



Town of Glastonbury

Health Department

Memo

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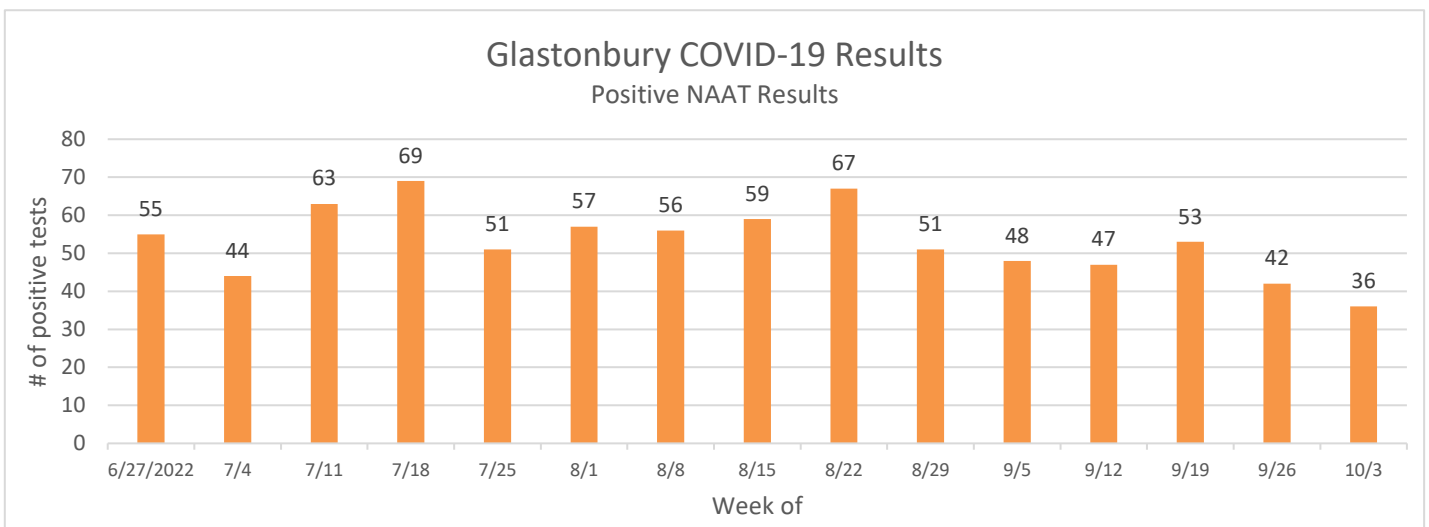
Re: COVID-19 update

Connecticut Department of Public Health (CT DPH) has recently revised how COVID-19 data is presented. Publicly available datasets previously used to populate charts and graphs for Glastonbury's weekly COVID-19 reports are no longer available, and data from the new systems are not directly comparable to old systems. An archive of DPH data can be found [here](#). Previous Glastonbury reports can be found on the Town website [here](#).

