfront.net/browardschools/339d2020-7b82-11eb-96cb-0050569183fa-63aa63db-254e-4225-a5ca-ccef6a4e1570-1615587306.pdf



Broward County: UNEMPLOYMENT

JAN 2021

JAN 2021

BROWARD REGION

5.3%

1.9%

9% 3.4%

LABOR FORCE

1,006,591

-4.3

44,819

UNEMPLOYED RESIDENTS IN REGION

53,023



Broward County: UNEMPLOYMENT

NON-AGRICULTURAL EMPLOYMENT

JAN 2021

808,500 -7.2%





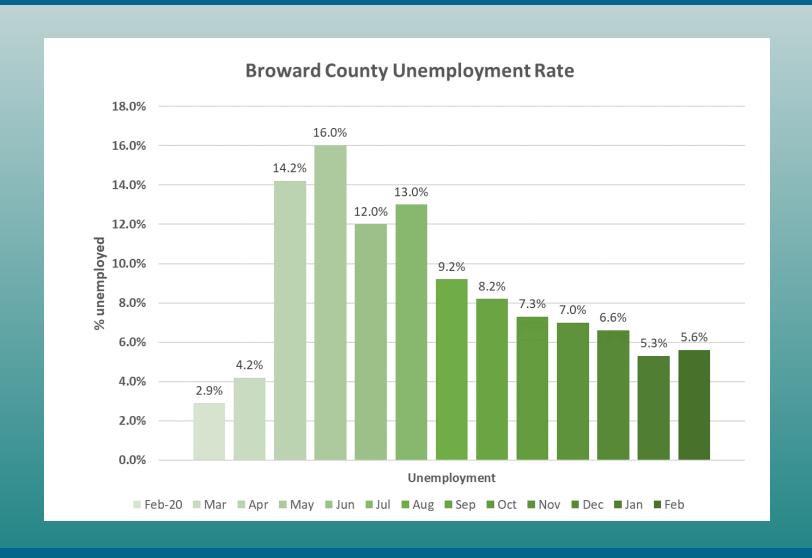
Broward County: Job Loss Over Year

<u>2020 JOB LOSS</u>	
Leisure and hospitality	-18,400 JOBS
Trade, transportation, and utilities	-10,400 JOBS
Professional and business servies	-10,200 JOBS
Education and health services	-6,600 JOBS
Other services	-5,200 JOBS
Government	-4,600 JOBS
Manufacturing	-2,200 JOBS
Financial activities	-2,000 JOBS
Construction	-1,900 JOBS
Information	-1,200 JOBS

Broward County
UNEMPLOYMENT

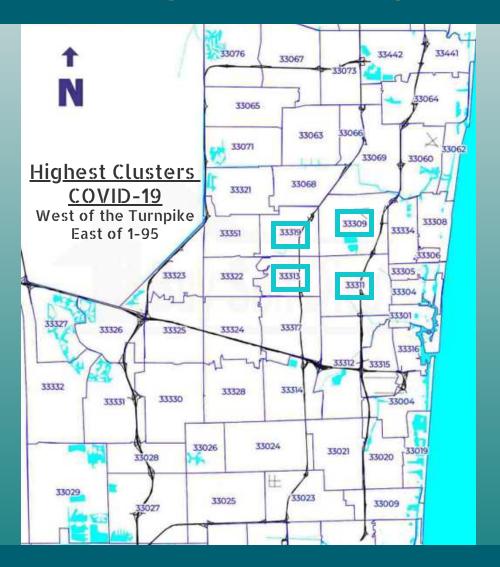


BROWARD: Unemployment Rate





Health Story produced by Broward Health Regional Planning Council





Health Story by Broward Health Regional Planning Council: Zip Codes with High COVID-19 Cases

are 53% white population

non-white group

COVID-19

<u>High</u>

zip codes

- black population is the predominant
- represent 37% of the population (significant 171% vs non-high zip codes)
- Hispanic population practically same across different zip codes
- are significantly poorer
- median income is \$55,988, which is 24% less than non-high zip codes
- have highest poverty rate (16%) nearly 60% higher than non-high zip codes
- 50% or more high rates of Sickle Cell Disease, Asthma, AIDS & Diabetes
- Regardless of chronic medical condition, rate/100K population is significantly high in zip codes with high Black vs White populations
- 28% greater in zip codes with high poverty

