

# **City's Plans to Continue to Support SFUSD with COVID-19 Prevention and Response**

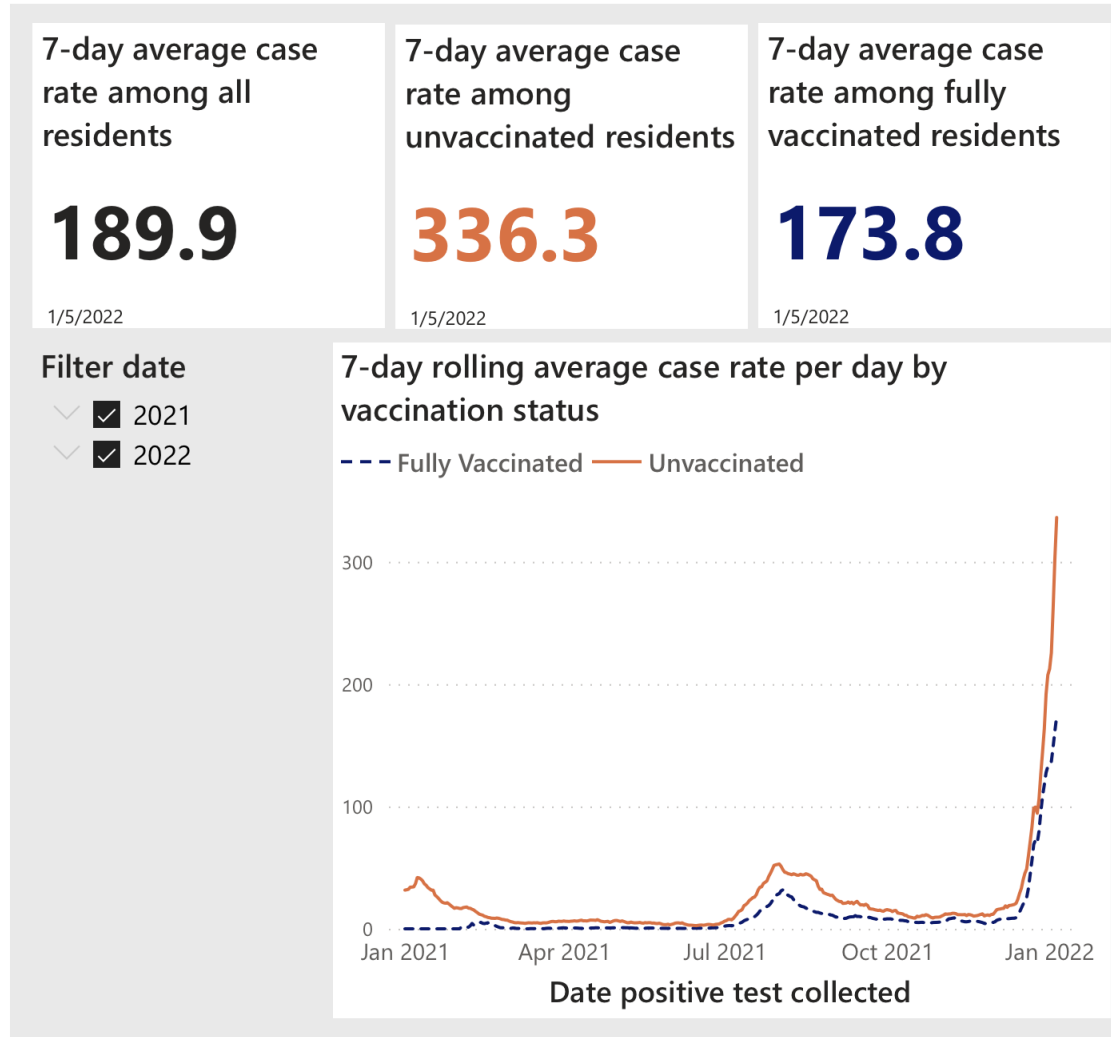
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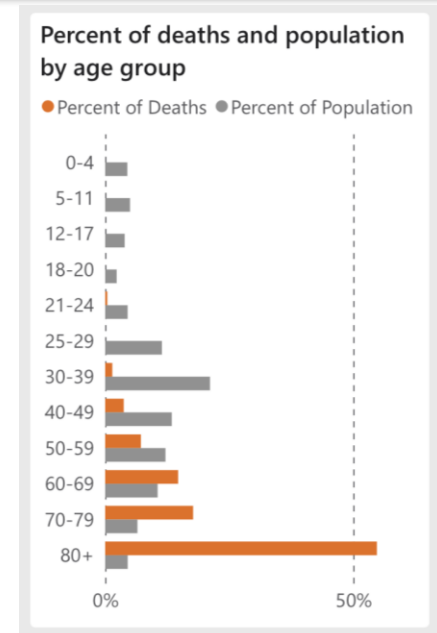
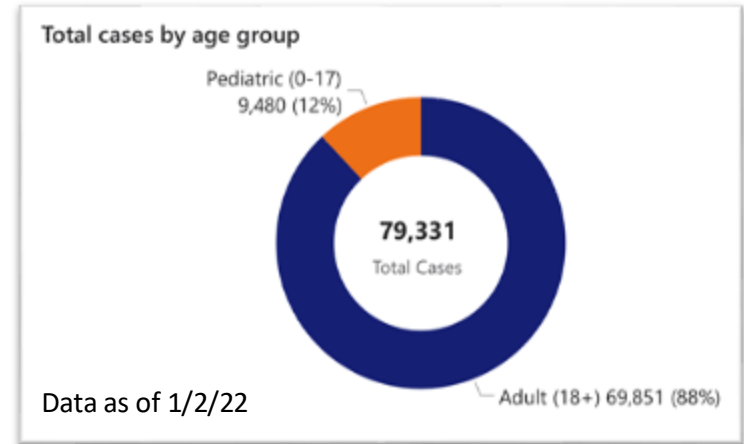
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## Current status of COVID-19 in San Francisco



