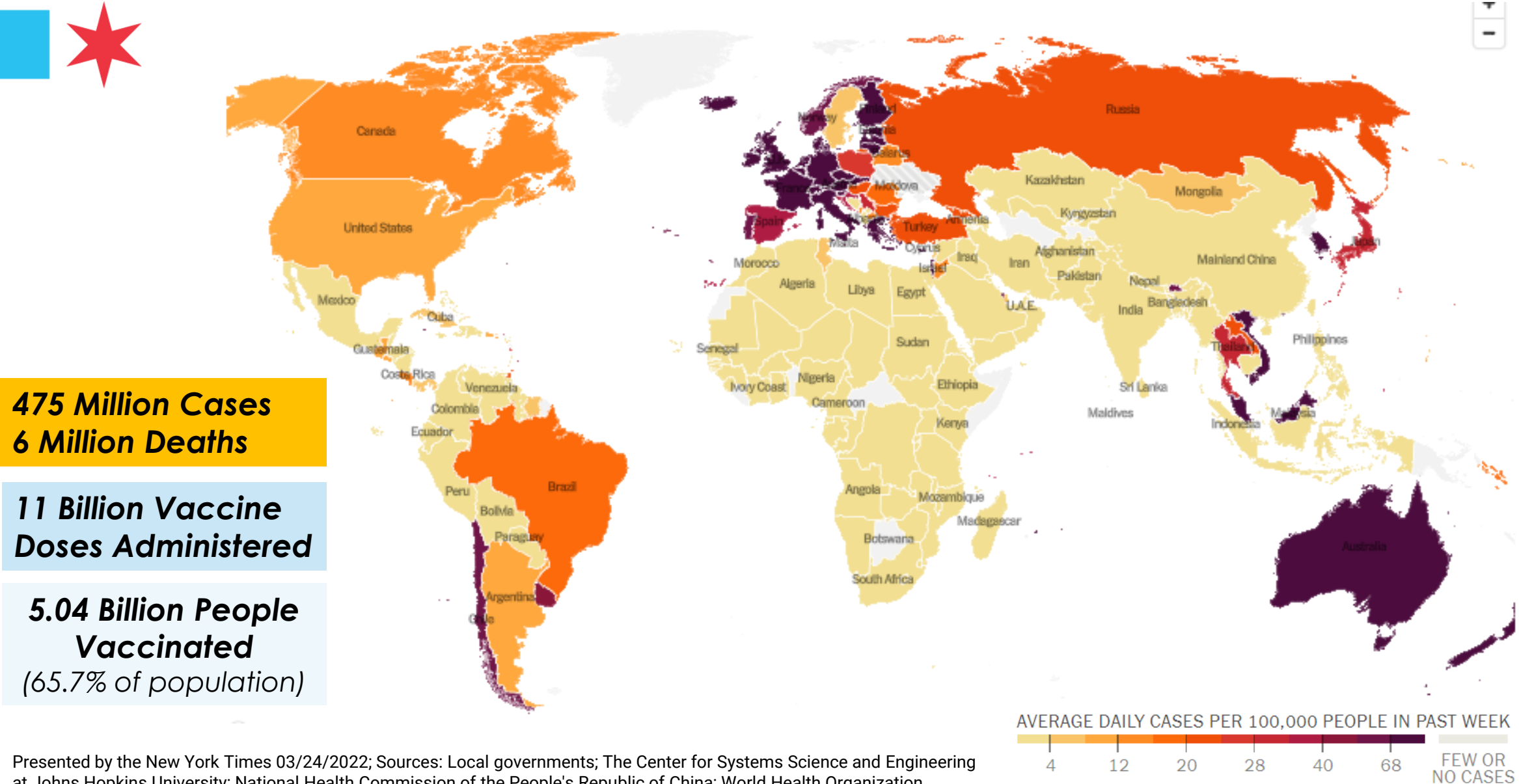


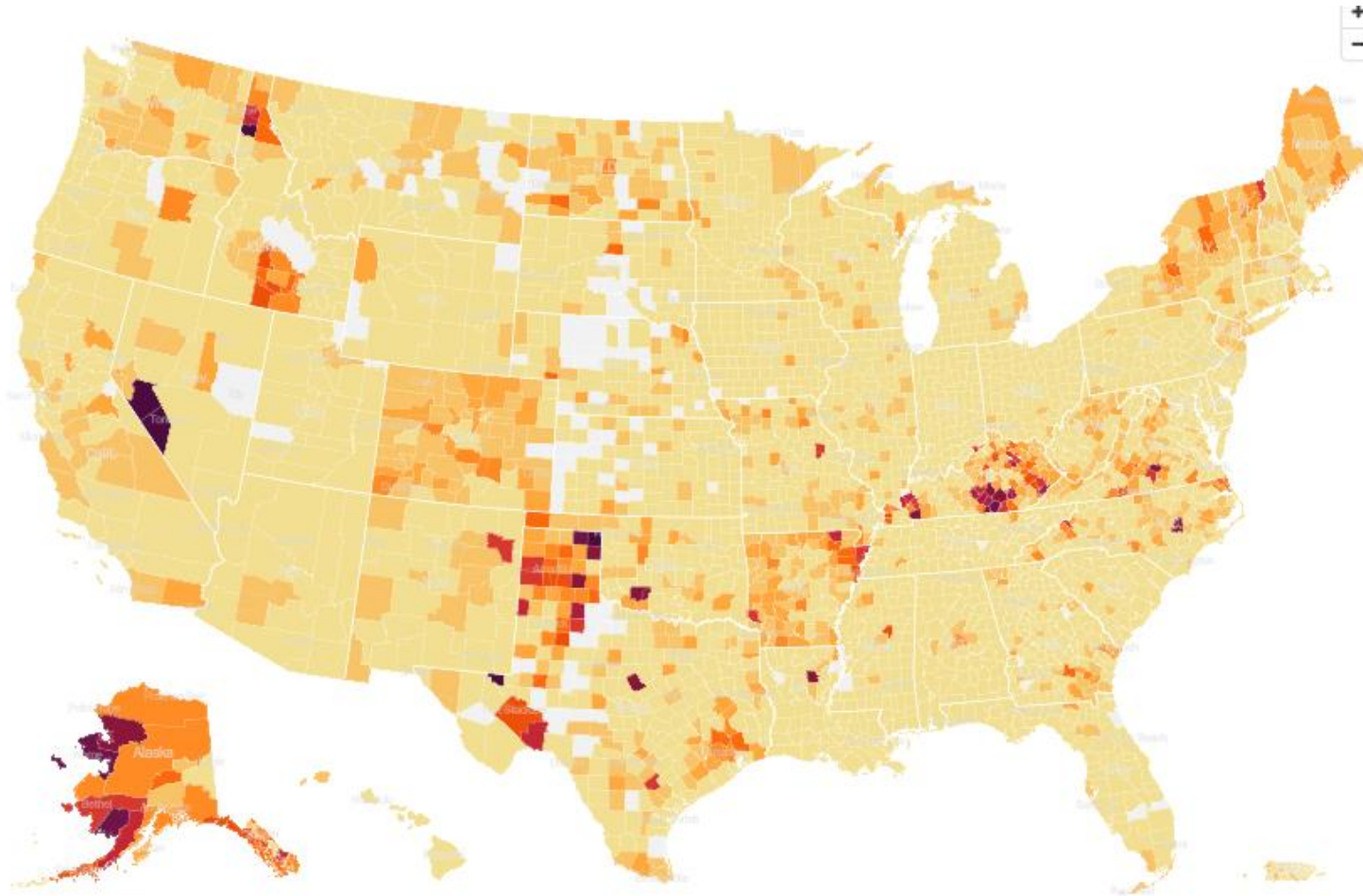
Ask Dr. Arwady

March 24, 2022

Average daily COVID-19 cases per 100,000 population



Average daily COVID-19 cases per 100,000 population



	AT LEAST ONE DOSE	FULLY VACCINATED
All ages	77%	65%
5 and up	82%	70%
65 and up	95%	89%

National currently:

9 diagnosed daily cases per 100,000 people

