



# Board of Supervisors The Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19)

June 22, 2021

# Briefing Topics

- Santa Barbara County Metrics
- Vaccination Efforts
- RISE Business Update



# Santa Barbara County Metrics

- Adjusted Case Rate: **1**
- Case Rate: **1.1**
- Tests: 224.4
- Testing Positivity: **0.7%**
- Health Equity Metric: **0.9%**



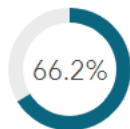
# Vaccination Efforts

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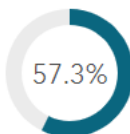


# Vaccination Rates, as of June 20th

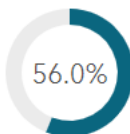
% of Eligible SB Individuals Vaccinated  
(Eligible persons 12+ years old, first or single dose)



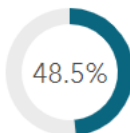
% of Eligible SB County Fully Vaccinated  
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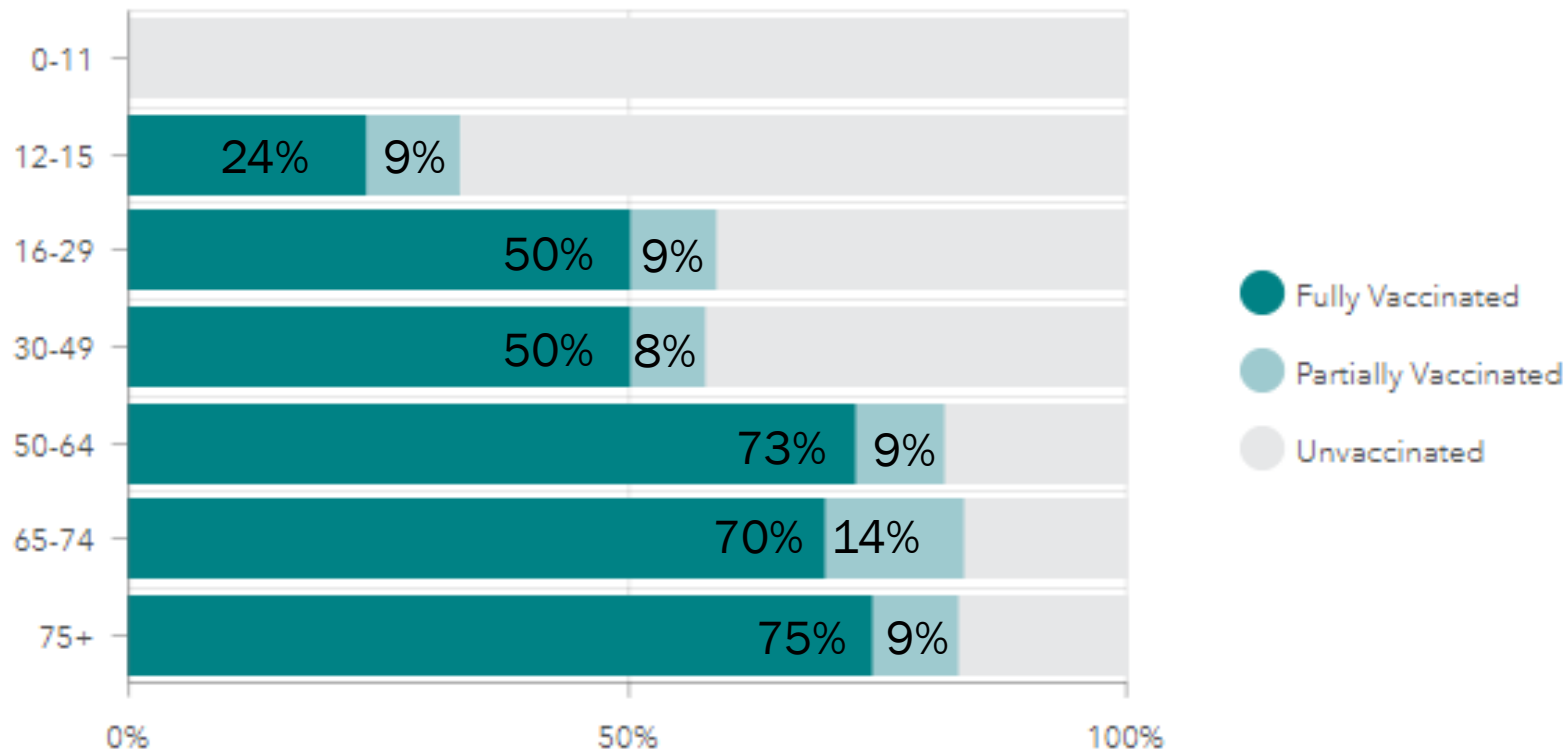
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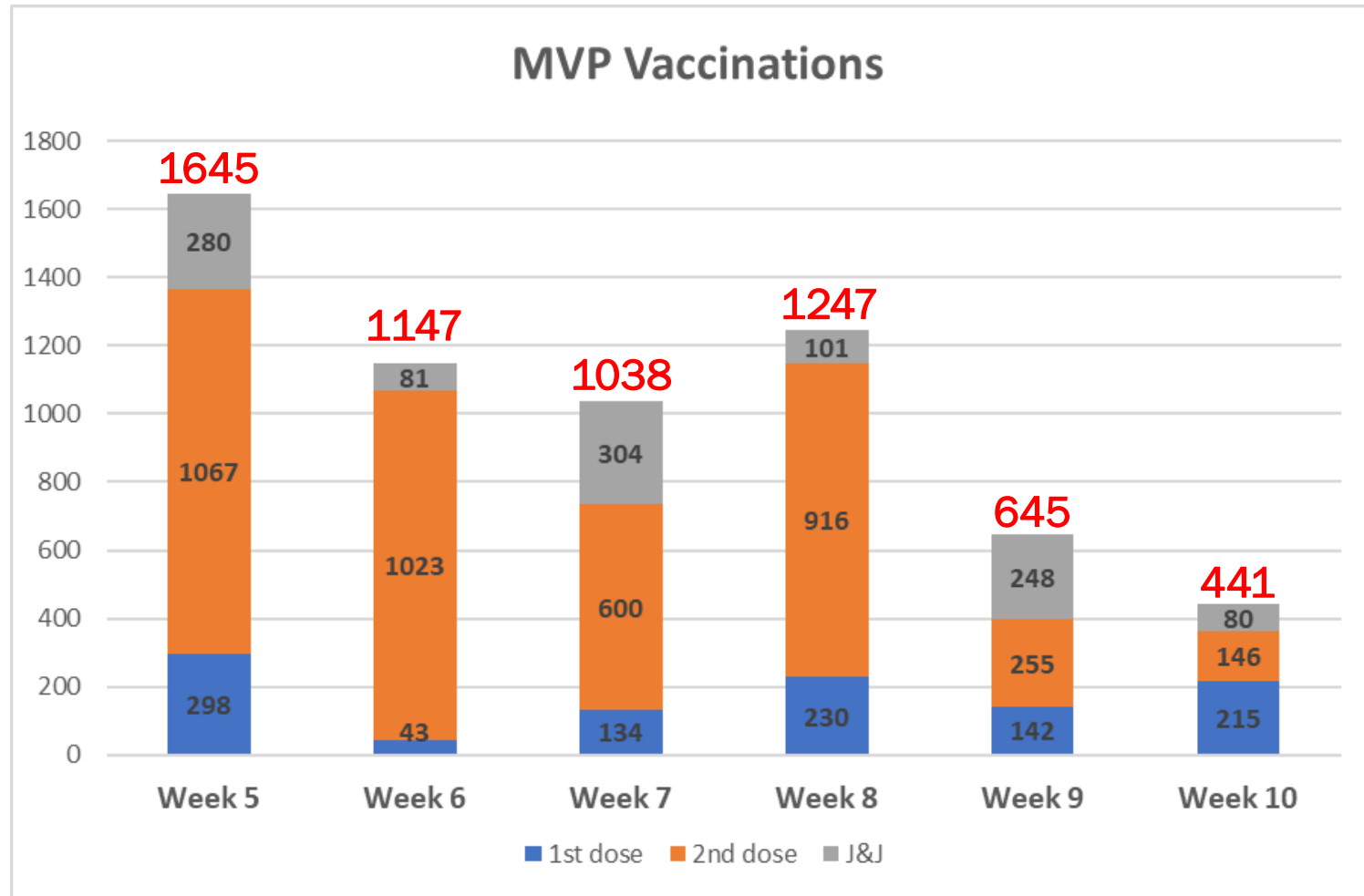
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## % Vaccinated by Age



