

State by State Breakdown: COVID-19 Testing Positivity Rates Among the General Population

Note: On July 22, 2020, the Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services [announced](#) that, “CMS will begin requiring, rather than recommending, that all nursing homes in states with a 5% positivity rate or greater test all nursing home staff each week.” If implemented today, **11,640 nursing homes** would be required to conduct such weekly testing.

State	7-Day Positive Testing %	Total SNFs*
AZ	22.7%	146
MS	21.5%	204
FL	19.2%	699
AL	19.1%	228
ID	17.6%	82
SC	15.9%	190
NV	14.4%	66
GA	14.3%	358
MO	13.0%	522
TX	12.9%	1,219
KS	11.0%	331
AR	10.5%	227
IA	9.9%	434
LA	9.7%	278
UT	9.1%	98
TN	8.5%	316
NE	8.3%	201
WY	8.2%	37
KY	8.0%	285
CA	7.8%	1,194
IN	7.8%	533
CO	7.3%	225
WI	7.2%	355
ND	6.8%	80
OK	6.6%	298
NC	5.9%	428

VA	5.9%	287
PA	5.9%	695
PR	5.8%	6
MD	5.7%	226
OH	5.6%	953
SD	5.5%	104
WA	5.2%	205
OR	5.1%	130
MN	4.8%	368
DE	4.5%	47
MT	4.2%	71
RI	4.0%	80
NM	4.0%	71
IL	3.7%	721
WV	3.0%	123
HI	2.8%	45
MA	2.6%	376
MI	2.6%	441
AK	2.4%	19
NH	2.3%	74
DC	2.2%	18
NJ	1.6%	363
CT	1.6%	216
GU	1.2%	1
NY	1.1%	619
ME	0.7%	93
VT	0.7%	35
Nation		15,421

*SNFs = skilled nursing facilities, aka nursing homes

Sources: [Johns Hopkins University](#) (July 26, 2020) and COVID Tracking Project (July 26, 2020)