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**COVID is surging in Routt County
554 Cases in Two Weeks, 385 Cases in the Last Week**

STEAMBOAT SPRINGS, CO, January 3, 2022 – [The COVID-19 Dashboard](#) was updated January 2 at 7:00 pm to share the COVID-19 metrics and vaccination rates. COVID-19 cases are at 554 cases in the past two reported weeks and 385 cases in the last week. 136 cases of the last two weeks were in the 20-29 age group and 118 in the 30-39 age group. Public Health urges everyone to get vaccinated and/or boosted to keep individuals, families, and the community safe and healthy.

Routt County Public Health Immunizations

- Pediatric Pfizer vaccines (5-11) and Moderna vaccines and boosters for 18 and older
- Call 970-870-5341 or email PublicHealthInfo@co.routt.co.us to make an appointment
- Clinics will be Tuesdays and Fridays, 10:00 am – 4:45 pm

Free COVID Community Testing

- Provided by Mako Medical
- Strings Music Pavilion Parking Lot – **Enter from Wildhorse Plaza**
- Every Friday, Saturday and Sunday, 8:00 am-4:00 pm
- Additional COVID Community testing Thursday, January 6 and Thursday, January 13
- Pre-register [here](#)

Total case count in Routt County (through December 31, 2021): 4487

Total COVID-19 cases confirmed: 3356

Total Probable cases: 1131

Total tests administered: 79114

Total resident hospitalizations: 66

Total deaths: 24

Seven Day case count (December 25-December 31, 2021): 385

Fourteen Day case count (December 18-December 31, 2021): 554

Cases per 100,000 people in 7-day period: 1500.9

Cases per 100,000 people in 14-day period: 2159.7

Percent Test Positivity per Dial 3.0 (fourteen day): 20%

Total visitor cases in a one-week period: 69

Total visitor cases in two-week period: 123

Total tests administered in a one-week period: 1571

Total tests administered in a two-week period: 2769

Routt County Resident COVID-19 Hospitalizations (one week): 0

Routt County Resident COVID-19 Hospitalizations (two weeks): 1-4

Current COVID-19 Hospitalizations at UCHealth Yampa Valley Medical Center (one week): 1-4

Current COVID-19 Hospitalizations at UCHealth Yampa Valley Medical Center (two weeks): 1-4

Hospitalizations are presented as a range to protect the identity of cases. Zero hospitalizations will be shown as such.

Vaccine Distribution in Routt County: Vaccination data comes from the Colorado Immunization Information System, CIIS. This data is specific to Routt County residents independent of where they received their vaccine and does not include vaccine doses delivered by Routt County providers to non-Routt County residents.

Routt Residents (all ages) received at least one Dose: 22339, 87%

Routt Residents (all ages) completed vaccine series: 19099, 74%

Routt Residents 12+ received at least one dose: 21494, 96%

Routt Residents 12+ completed vaccine series: 18550, 83%

Routt Residents Ages 5-11 received at least one dose: 843, 42%

Routt Residents Ages 5-11 completed vaccine series: 549, 27%

89% of Routt County's 70+ population have completed the vaccine series.

Vaccination Rates by Geography

Disclaimer: Geographic information is based upon the demographic data in CIIS. Some records have missing or incomplete addresses unable to be attributed to a specific geographic area in Routt County.

Estimated Vaccination Rates by Region

City	% received 1 dose	% completed Vaccine Series
North Routt	76%	70%
South Routt	50%	46%
Steamboat Springs.	85%	78%



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West Routt	48%	43%
Routt County Overall	87%	74%

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