Broward County



FLORIDA COVID-19 Impact 2020 - 2021

OVERDOSE DEATHS



Overdoses

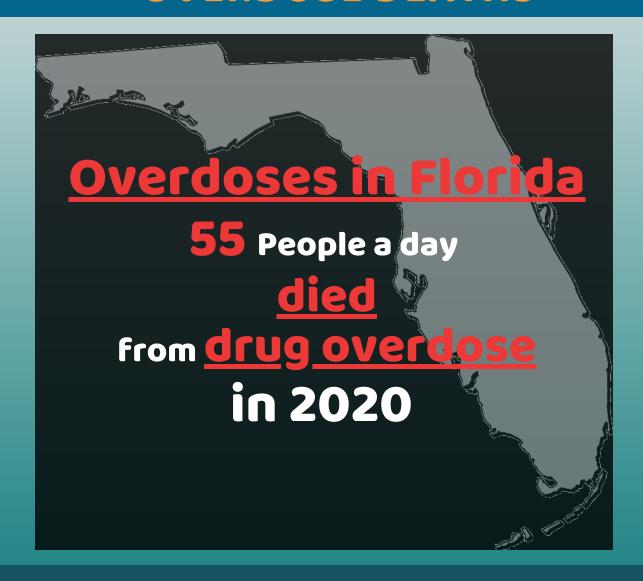
From February 2019 - February 2020 **7,098**

From February 2020 - February 2021 **5,127**



FLORIDA COVID-19 Impact 2020 - 2021

OVERDOSE DEATHS



Florida

Source: CDC Vital Statistics March 1 2021

https://www.gflalliance.org/news/2021/02/24/in-the-news/project-opioid-partners-with-florida-blue-foundation-to-build-statewide-collaboration-to-address-opioid-crisis/



FLORIDA COVID-19 Impact 2020 - 2021

OVERDOSE DEATHS

Younger generations hit hard 53% of all drug overdoses

in the state the ages of 25 and 44

*even though this segment only represents 25% of the population statewide

Florida

Source: CDC Vital Statistics March 1 2021

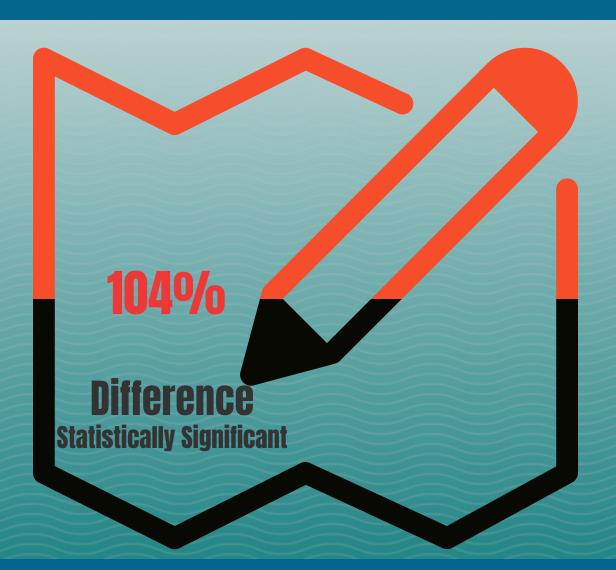
https://www.gflalliance.org/news/2021/02/24/in-the-news/project-opioid-partners-with-florida-blue-foundation-to-build-statewide-collaboration-to-address-opioid-crisis/



High COVID-19 in Non-White Zip Codes

High COVID-19 ZIP CODES 47%

Non-High COVID-19
ZIP CODES
230/0



Broward County

Cases by Zip Code

https://www.gflalliance.org/news/2021/02/24/in-the-news/project-opioid-partners-with-florida-blue-foundation-to-build-statewide-collaboration-to-address-opioid-crisis/



South Florida March 2021 COVID-19 Impact 2020 - 2021

CENSUS HOUSEHOLD PULSE SURVEY: South Florida Adults



1. Loss in Employment Income

22% expect someone in household to lose employment income in next 4 weeks, as compared to 20% of adults in the U.S.



2. Substituted In-Person Work

41% report at least one adult in the household has substituted some or all in-person work for tele-work because of the coronavirus pandemic, as compared to 38% of adults in the U.S.