Illinois currently:

9 diagnosed daily cases per 100,000 people

Chicago currently:

5.8 diagnosed daily cases per 100,000 people

79.7 Million Cumulative Cases
973,459 Cumulative Deaths

AVERAGE DAILY CASES PER 100,000 PEOPLE IN PAST WEEK

10 30 50 70 100 250 FEW OR NO CASES

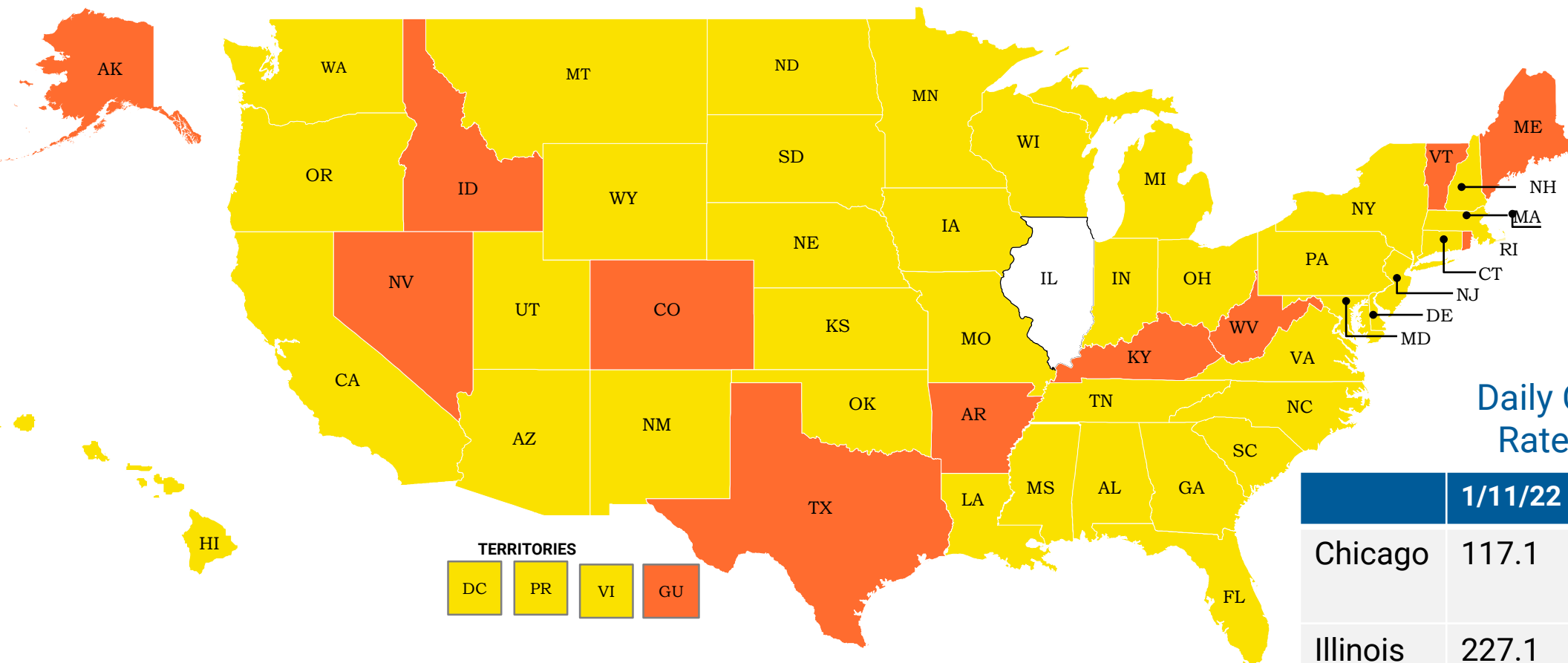
Chicago COVID-19 Community Transmission and Risk Matrix



