Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) Union County Health Department Epidemiological Update

November 11, 2020

reported in the 2010 U.S. Census

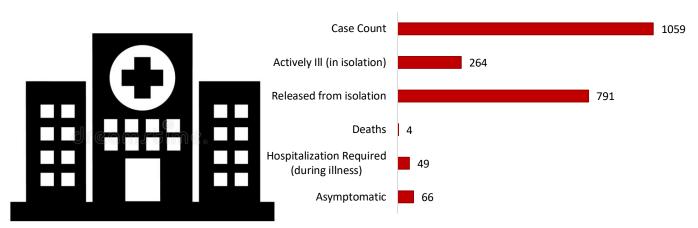
Community Cases	1,059
Confirmed Cases	913
Probable Cases	146
Case Rate ¹	2,025 cases/100,000 residents
Long-Term Care Facilities Cases	49
Median Age (Years)	42
Average Age (Years)	41.6
Minimum Age (Years)	<1
Maximum Age (Years)	98
Range of Illness Onset Dates	January 8, 2020 –November 9,
	2020
Currently Monitored Contacts	370
Cumulative Number of Contacts	1,540
Incarcerated Cases	247
¹ The case rate is defined as the number of COVID-19 cases divided by the Union County population	





¹This information does not include incarcerated cases

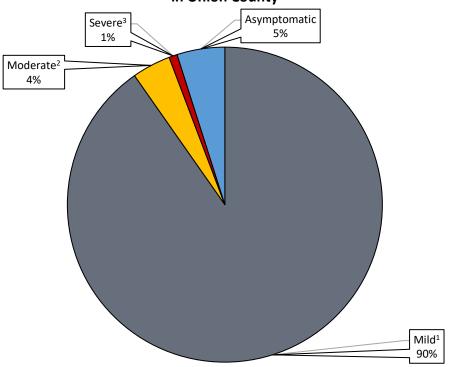
Health Status of Cases¹:



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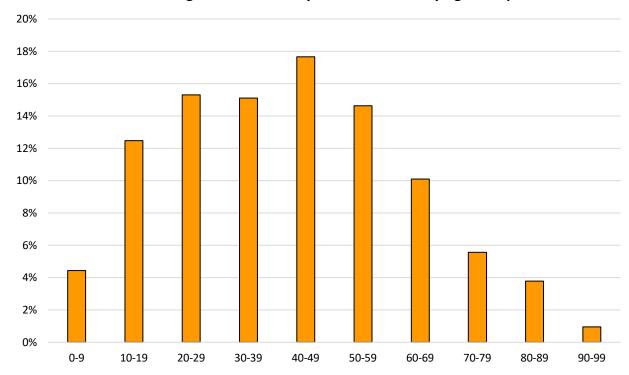
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Severity of Illness Among COVID-19 Cases Reported in Union County



¹Mild illness includes those who were able to recover at home

Percentage of Union County COVID-19 Cases by Age Group

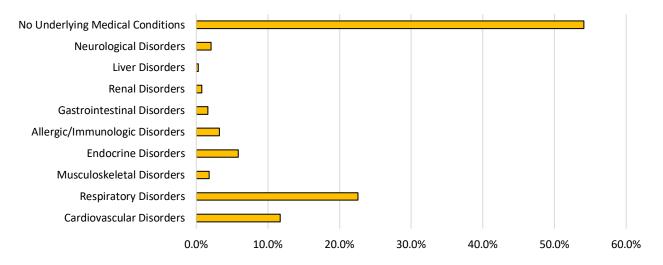


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²Moderate illness includes cases who required hospitalization

³Severe illness includes cases who were hospitalized in intensive care, were intubated, or died as a result of their illness

Underlying Health Conditions of Union County COVID-19 Cases



Neurological Disorders include Parkinson's disease, epilepsy, and narcolepsy

Liver Disorders include hepatitis

Renal Disorders include kidney reflux

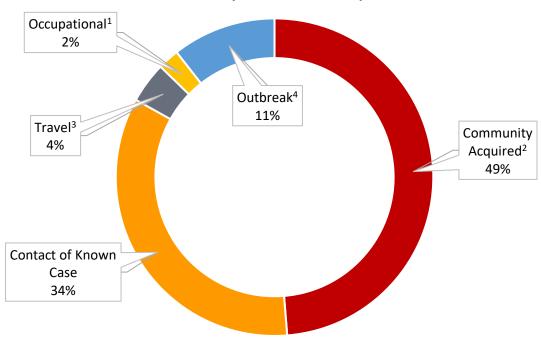
Gastrointestinal Disorders include irritable bowel syndrome