3. Not Enough to Eat

13% report there was either sometimes or often not enough to eat in the last 7 days, as compared to 10% of households in the U.S.



4. Unable to Pay Housing

6% are not current on rent or mortgage payments and have slight/no confidence that their household can pay next month's rent or mortgage on time, as compared to 9% of household in U.S.



5. Eviction or Foreclosure Likely

25% live in households not current on rent or mortgage where eviction or foreclosure in the next two months is either very likely or somewhat likely, as compare to 35% of the U.S. households



6. Difficult to Pay Household Expenses

37% live in households where it has been somewhat or very difficult to pay for usual household expenses during the coronavirus pandemic, as compared to 35% of U.S. households



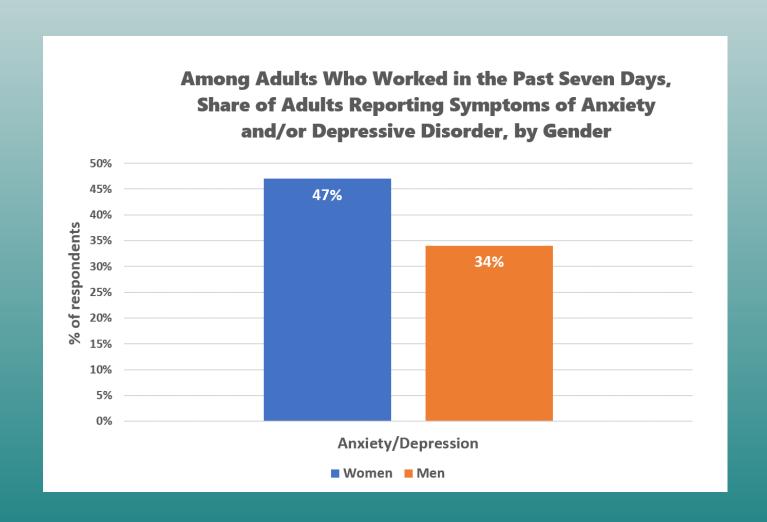
7. Plans Cancelled or Changed

79% at least one adult was planning on taking post-secondary classes this fall, but those plans have either been cancelled or changed in significant way, as compared to 77% of U.S. households

South Florida



ANXIETY & DEPRESSION BY GENDER

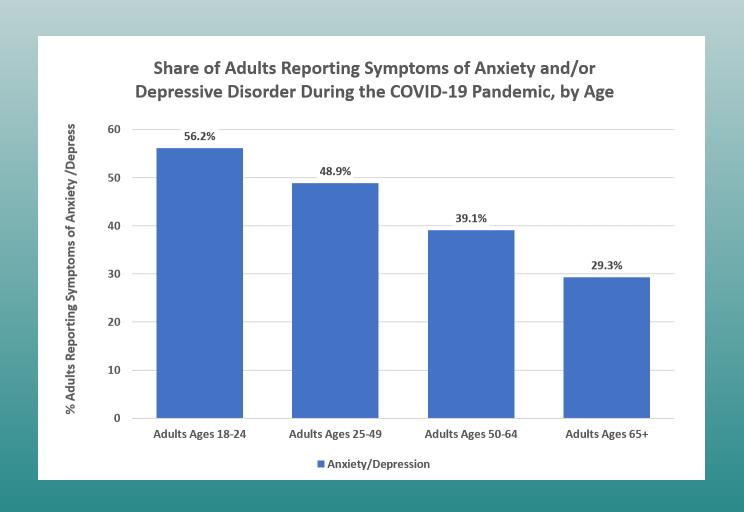


National

Both Remote and On-Site Workers are Grappling with Mental Health Consequences of COVID-19 https://www.kff.org/policy-watch/both-remote-and-on-site-workers-are-grappling-with-serious-mental-health-consequences-of-covid-19/