	VERY HIGH TRANSMISSION	HIGH TRANSMISSION	SUBSTANTIAL TRANSMISSION	LOWER TRANSMISSION	LOW TRANSMISSION
COVID-19 CASES DIAGNOSED PER DAY Chicago residents - 7-day rolling daily average	800+	400 – 799	200 – 399	20 – 199 Current: 170 Increasing	≤20
COVID-19 TEST POSITIVITY Chicago residents - 7-day rolling daily average	10%+	6.6 – 9.9%	5.0 – 6.5%	2 – 4.9%	≤2% Current: 0.9% Increasing
HOSPITAL BEDS (NON-ICU) OCCUPIED BY COVID PATIENTS Chicago hospitals - 7-day rolling daily average	1250+	750 – 1249	250 – 749	100 – 249 Current: 117 Decreasing	≤100
ICU BEDS OCCUPIED BY COVID PATIENTS Chicago hospitals - 7-day rolling daily average	400+	300 – 399	100 – 299	20 – 99 Current: 24 Decreasing	≤20

Source: Chicago Department of Public Health, data current as of March 24, 2022. These metrics represent general community COVID transmission and should not be applied to individual settings that have mitigation practices in place.

Chicago's COVID-19 Travel Advisory: 11 States and 1 territory



■ ≥ 15 daily cases per 100k
■ Less than 15 daily cases per 100k

Daily COVID-19 Case Rates per 100,000

	1/11/22	3/21/22	% Change
Chicago	117.1	5.8	-97%
Illinois	227.1	8.4	-96%
U.S.	203.1	8.4	-96%



WHAT'S A COVID-19 COMMUNITY LEVEL?

- It's a new tool to help communities decide what prevention measures to take based on the latest data
- Every community in the United States is classified as:

Low

Limited impact on healthcare system, low levels of severe illness

Medium

Some impact on healthcare system, more people with severe illness

High

High potential for healthcare system strain; high level of severe illness



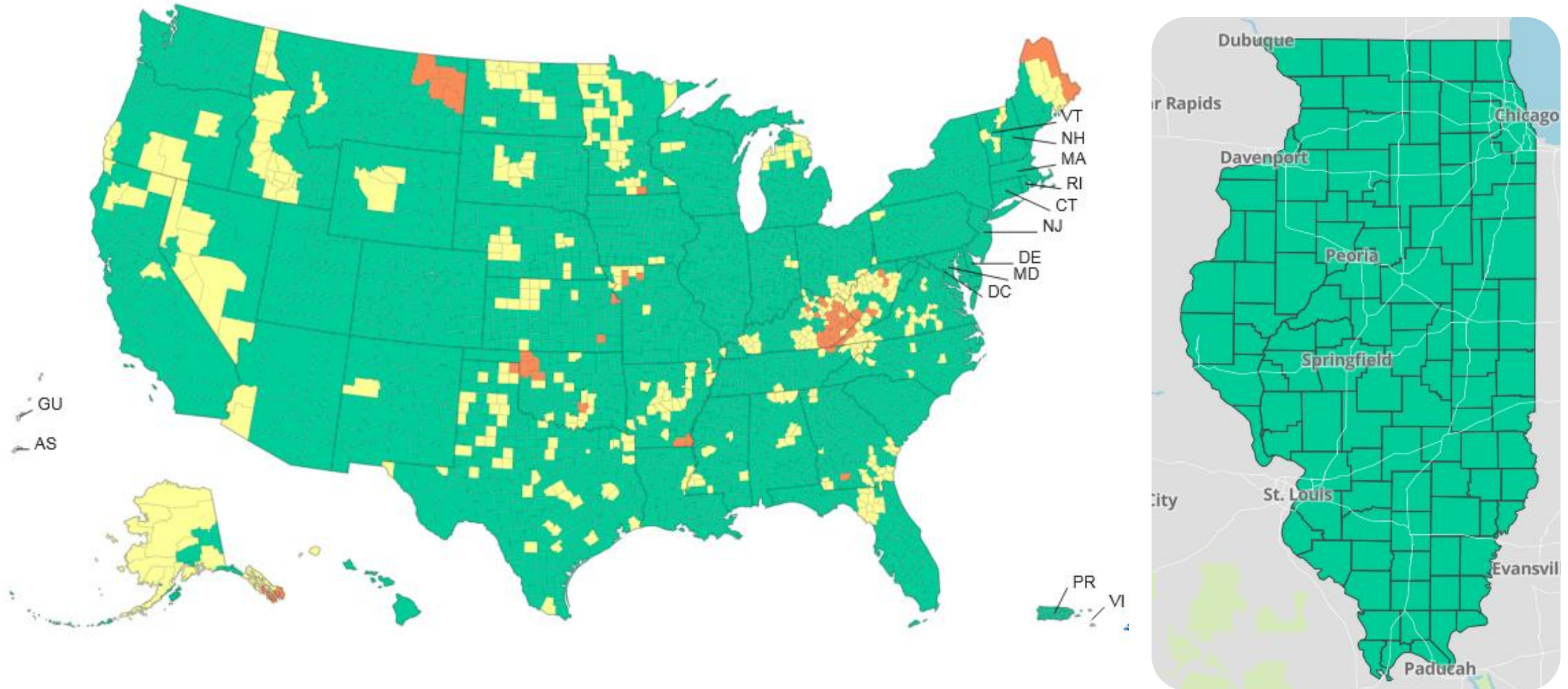
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U.S. COVID-19 Community Levels *by County* Map

