

**RSU 9 COVID-19 Data Update**  
**November 12, 2021**

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COVID-19 Data Update as of 11/12/21 (unless otherwise noted).

**Cumulative Cases by School for 2021/22 School Year**

School:	Total Cumulative Cases by School	W/E 9/3/21	W/E 9/10/21	W/E 9/17/21	W/E 9/24/21	W/E 10/1/21	W/E 10/8/21	W/E 10/15/21	W/E 10/22/21	W/E 10/29/21	W/E 11/5/21	W/E 11/12/21
AHS	7	0	1	1	0	0	0	0	1	2	0	2
CBS	19	0	1	1	2	1	3	1	1	0	4	5
CCHS	11	0	1	0	0	0	0	2	6	2	0	0
GDC	7	0	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	2	3	0
MBC	41	0	1	9	2	3	3	7	4	3	3	6
MBMS	31	0	0	4	3	2	1	8	3	1	4	5
WGM	21	1	2	2	2	1	1	4	1	4	1	2
Other*	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Total:	137	1	6	17	9	7	9	23	16	14	15	20

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**Close Contacts and Quarantine/Non-Quarantine by Week**

<b>Week Ending</b>	<b>Total Close Contacts</b>	<b>Total Exemption: Universal Masking</b>	<b>Total Exemption: Vaccination</b>	<b>Total Exemption: COVID + in last 90 days</b>	<b>Total Exemption: Pooled Testing</b>	<b>Total NO Quarantine - Exemptions May Overlap</b>	<b>Total Quarantine</b>
9/3/2021	1	0	0	0	Not Started	0	1
9/10/2021	48	0	6	1	Not Started	7	41
9/17/2021	225	9	57	2	Not Started	68	157
9/24/2021	57	8	27	0	Not Started	29	28
10/1/2021	61	9	16	3	8	33	28
10/8/2021	43	16	17	1	4	32	11
10/15/2021	129	36	39	2	10	73	56
10/22/2021	169	31	23	3	19	64	105
10/29/2021	63	4	22	2	6	28	35
11/5/2021	129	8	28	8	21	70	59
11/12/2021	173	30	46	8	21	110	63
<b>Total</b>	<b>1098</b>	<b>151</b>	<b>281</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>514</b>	<b>584</b>

**County Data** (as of 11/16/2021)

<b>Cases per 10K</b>	<b>Hospitalizations</b>	<b>Cumulative Cases</b>
<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Somerset: 995/4</li> <li>● <b>Franklin: 909.1</b></li> <li>● Kennebec: 893.2</li> <li>● State Average: 837.5</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Somerset: 154</li> <li>● <b>Franklin: 30</b></li> <li>● Kennebec: 111</li> <li>● Statewide: 2,972</li> </ul>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>● Somerset: 4,015</li> <li>● <b>Franklin: 2,114</b></li> <li>● Kennebec: 9,299</li> <li>● Statewide: 97,724</li> </ul>

Source: <https://www.maine.gov/dhhs/mecdc/infectious-disease/epi/airborne/coronavirus/data.shtml>

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***Tracking the Coronavirus in “our” part of Maine***

**Franklin County**

“**Cases** have stayed about the same recently and are still extremely high. The number of **hospitalized Covid patients** has fallen in the Franklin County area. **Deaths** have remained at about the same level. The **test positivity rate** in Franklin County is very high, suggesting that cases are being significantly undercounted.

An average of **23 cases per day** were reported in Franklin County, **about the same** as the average two weeks ago. Since the beginning of the pandemic, at least **1 in 11** residents have been infected, a total of **2,693 reported cases**. Right now, Franklin County is at an extremely high risk for unvaccinated people. [Read more about risk below.](#)

So far, November has been the month with the highest average cases in Franklin County.”

Source: <https://www.nytimes.com/interactive/2021/us/franklin-maine-covid-cases.html> and date collected 11/16/21 (These #s change daily.)

**Somerset County**

**Cases** have decreased recently but are still extremely high. The number of **hospitalized Covid patients** has also fallen in the Somerset County area. **Deaths** have remained at about the same level. The **test positivity rate** in Somerset County is very high, suggesting that cases are being significantly undercounted..