ANXIETY & DEPRESSION BY AGE

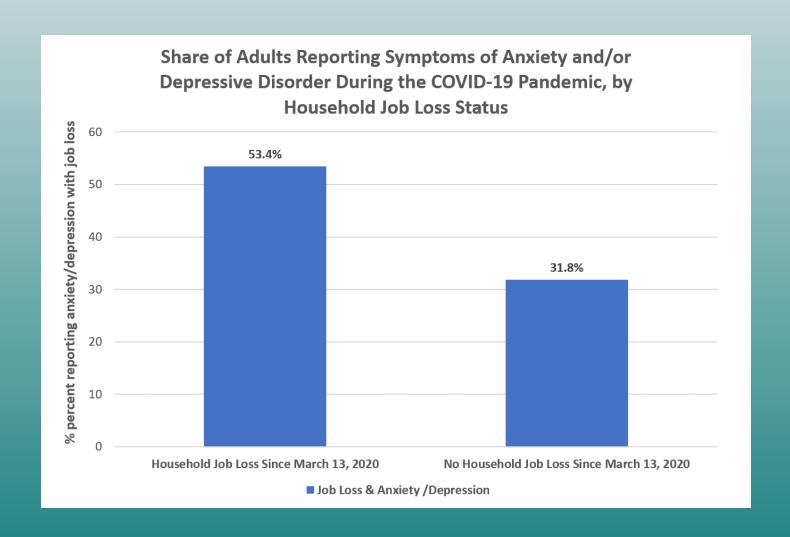


National

Both Remote and On-Site Workers are Grappling with Mental Health Consequences of COVID-19 https://www.kff.org/policy-watch/both-remote-and-on-site-workers-are-grappling-with-serious-mental-health-consequences-of-covid-19/



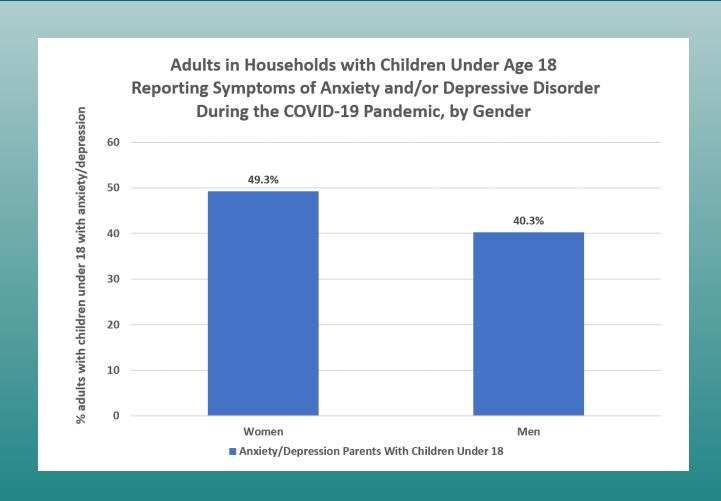
ANXIETY & DEPRESSION: HOUSEHOLD JOB LOSS STATUS



National



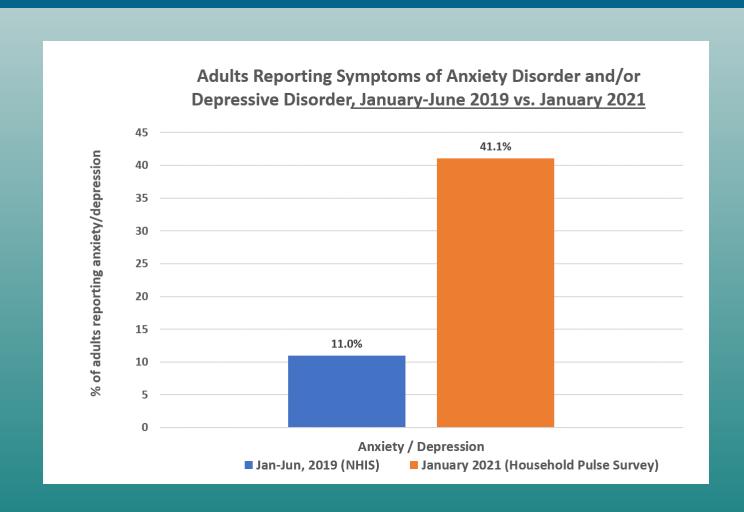
ADULTS w/Anxiety & Depression: w/Children Under Age 18