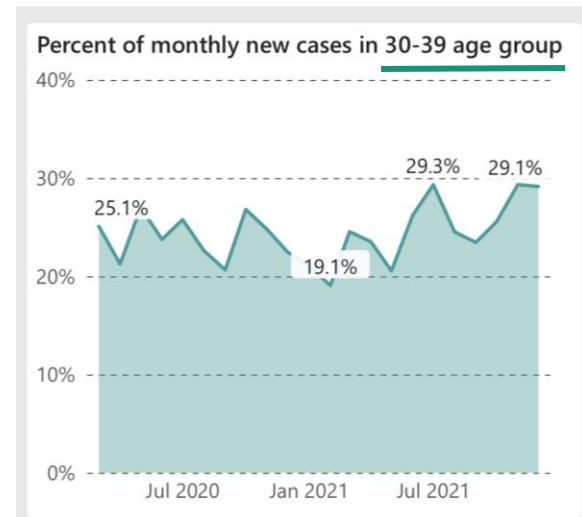
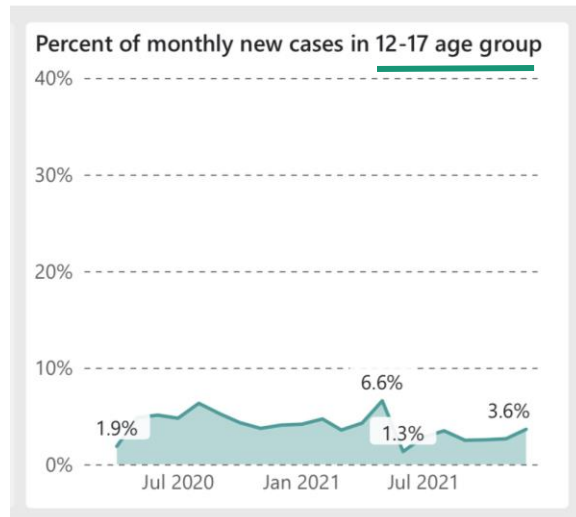
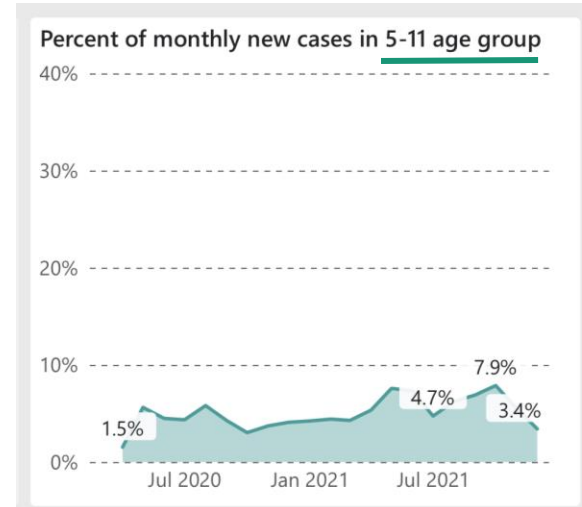
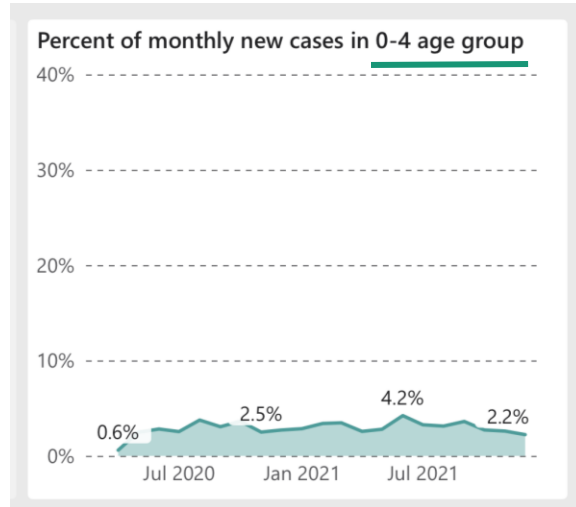
## COVID-19 cases in children and youth in SF