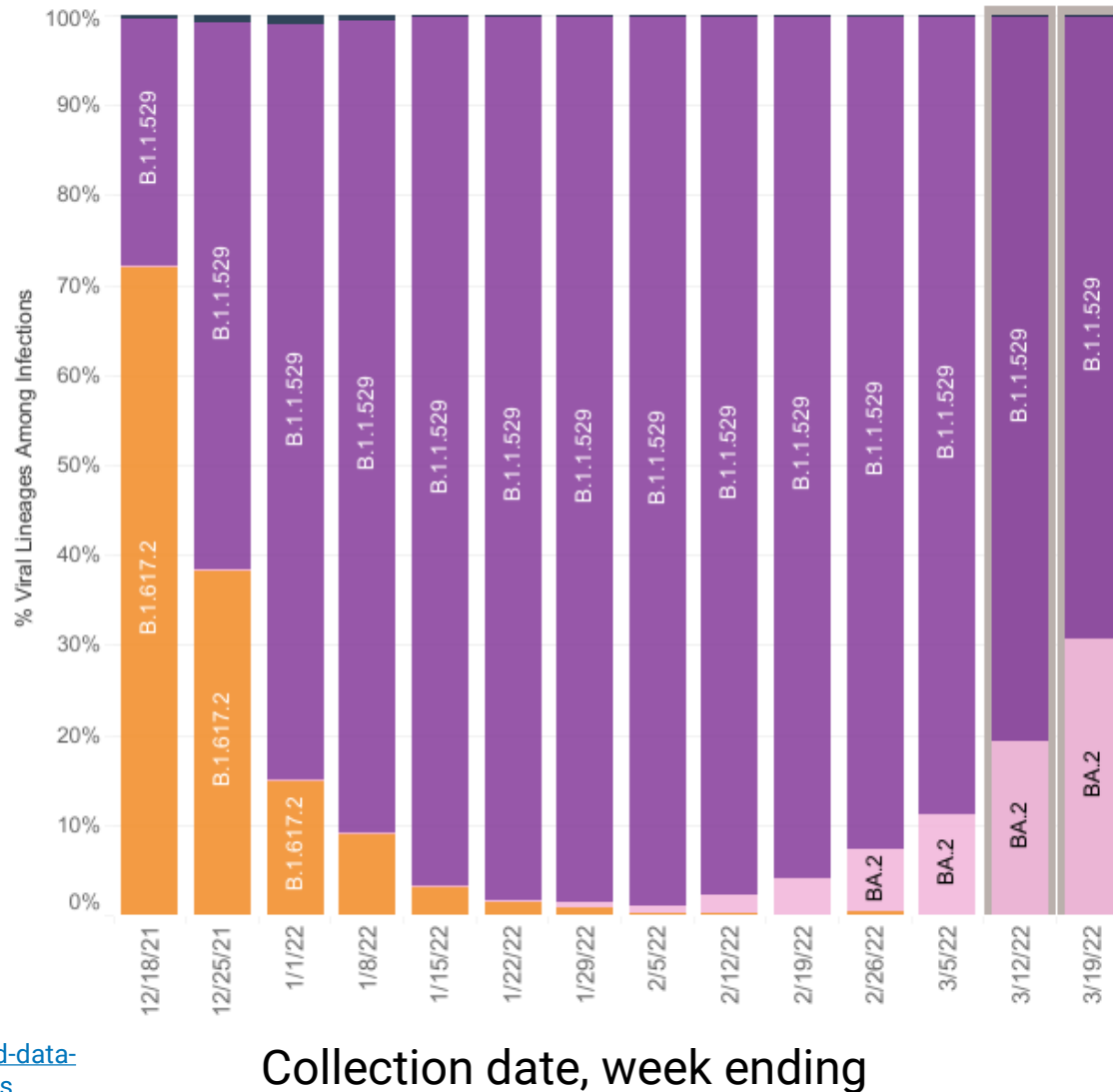


Low Medium High N/A



SARS-CoV-2 Variant Surveillance, Midwest Region.

Omicron BA.2 doubling about every 7 days; will see predominance by late March



Omicron B.1.1 (69.4%)

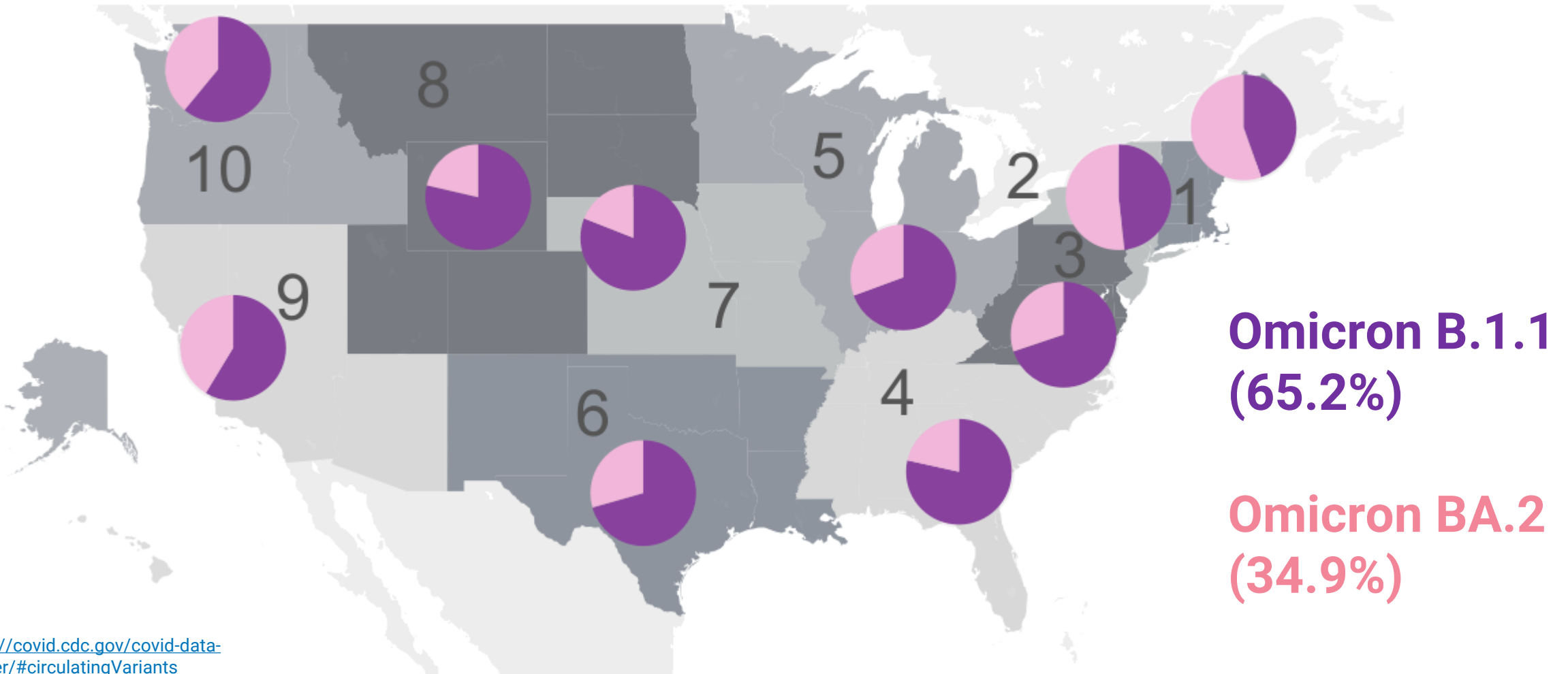
Omicron BA.2 (30.6%)