National



ADULTS W/ANXIETY & DEPRESSION January - June 2019 vs. January 2021

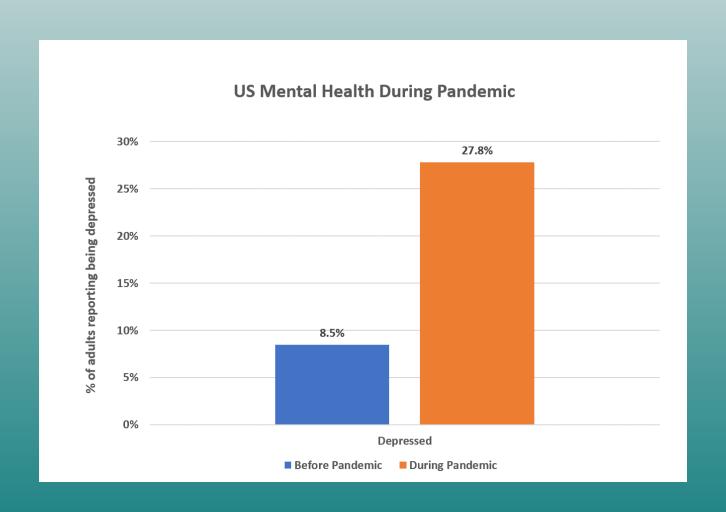


National

Both Remote and On-Site Workers are Grappling with Mental Health Consequences of COVID-19 https://www.kff.org/policy-watch/both-remote-and-on-site-workers-are-grappling-with-serious-mental-health-consequences-of-covid-19/

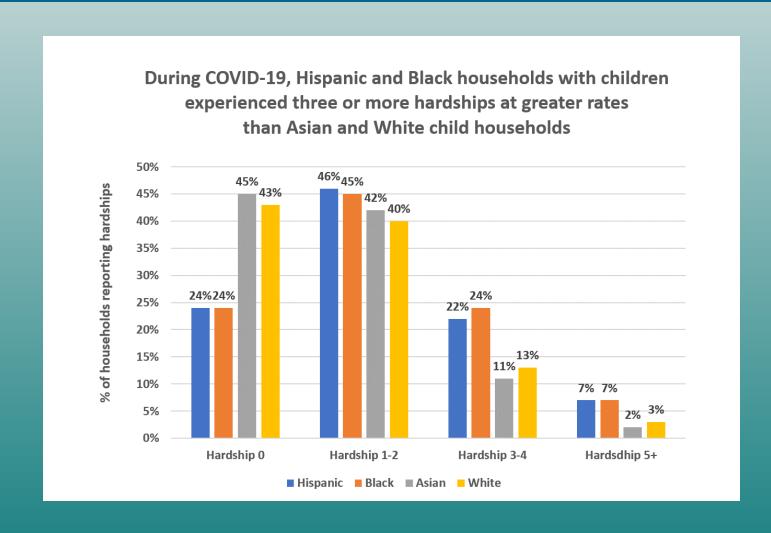


US Mental Health During the Pandemic Before and During Pandemic





US Mental Health During the Pandemic Hardships by Ethnicity in Households with Children



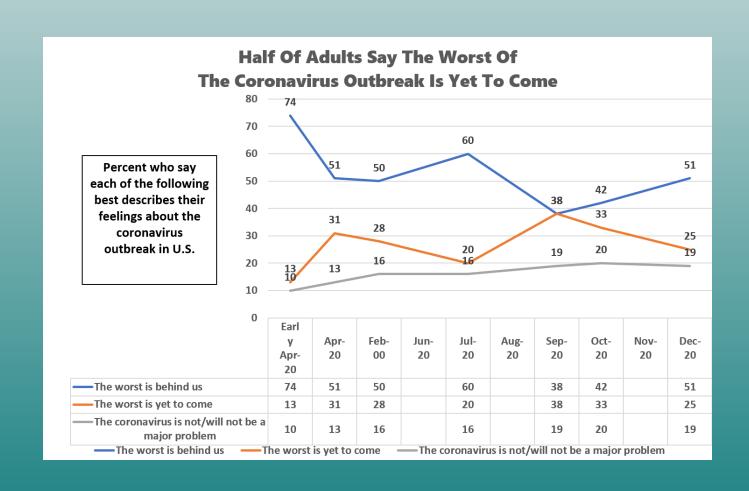
National

During Pandemic, Hispanic and Black households with children experienced three or more hardships at greater rates than Asian and White child households

Source: The Census Bureau Household Pulse Survey, Weeks 13-20 (August 19-Fecember 7, 2020).



