

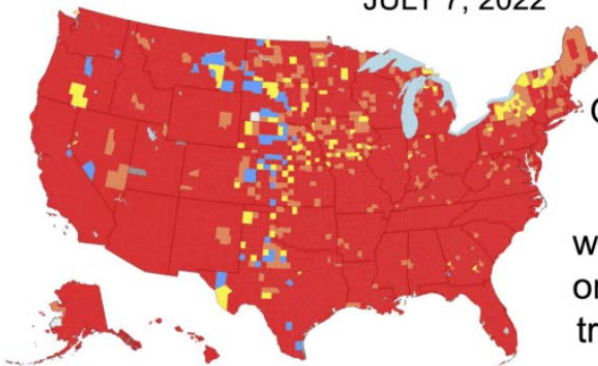


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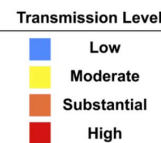
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Over **99%** of the U.S. population lives in an area with a **substantial** or **high** COVID-19 transmission level



The People's CDC is a collective of volunteer public health practitioners, scientists, health care workers, educators, advocates and people from all walks of life working to reduce the harmful impacts of COVID-19.

Weather Report

As BA.5 has become the dominant new strain, we have been at a sustained surge for many weeks now. The transmission map shows that 99% of people in the US are still at high or substantial transmission. Relentless high transmission levels are the result of removing all public health protections. Vaccines are important for preventing severe disease but are not enough to keep cases low in our communities.

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COVID This Week

Watch the latest episode on the state of the global COVID-19 pandemic and the U.S. outbreak, plus the COVID expectations Anthony Fauci has for personal visitors that he doesn't advise for the American people.

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Recent PCDC Offerings

Our latest blog post by Jeffrey B. Gordon, MD, MPH, and Michael J. Passarini describes the impressive aggressiveness of the Omicron variants. "Responsible officials have not prepared us for the possible risks and dangers which lie ahead.... Up to 30% of the population may become infected or reinfected with BA.5."

► [READ BLOG POST ON BA.5](#)

The **PCDC INTRODUCTORY WEBINAR** showcases the organization and our working groups. PCDC Artist Team member Sam Friedman delivers a poem, **WE WHO REMEMBER**.

A new infosheet is available on how to host and attend **SAFER GATHERINGS**.

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