Delta (0.0%)

Other (0.0%)

★ SARS-CoV-2 Variant Surveillance, United States

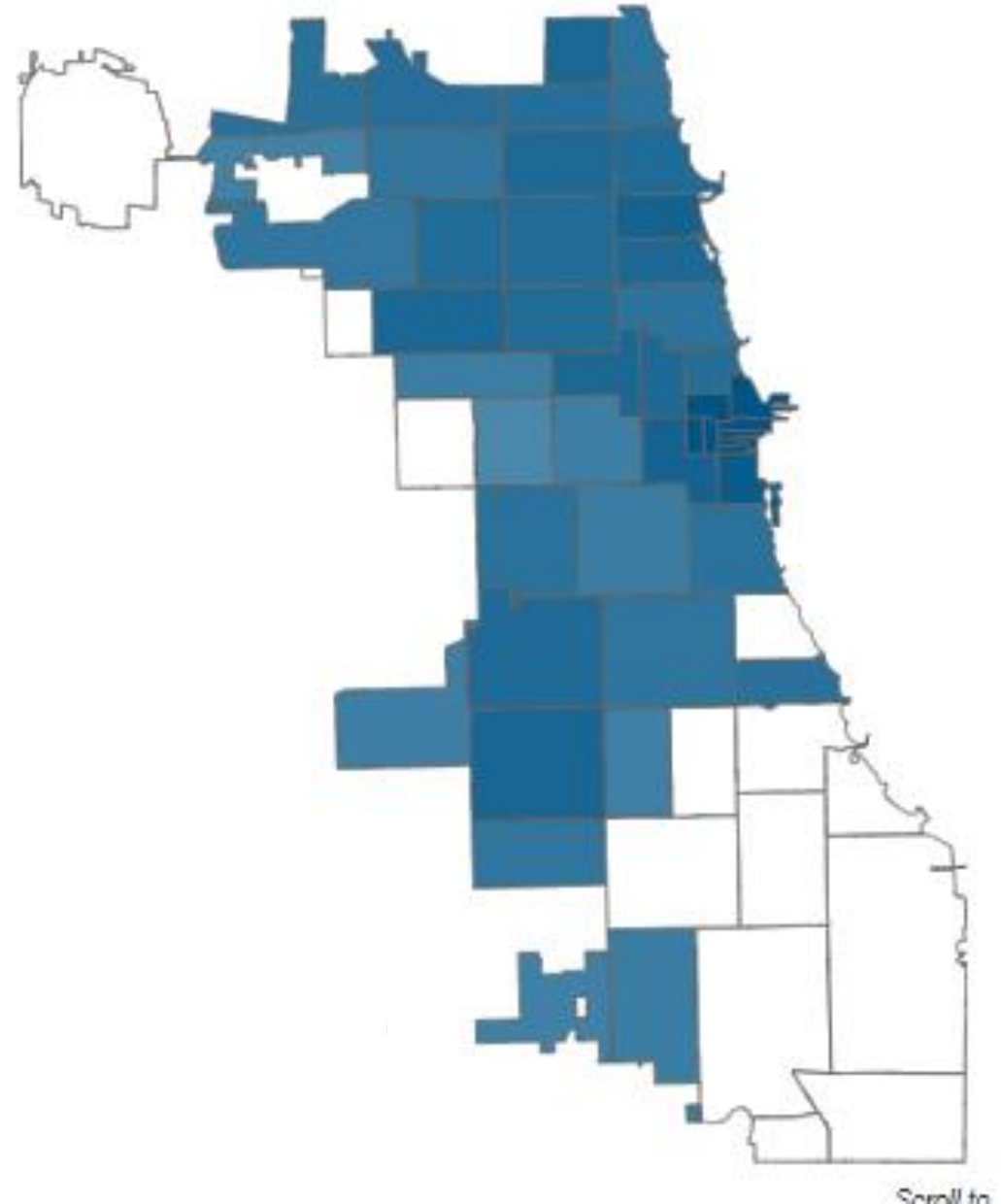
United States: 3/13/2022 – 3/19/2022 NOWCAST





