COVID-19 Cases (Boston Residents) | #
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Active Cases | 328
Recovered Cases | 34
Deaths | 2
TOTAL CASES | 364

**Summary:** As of 12:52pm on 3/26/2020, a total of 364 cases of laboratory-confirmed COVID-19 among Boston residents have been reported to the Boston Public Health Commission (BPHC). Of these, 29 required hospitalizations. Two residents have died. Thirty-four (9.3%) have recovered.

Of 362 cases with known gender, 52.8% of cases were male and 47.2% were female.

Thirty-seven cases (10%) were healthcare workers.

Emergency Department (ED) visits for COVID-19-like illness (CLI) comprised 6.79% of all ED visits for MMWR week 12, nearly double the previous week.

**Boston ED CLI*** Syndromic Surveillance**

This Week Overall %CLI (Week 12) | 6.79%
Last Week Overall %CLI% (Week 11) | 3.58%

*For more info on MMWR week dates Click Here

**Data presented for week ending 3/28/20 includes COVID-19 cases in Boston residents through 12:52pm on 3/26/20, and ED visit data through 3/25/20.

***COVID-19-like illness (CLI) is defined as "Covid or (fever and (cough or respiratory distress))" in ED chief complaint data from Boston acute care hospitals, captured by BPHC Syndromic Surveillance System.

**Figure 1. Reported COVID-19 Cases and % CLI Emergency Department Visits, by Week, 2020**
The age distribution of COVID-19 among Boston residents differs from the age distribution of the overall Boston population. The higher percentage of COVID-19 cases among most age groups is reflective of the low number of COVID-19 cases (n<5) among Boston residents under age 20 - an age group that represents over one in five Boston residents. The vast majority of cases were among Boston residents of working age (20-59).
Figure 3. COVID-19 Cases Among Boston Residents by Neighborhood

Neighborhood ZIPs

- Allston/Brighton (A/B) =02163, 02134, 02135
- Back Bay, Beacon Hill, North End, West End, and Downtown (BB) =02108, 02114, 02116, 02199, 02109, 02110, 02103
- Charlestown (CH) =02129
- East Boston (EB) =02128
- Dorchester (DOR (02121, 02125))=02121, 02125
- Dorchester (DOR (02122, 02124))=02122, 02124
- Fenway (FW) =02115, 02115
- Hyde Park (HP) =02136
- Jamaica Plain (JP) =02130
- Mattapan (MT) =02126
- Roslindale (RS) =02131
- Roxbury (RX) =02119, 02120
- South Boston (SB) =02127, 02210
- South End (SE) =02111, 02118
- West Roxbury (WR) =02132