- Cases in children are a small percentage of total cases
  - Currently, 12% of cases were among children under 18
  - Less than 20% of cases over time
  - Majority of cases in adults
- Serious forms of pediatric cases are rare
  - Most children have mild symptoms or no symptoms
  - Low hospitalizations for children
  - Zero deaths in children



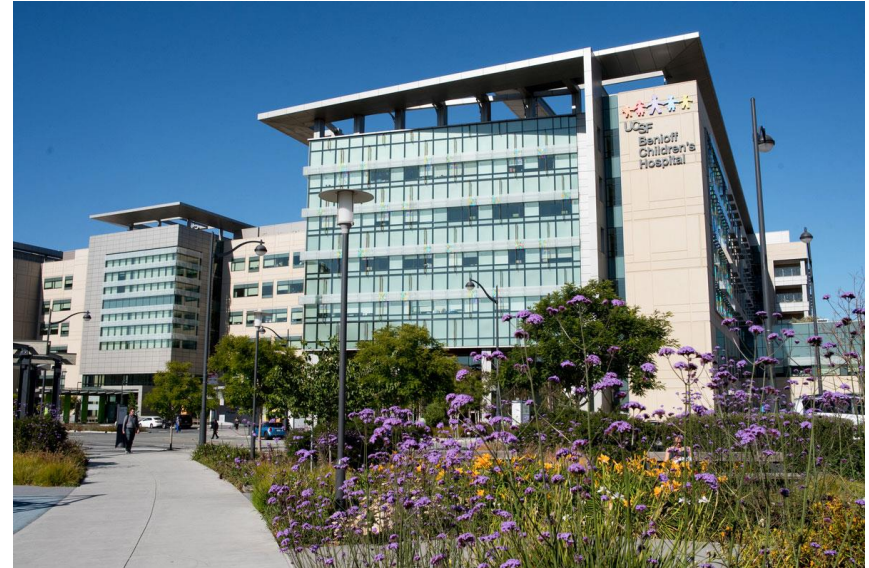
Data as of 1/8/22

## COVID-19 cases in children and youth in SF



## COVID-19 hospitalizations in SF children

- As of 1/13/22, less than 5 children from San Francisco hospitalized for COVID-19
- Hospitalizations so low that data cannot be publicly reported without concern for privacy and confidentiality