HALF OF ADULTS SAY WORST OF VIRUS YET TO COME





NIDA: People with SUD Have Increased Risk for COVID-19 and Worse Outcomes (January 2021)

People w/ substance use disorder (SUD) at any time in their lives than w/o an SUD

1.5 times more likely to contract COVID-19

Those w/recent substance use disorder SUD

more than 8X more likely

People w/ <u>opioid use disorder</u> (OUD and <u>African Americans</u>

particularly high risk for COVID-19

COVID-19 patients w/ SUD

more likely to require hospitalization and die

Patients w/ OUD and African American

patients at greatest risk

National



JAMA: PTSD

1/3 of <u>patients seeking emergency department</u> <u>treatment for COVID-19</u>

diagnosed with post-traumatic stress disorder (PTSD)
at a post-recovery health check
between 1 and 4 months after acute infection

National

JAMA: PTSD

https://www.psychcongress.com/article/third-patients-severe-covid-19-diagnosed-ptsd-after-recovery? hmpid=cmhvbmRhQHNvY3BhcnRuZXJzLm5IdA==&utm_medium=email&utm_source=enewsletter&utm_cont ent=1239309903



JAMA: Patients Diagnosed w/PTSD

PATIENTS DIAGNOSED WITH PTSD

55.7% - were women

34.8% - reported a history of psychiatric disorders

16.5% - reported delirium or agitation during acute illness

62.6% - presented with more than 3 persistent medical symptoms in the post-illness stage

National

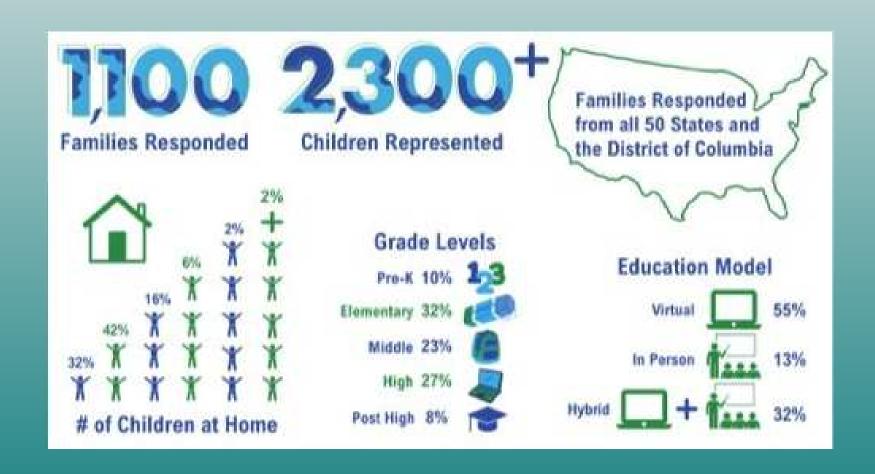
JAMA: PTSD

https://www.psychcongress.com/article/third-patients-severe-covid-19-diagnosed-ptsd-after-recovery?

hmpid=cmhvbmRhQHNvY3BhcnRuZXJzLm5ldA==&utm_medium=email&utm_source=enewsletter&utm_content=1239309903

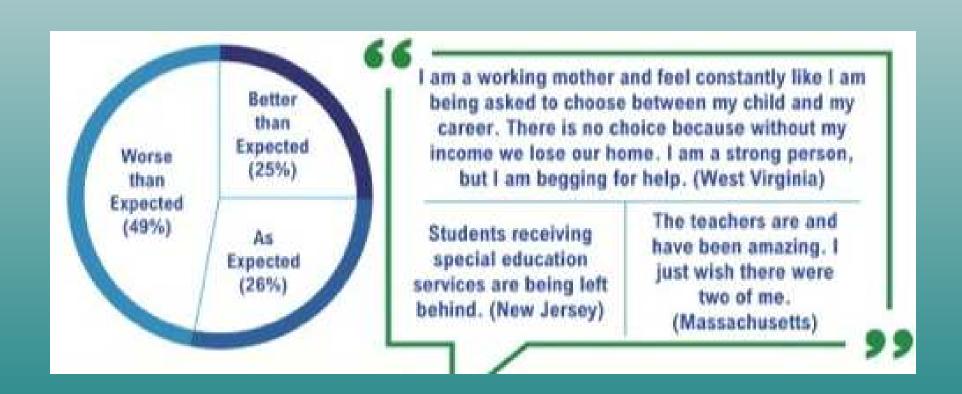


How are Children and Caregivers Doing, Really?