Endocrine Disorders include diabetes, hypothyroidism, PCOS, Addison's Disease, and being obese or overweight

Musculoskeletal Disorders include arthritis and fibromyalgia

Respiratory Disorders include chronic lung disease (Asthma/Emphysema/COPD/Bronchitis) and being a former or current smoker Cardiovascular Disorders include atrial fibrillation, hypertension, and sleep apnea

Union County COVID-19 Case Exposures



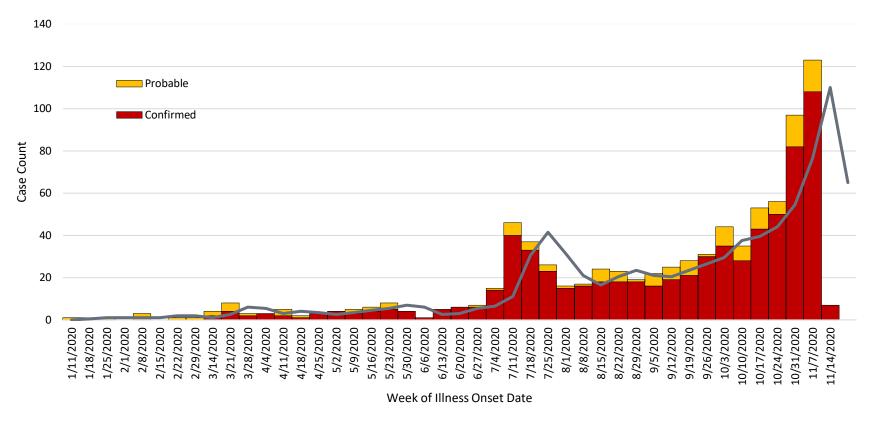
¹Occupational exposures include those working in the following settings: health care, first responder, prison

²Community acquired denotes unknown source of exposure

³Travel associated exposures include those acquired while visiting areas experiencing sustained community spread

⁴Oubreak denotes cases associated with an identified outbreak cluster

Epidemiological Curve of Confirmed and Probable COVID-19 Cases¹ in Union County's Community² by Week of Illness Onset Date