An average of **30 cases per day** were reported in Somerset County, a **20 percent decrease** from the average two weeks ago. Since the beginning of the pandemic, at least **1 in 10** residents have been infected, a total of **4,969 reported cases**. Right now, Somerset County is at an extremely high risk for unvaccinated people. [Read more about risk below.](#)

So far, November has been the month with the highest average cases since September 2021 in Somerset County.”

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**Kennebec County**

“Cases have increased recently and are extremely high. The number of **hospitalized Covid patients** has also risen in the Kennebec County area. **Deaths** have remained at about the same level. The **test positivity rate** in Kennebec County is relatively low, suggesting that testing capacity is adequate for evaluating Covid-19 spread in the area.

An average of **63 cases per day** were reported in Kennebec County, a **46 percent increase** from the average two weeks ago. Since the beginning of the pandemic, at least **1 in 11** residents have been infected, a total of **10,792 reported cases**. Right now, Kennebec County is at an extremely high risk for unvaccinated people. [Read more about risk below.](#)

So far, November has been the month with the highest average cases in Kennebec County.”

Source: <https://www.nytimes.com/interactive/2021/us/kennebec-maine-covid-cases.html> and date collected 11/16/21 (These #s change daily.)

**Staff Vaccination Update (Self-Reported) through Oct 30**

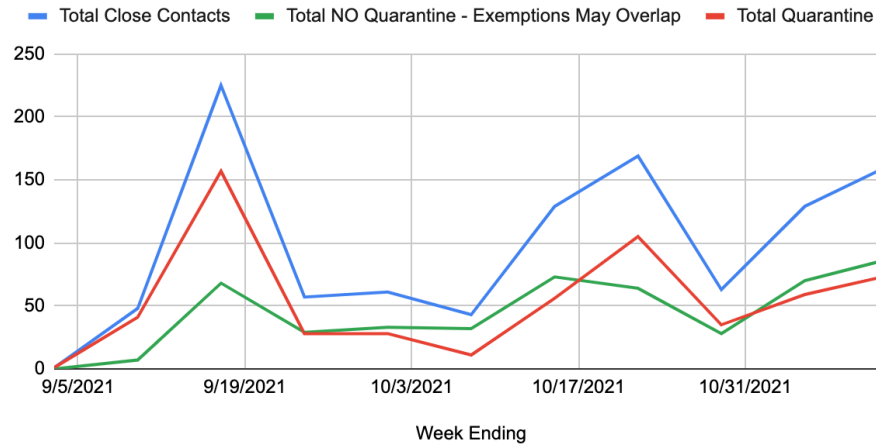
M/E Oct 2021	Totals	Yes	No	Unknown			Total %	% Y	% N	% U
Itinerant	100	76	10	14	100	Itinerant	100.0%	76.0%	10.0%	14.0%
AHS	25	20	3	2	25	AHS	100.0%	80.0%	12.0%	8.0%
CBS	46	38	0	8	46	CBS	100.0%	82.6%	0.0%	17.4%
CCH	29	19	8	2	29	CCH	100.0%	65.5%	27.6%	6.9%
Cushing	16	14	0	2	16	Cushing	100.0%	87.5%	0.0%	12.5%
FCTEC	25	18	5	2	25	FCTEC	100.0%	72.0%	20.0%	8.0%
Mallett	57	40	11	6	57	Mallett	100.0%	70.2%	19.3%	10.5%
MBC	106	78	8	20	106	MBC	100.0%	73.6%	7.5%	18.9%
MBMS	68	57	5	6	68	MBMS	100.0%	83.8%	7.4%	8.8%
TOTALS	472	360	50	62	472					
		<b>76.3%</b>	<b>10.6%</b>	<b>13.1%</b>						

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**RSU 9 Quarantined Student Days Update**

	Number	Percent of Close Contacts	% of Our Student Population: 2,871 (2,371 students + 500 staff members)
Close Contacts	1086	*	38%
Required to Quarantine	595	55%	21%
Exempt from Quarantine	491	45%	17%

Total Close Contacts, Total NO Quarantine - Exemptions May Overlap and Total Quarantine



Respectfully submitted,  
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