Chicago Vaccination Milestones by Zip Code

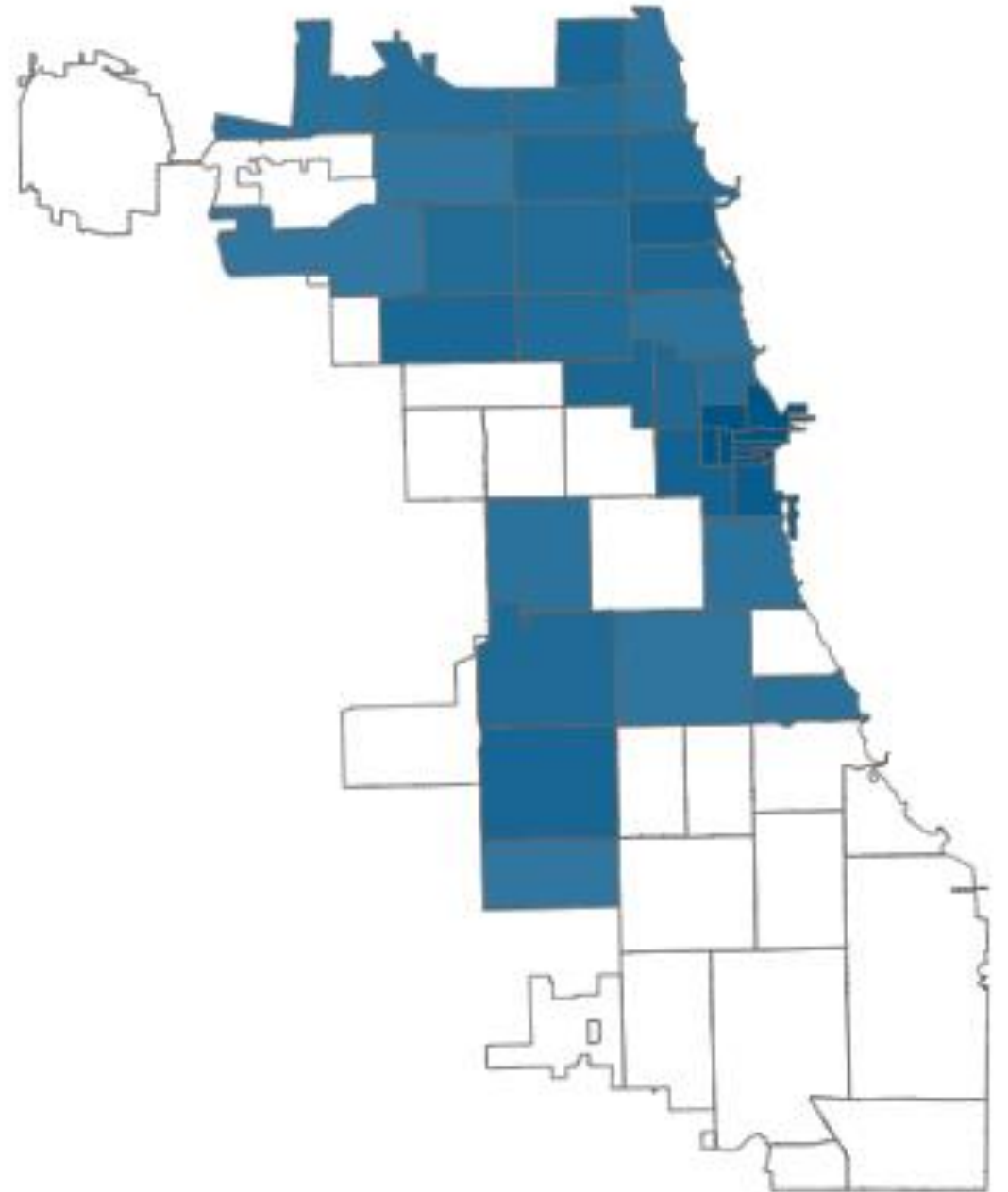
- There are 46 Chicago zip codes with at least **70%** of their 5+ population with at least one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine





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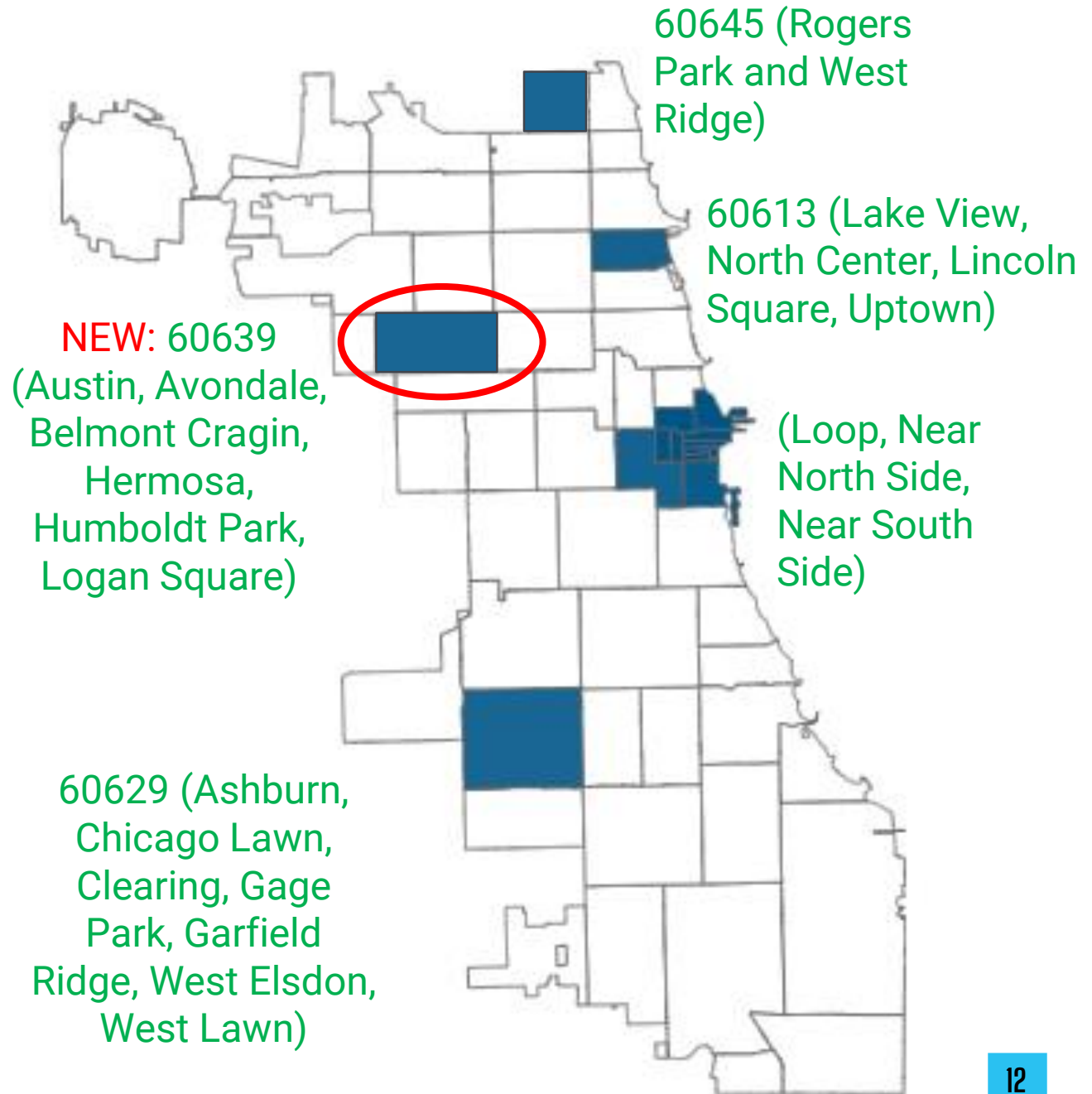
- There are 37 Chicago zip codes with at least **80%** of their 5+ population with at least one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine





Chicago Vaccination Milestones by Zip Code

- There are 14 Chicago zip codes will at least **90%** of their 5+ population with at least one dose of the COVID-19 vaccine



GET VAXXED AT HOME

GET \$50* PER DOSE



- Anyone age 5+ can get a vaccine at home
- Pfizer pediatric, adult and boosters doses available
- Up to 10 people can get vaccinated at the same time
- Appointments:
Monday-Sunday,
8:00 am to 6:30 pm

*One \$50 gift card for each primary Pfizer dose. Booster doses do not qualify.

To schedule your appointment:

CALL **312.746.4835**
OR VISIT **chicago.gov/athome**

- **As of 4/1**, the Protect Chicago At Home program (across all regions) will be going to a **4 day a week schedule**
 - **Saturday through Tuesday, 8:00 am to 6:30 pm**
- **Reminder-Recall Project:** Call center staff are engaging and scheduling patients for vaccinations who have not completed the series or booster dose

WHEN SHOULD I GET MY COVID-19 BOOSTER?

Anyone 12y+ should get boosted:

5 months

After your initial Pfizer (12+)
or Moderna (18+) series

2 months

After your initial
J&J (18+) vaccination

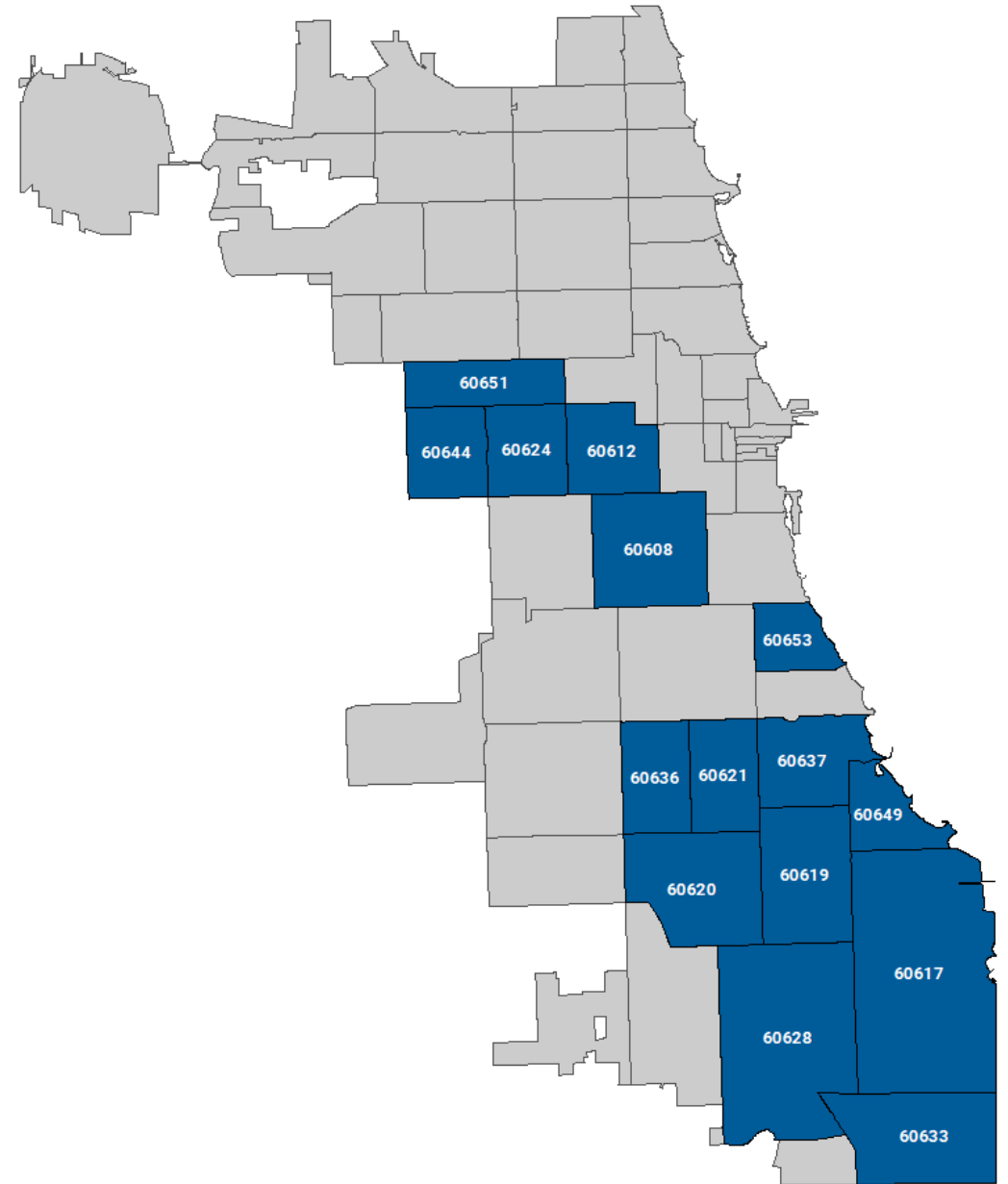


Zip Codes Eligible for Incentives



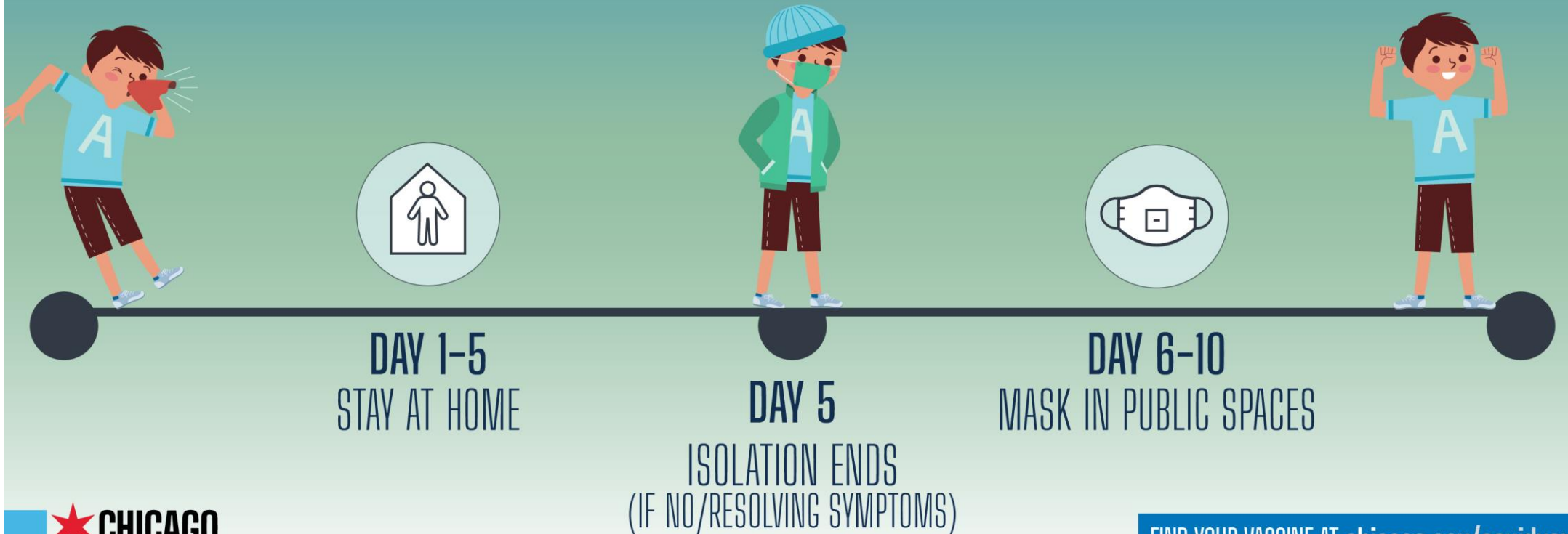
Eligibility for Incentives

- \$50 vaccine incentives are available via At Home, CPS clinics and HCEZ events.
- Starting April 1, only Chicagoans living in 15 zip codes that are still <70% vaccinated (age 5y+ with completed series) will be eligible for the \$50 gift card incentives (1st and 2nd dose).
- For the At Home program, we will honor incentives citywide for persons that scheduled their appointment by THIS FRIDAY 3/25, even if the appointment is after April 1



REMEMBER: IF YOU CATCH COVID-19

Regardless of vaccination status, stay home for 5 days. If your symptoms are resolving or gone by Day 5, you can leave your house but *you must continue to mask* while around others for Days 6-10.





Every home in the U.S. is eligible to order 2 sets of 4 free at-home tests.

If you already ordered your first set, order a second today.

How to get your **FREE** at-home COVID-19 tests



VISIT COVIDtests.gov



Enter contact and shipping info



Review and place your order



WHAT YOU NEED TO KNOW ABOUT EARLY TREATMENTS FOR COVID-19



If you test positive for COVID-19, there are IV and oral medications that can help keep you out of the hospital, but they need to be taken in the first few days of infection.



If you test positive and are 65 years or older or have underlying conditions that put you at a higher risk for hospitalization, ***talk with your healthcare provider immediately to see if they recommend treatments now available.***



Treatments used for COVID-19 can interact with other medication you take and ***must be prescribed*** by your healthcare provider.

- ***Please do not go to a pharmacy or infusion center without a prescription.***



Treatments are available now in Chicago at ***NO COST***, regardless of vaccination status.

Looking for a vaccine?

visit **CHI.GOV/COVIDVAX** or call **312-746-4835**

Need a vaccine or a booster? Have questions?

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