Source: UCSF

## COVID-19 in children: Vaccines and Boosters

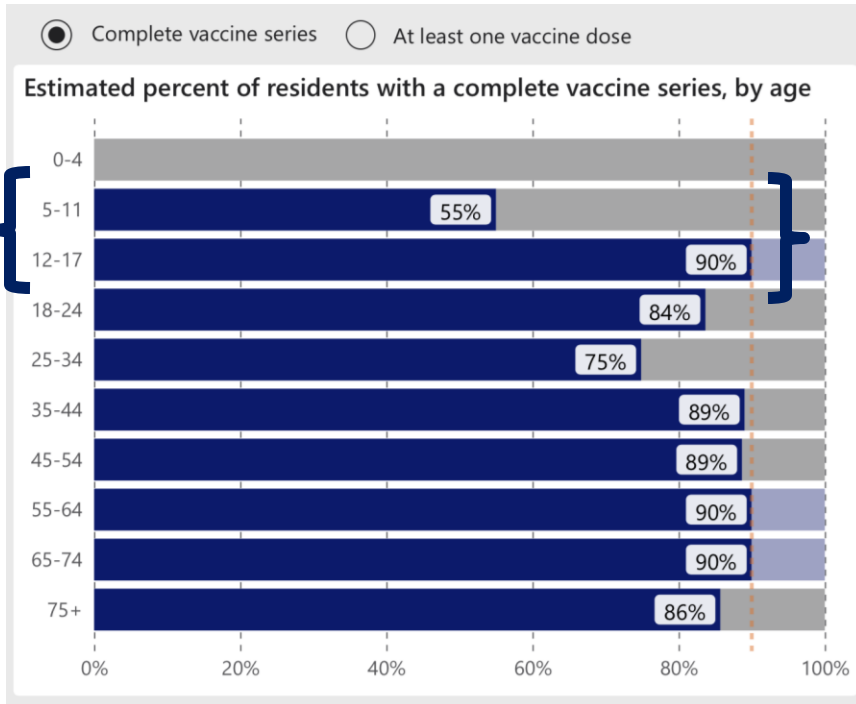
- Current vaccines for 5 years old and older are effective
  - Vaccines prevent hospitalization and death from COVID-19
- Youth ages 12-15 years old are now eligible for boosters as of 1/6/21
- Adults being vaccinated from COVID-19 protect unvaccinated children who are not eligible yet
- FDA may approve vaccines for children under 5 by spring 2022
  - Pfizer is conducting clinical trials for children ages 2-4 to receive 3 shots in order to increase effectiveness



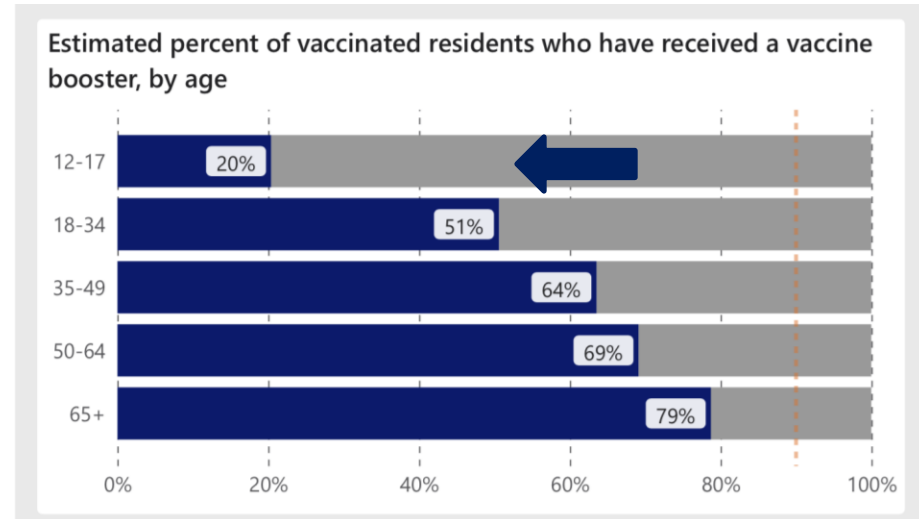
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## COVID-19 in children: Vaccines and Boosters

### Vaccines



### Boosters



## Safer Return to School

- Schools are a safer place to learn, play, and make friends
  - Risk of transmission is lower in schools when layered safety measures are in place
  - When community case rates are high, we expect to see cases at schools and other settings
  - Guidelines are designed to stop spread of COVID between people at school
- There are more benefits to going back to school than staying home, including:
  - Academic learning
  - Physical and mental health
  - Social and emotional development





## SFDPH initiatives to support SFUSD

- Operated 5 school **vaccine/booster** clinics in 2021
- Managed SFUSD reopening applications prior to reopening, including site visits
  - Reviewed **ventilation** systems at all school buildings prior to reopening
  - Assigned DSWs to assist SFUSD to assess/fix windows and arrange classrooms
- Update **guidance and protocols** related to schools and afterschool programs
  - Recent updates include:
    - Stronger face covering recommendations
    - Isolation and Quarantine
    - Group Contact Tracing
- Operate DPH-contracted **testing** sites that serve the general public, including SFUSD students and families
  - Scaled up testing to accommodate demand of Omicron surge
- Provide daily technical assistance to SFUSD on responding to positive cases and close contacts at school sites