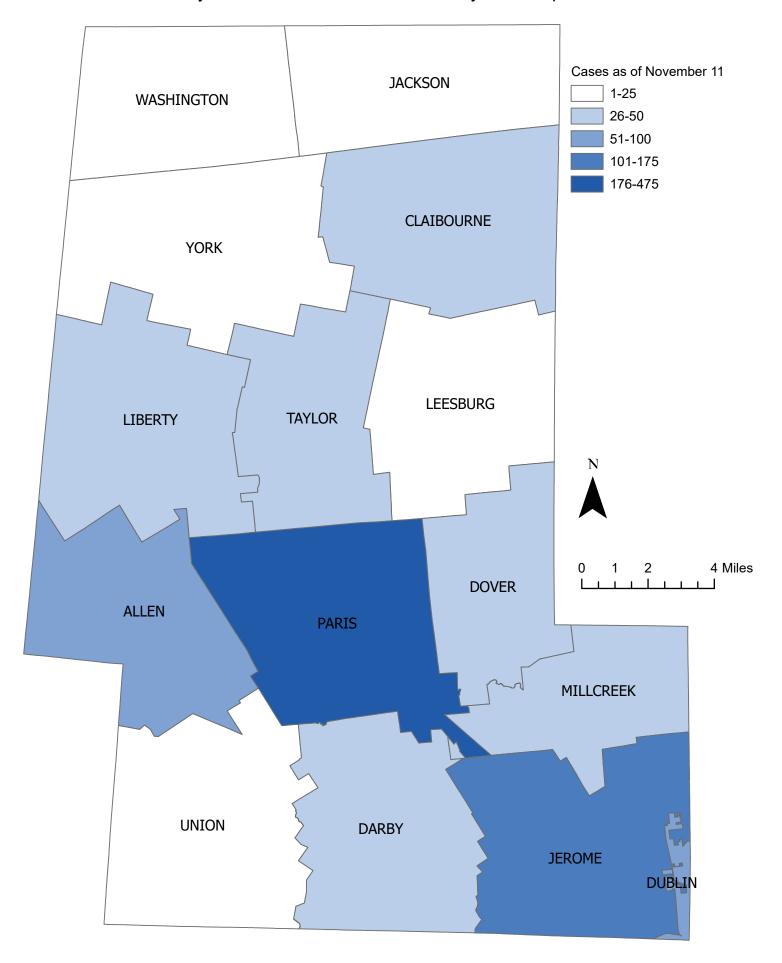


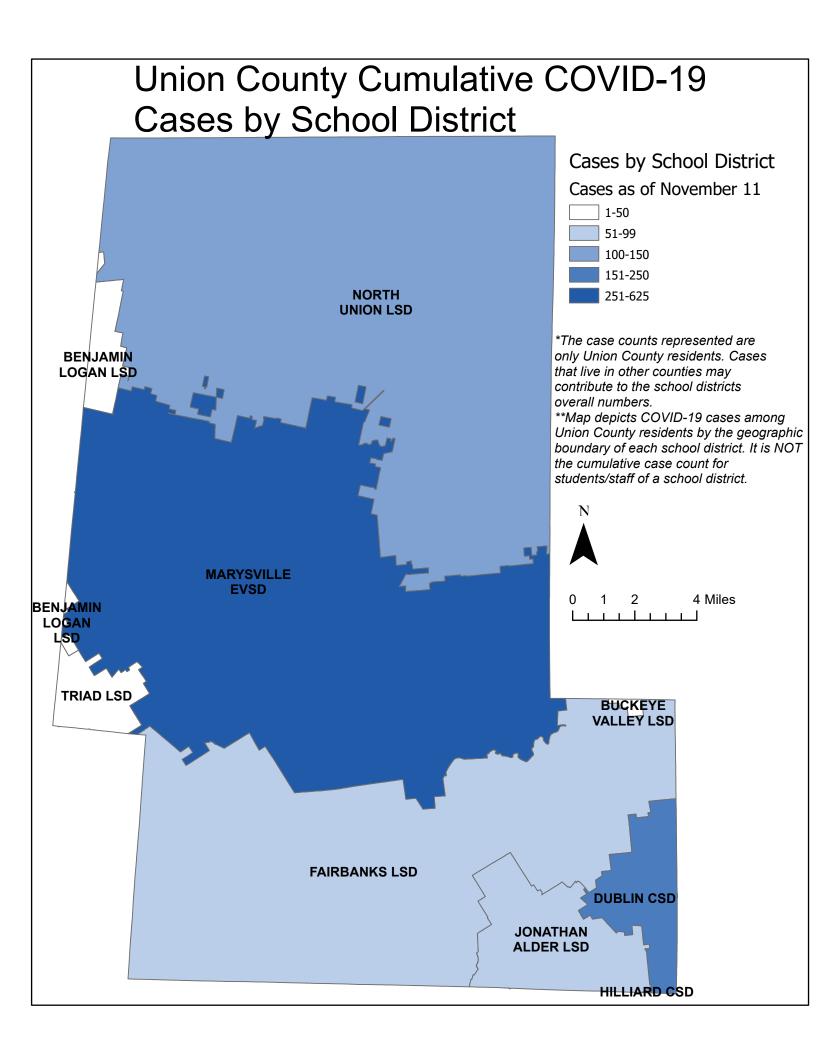
¹Cases for whom an illness onset date is not available are not illustrated. This may be due to the case not yet being interviewed or the case testing positive without experiencing any symptoms.

²This graph does not include illness onset dates on incarcerated cases

³14-day average is the average number of cases with illness onset occurring in the previous two-week period

Union County Cumulative COVID-19 Cases by Township of Residence





To be released from isolation a person must meet the following criteria:

- 1. Be fever free for at least 24 hours without the use of medicine that reduces fevers -AND-
- 2. Have improvement of symptoms (for example, cough or shortness of breath have improved)
 -AND-
- 3. At least 10 days have passed symptoms first began

For more information please visit: https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/if-you-are-sick/end-home-isolation.html

Case Definitions:

Probable: includes the following:

- Individuals experiencing symptoms of COVID-19 who have either traveled to an area experiencing community spread or who are a contact of a laboratory confirmed case
- Individuals with a positive antigen result via a test authorized by an FDA under an emergency use authorization and who either were a contact of a laboratory confirmed case or who experienced symptoms of COVID-19

<u>Confirmed</u>: individuals with laboratory confirmation of COVID-19, which is detection of SARS-CoV-2 RNA in a clinical or autopsy specimen using a molecular amplification detection test

For more information please visit: https://cdn.ymaws.com/www.cste.org/resource/resmgr/2020ps/interim-20-id-01_covid-19.pdf

<u>Recovered</u>: individuals who are no longer experiencing symptoms or have had improvement of symptoms and who have been released from isolation