How Do Caregivers Feel School is Going for Their Children?





What Do Caregivers Say is Most Challenging?

#1



Balancing School and Work (Time) One of my kids is fine academically, but is extremely challenged by the lack of social interaction. Another one of my kids is requiring all of my time during the day to stay on task. And a third child is suffering because she has nothing to do because school hasn't started for her, so she is watching way too much TV because I can't do everything. (Oregon)



#2



Meeting Special Education Needs My son is nonverbal and this has not been taken into consideration at all and he is not receiving his speech and occupational therapy. (Texas)

There is no substitute for in-person instruction when it comes to special education. (New Jersey)



How Do Caregivers Say is Most Challenging?

#3



Navigating Platforms I have to take pictures of school work on my phone, send it to a school email, upload the images and then send them to the teacher. I waste lots of time waiting on the computer to load videos. I just don't feel like my child is learning much despite the best efforts of teachers.

She learns better in person with a variety of teachers for motivation.

(West Virginia)



#4
Support from
School/Teachers

The teachers and supports are stretched so thin between virtual and in-person classrooms. I don't see the same level of support and communication as pre-covid. (Texas)

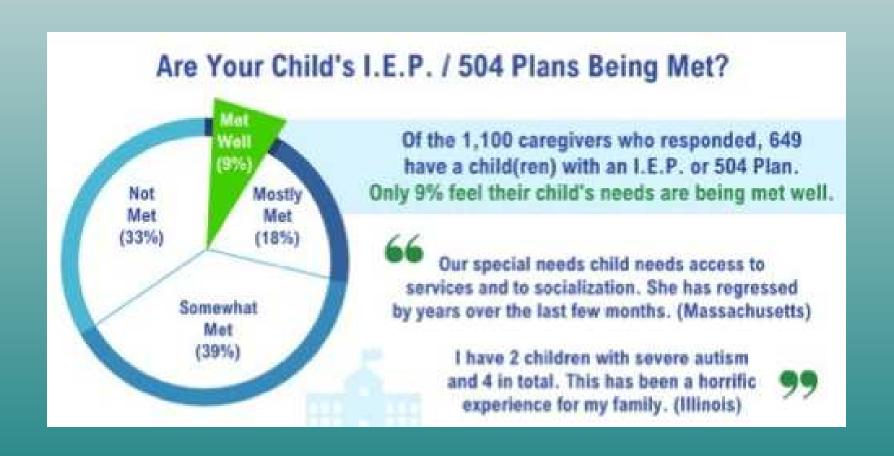


Hours Caregivers Spend Managing School at Home Daily





Are Your Child's I.E.P./ 504 Plans Being Met?





Impact on Caregiver and Child Mental Health





Impact on Caregiver and Child Mental Health

Caregivers report that both they and their children are experiencing an increase in behavioral health symptoms (anxiety, depression, substance use, negative thoughts) at equivalent rates (~70%). However, adults are accessing mental health services and supports more frequently than their children (56% vs. 39%).

This may be due to the limited number of mental health professionals serving children and youth. Engaging in telehealth services may also be more difficult for youth.

My grandson now has a negative self image due to his low grade in math. He says he's dumb because he doesn't understand the concepts. He has always been a very good student. At home, his mother is unable to help because she doesn't understand the math, struggles with substance abuse and is depressed. (West Virginia)

I have become depressed and anxious. I can't manage my work on top of helping my 6-year-old manage his school schedule and learn new material. It's absolutely exhausting, (Indiana)



FAMILY VOICES: Education and Mental Health during COVID-19

"We really need a voice."

It would help if teachers and staff understood the impact these changes have on families, especially in my situation. I have more than one child - one with an I.E.P. and each with multiple classes. Balancing and ensuring the stability of my household and managing virtual learning is extremely challenging. My mental health takes a hit. Instead of judgment and mistreatment, work with parents to find help and be versatile and creative to ensure the support and success of every student. (D.C.)

Working parents really need help. I cannot bear the weight of this pandemic much longer. I'm sick with worry every day because I can't even plan for tomorrow. I don't know if my child will be at school, daycare, or back up daycare. If my children have school, I have to report to work. Although I am fortunate my place of employment extended EFMLA, the twelve weeks are almost gone. My mental health is greatly affected. My son has asthma and if he isn't in school, he will be at an overcrowded daycare soon. Please help the working mother. We really need a voice. (West Virginia)

NATIONAL



FAMILY VOICES: Education and Mental Health during COVID-19

"It has been extremely stressful and emotionally draining."