## School Safety Measures: Vaccination

- Vaccines remain one of the most effective ways to decrease risk of COVID-19 and highly effective at preventing serious illness
- San Francisco has one of the highest vaccination rates in the country
- Call 628-652-2700 or visit [sf.gov/get-vaccinated](https://sf.gov/get-vaccinated) to book appointment for free vaccinations and boosters
- Operated vaccine and booster clinics at school sites in cooperation with SFUSD
  - Balboa HS
  - Burton HS
  - Malcolm X Academy ES
  - McCoppin ES
  - Sunset ES

**Stay Healthy, SF!**  
**SFUSD Vaccine Event for Youth and Families**  
Evento de vacunación del SFUSD para los jóvenes y las familias • 三藩市聯合校區青年及家庭接種疫苗活動 • Kaganapan sa Bakuna ng SFUSD para sa Kabataan at Mga Pamilya

### Malcolm X Academy School

350 Harbor Road, San Francisco 94124  
Enter in the front in the multipurpose room - visible from 350 Harbor Rd.

- For ages 5 and above
- SFUSD families are priority but all are welcome
- Pfizer, Moderna and J&J vaccines will be available
- Walk in to get vaccine - appointments highly recommended
- No documentation required

### Tuesdays

2:30 pm – 6:30 pm through 12/21

**Los martes**  
de 2:30 a 6:30 p.m. hasta el 21 de diciembre

**逢星期二**  
下午2:30至6:30 (至12月21日)

**Tuwing Martes**  
2:30-6:30 ng hapon hanggang 12/21

Dates:	
Fechas:	日期:
11/9	12/7
11/16	12/14
11/23	12/21
11/30	

### Malcolm X Academy School

350 Harbor Road, San Francisco 94124  
Entre frente al salón de usos múltiples, la entrada se puede ver desde el 350 Harbor Rd.

- Para personas de 5 años en adelante
- Las familias del SFUSD tienen prioridad, pero todos son bienvenidos
- Las vacunas de Pfizer, Moderna y J&J estarán disponibles
- Acuda a vacunarse sin cita previa – es muy recomendable hacer una cita
- No se requiere presentar ninguna documentación

### Malcolm X Academy 學校

三藩市 Harbor Road 350 號, 郵政區號 94124  
請從前門進入多功能室 - 可從 Harbor Rd 見到。

- 5歲及以上
- 三藩市聯合校區家庭優先, 歡迎所有民眾
- 提供輝瑞、莫德納及強生疫苗
- 直接步入接種疫苗 - 強烈建議先預約
- 無需證件

### Paaralan ng Akademya ng Malcolm X

350 Harbor Road, San Francisco 94124  
Pumasok sa harap sa multipurpose room - nakikita mula sa 350 Harbour Rd.

- Para sa mga edad 5 pataas
- Ang mga pamilya ng SFUSD ay priyoridad ngunit lahat ay malugod na tinatanggap
- Magkakaroon na ng mga bakuna ng Pfizer, Moderna at J&J
- Pumunta para makakuha ng bakuna - lubos na inirekomenda ang mga appointment
- Walang kinakailangang dokumentasyon

[sf.gov/GetVaccinated](https://sf.gov/GetVaccinated)  
 City & County of San Francisco

## School Safety Measures: Testing

- SFDPH requires or strongly recommends testing for:
  - People with symptoms of COVID-19 even if they are vaccinated
  - People who are considered close contacts to someone with COVID-19 and have not have COVID-19 in last 3 months
  - People who want to return early from isolation or quarantine on day 5 or after
  - Unvaccinated teachers, staff or volunteers test on weekly basis per State Health Order

### Find out about your COVID-19 testing options

#### Get tested in SF

If you feel sick, get tested right away, even if you're vaccinated. If you are unvaccinated and have a known exposure but no symptoms, get tested on or after day 6.

If you have health insurance, schedule a test with your doctor. If you have symptoms or a known exposure, your healthcare provider is required by law to get you a test.

[Map of free & paid sites](#)



## City of San Francisco continues to support SFUSD

- **Vaccines and boosters**
  - Establish 5 school vaccine/booster sites at SFUSD in next 1-2 weeks
- **Face coverings**
  - Ordered 150,000 KN95 masks for staff
  - Ordered 500,000 surgical masks for students
  - Delivered to SFUSD yesterday (1/13/22)
- **Testing**
  - Delivered 1,000 rapid home tests to fill gap
  - More tests arriving from Federal governments
  - Testing shortage but City will prioritize tests for SFUSD
- **Contact Tracing**
  - Group tracing method reduces burden of contact tracing but requires testing resources



**Thank you.**

Any questions?

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