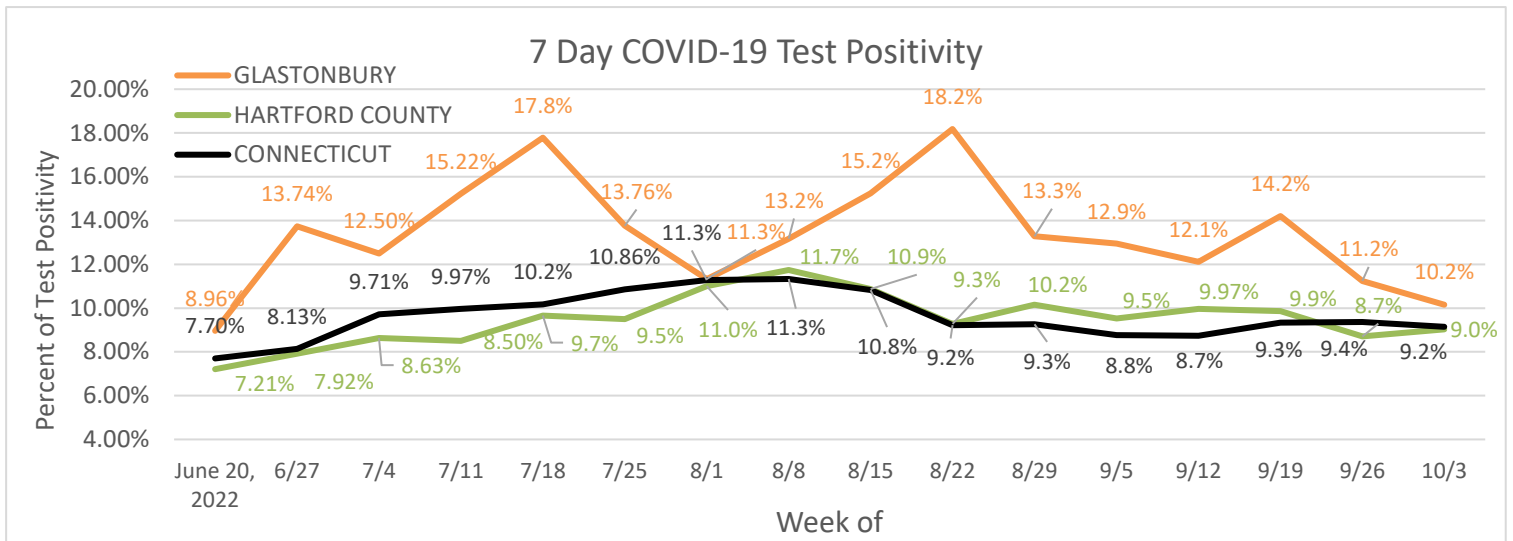
This report contains data from laboratory-confirmed results. At home tests are not included in this data, so information and graphs demonstrate trends rather than a full accounting of cases. Numbers in (parentheses) indicate change from the previous week.

As per CT Department of Public Health data from October 3, 2022:

- A total of 131,673 tests have been administered to Glastonbury residents. (+332)
- Of the 131,673 tests administered, 7,315 were laboratory positive NAAT cases. (+36)
- No additional deaths were recorded this week. The loss of Glastonbury residents remains at 119. (+0)



Test positivity is calculated as a rolling 7-day test positivity by specimen collection date; all positive molecular (PCR/NAAT) test results are divided by all molecular (PCR/NAAT) test results (positive and negative) for the last 7 days and multiplied by 100 to reach a percentage. Results are shown below for Glastonbury, Hartford County, and the state of Connecticut overall.



COVID-19 Vaccine update

The COVID-19 booster vaccine available for this fall is specifically tailored to combat the two most prevalent omicron subvariants, BA.4 and BA.5. A person is eligible for a booster if it has been at least two months since their last COVID-19 vaccine (whether the primary series or any booster). The Moderna booster shot is approved for people ages 18 years and older and the Pfizer-BioNTech vaccine is authorized for people ages 12 years and older.

COVID-19 vaccination clinics *CLINICS FOR 6 MONTHS AND OLDER*

The Town of Glastonbury is hosting Griffin Health Yellow Van no-cost COVID-19 vaccine clinics. The recently approved bivalent vaccine will be available at these clinics for those who are eligible:

Wednesday October 19 at the Spooky Story Stroll at the Riverfront Fairgrounds, 300 Welles Street. Clinic runs from 3 – 7PM

No appointments are necessary. J&J, Moderna, and Pfizer vaccines will be available to everyone 6 months of age and older. View Glastonbury social media for more information.

Additional clinics can be found at www.vaccines.gov and entering the zip code for the search area.

COVID-19 Testing locations

CLICK HERE for the 2-1-1 of Connecticut online site to search for COVID-19 testing. Users may refine their search by zip code, type of test and key demographics of individual to be tested.

Data for this report is gathered from publicly available data at <https://data.ct.gov/stories/s/COVID-19-data/wa3q-tfvc/> Test positivity is calculated as a rolling 7-day test positivity by specimen collection date; all positive molecular (PCR/NAAT) test results are divided by all molecular (PCR/NAAT) test results (positive and negative) for the last 7 days and multiplied by 100 to reach a percentage. All data are preliminary and subject to change. Data from previous dates are routinely updated. CT DPH data reporting changes have been summarized and can be read [here](#).