Not having consistent learning in-person and last-minute cancellations of school have been extremely stressful and emotionally draining for both my children and myself. Having to juggle my job as well as the needs of my nonverbal son who requires care at all times is impossible. My son learns best when he is in his school program with structure and is interacting with staff. Virtual learning is not meeting his needs on the days that it is necessary. (New York)

My teenage daughters have both started on antidepressants in the last month. I was able to take 12 weeks of leave beginning in August via the CARES Act, but now that leave is up and I am having to balance full-time work from home and 2 students with special needs. It is really taxing on me. (North Carolina)

NATIONAL



Healthcare Workers at Risk for Mental Health Problems

More than half of doctors, nurses, and emergency responders involved in COVID-19 care could be at risk for one or more mental health problems.

Including acute traumatic stress, depression, anxiety, problematic alcohol use, and insomnia.

~University of Utah Health scientists





Healthcare Workers at Risk for Mental Health Problems

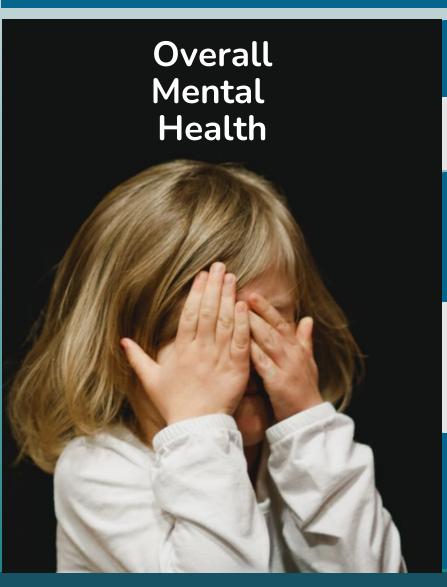


National

More than Half of COVID-19 Healthcare Workers at Risk for Mental Health Problems (Jan 2021) https://healthcare.utah.edu/publicaffairs/news/2021/01/covid-mental-health.php



Impact of COVID-19 on Pediatric Mental Health



Pediatric Mental Health



ages 13-18



March & April 2020
claim lines DOUBLED over same months in previous yr



mental health claims
& medical — claims
continued thru November 2020

ages 19-22 mental health trends less pronounced than ages 13-18

***as a % of medical claim lines from their levels in the corresponding months of 2019

National Pediatric Mental Health



Impact of COVID-19 on Pediatric Mental Health





Intentional Self-Harm







***% of all medical claim lines for as a % of all medical claim lines

National

Pediatric Mental Health

https://s3.amazonaws.com/media2.fairhealth.org/whitepaper/asset/The Impact of COVID-19 on Pediatric Mental Health - A Study of Private Healthcare Claims - A FAIR Health White Paper.pdf



Impact of COVID-19 on Pediatric Mental Health



Overdoses

<u>ages 13-18</u>

March 2020 94.91% April 2020 119.31%

(% of all medical claim lines in over the same months the year before)

Substance Use Disorders

March 64.64 % April 62.69 %

2020 as compared to their corresponding months in 2019

***as a % of medical claim lines from their levels in the corresponding months of 2019

National

Pediatric Mental Health

https://s3.amazonaws.com/media2.fairhealth.org/whitepaper/asset/The Impact of COVID-19 on Pediatric Mental Health - A Study of Private Healthcare Claims - A FAIR Health White Paper.pdf



Impact of COVID-19 on Pediatric Mental Health



Obsessive-Compulsive Disorder

Stric Disorder

2006 6-19

& <u>Tic Disorders</u>

<u>ages 6-12</u>



Spring - November 2020 April 2020

Generalized Anxiety Disorder

93.6 %

ages 13-18



April 2019

Major Depressive Disorder

83.9 %



Adjustment Disorder

89.7 %



***as a % of medical claim lines from their levels in the corresponding months of 2019

National

Pediatric Mental Health

https://s3.amazonaws.com/media2.fairhealth.org/whitepaper/asset/The Impact of COVID-19 on Pediatric Mental Health - A Study of Private Healthcare Claims - A FAIR Health White Paper.pdf