# MVP Clinics



# Access to data

## COVID DATA DASHBOARD

AVAILABLE 24-7



PublicHealthSBC.org



# Infinity Healing Ceremony



## *Ceremony Activities and Participants*

*Blessing of the Land and Ceremony by Nakia Zavalla, Band of Chumash Natives*  
*Welcome by Esron Gates, Wealth Management Strategies, Healing Justice, SB*  
*Reflection by Father Randell Day, St. Mark's-in-the-Valley Episcopal Community*  
*Afro Brazilian Drumming by Mestre Mariano Silva, Brazilian Cultural Arts Center of Santa Barbara*  
*Reflection by Rav Debi Lewis, Santa Ynez Valley Jewish Community*  
*Mixteco Ceremony by the Garcia Family*  
*Altar Blessing and Smudge-Elder Alex Zuniga, Santa Maria*  
*Closing words by Esron Gates*  
*Say their Names "Leaving the rock, releasing the grief, and remembering their love."*

## *Infinity Healing Group organizational partners:*

*Santa Maria-Lompoc NAACP*  
*Healing Justice SB*  
*Latinx & Indigenous Migrant COVID-19 Response Task Force*  
*Corazón del Pueblo: The Cultural and Creative Arts Center of the Santa Maria Valley*  
*UCSB Health Equity Initiatives*

*With generous support from the Santa Barbara County Office of Arts and Culture*

*Here is the zoom link for the virtual ceremony*  
<https://nylife.zoom.us/j/93936519348?pwd=MUkxOY5TDlxUjZwOHFhQlplZTJlZz09>

*Meeting ID: 939 3651 9348*

*Passcode: 760766*

*For more information, please contact:*

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**STRONGER  
TOGETHER:  
FULLY VACCINATED.**



## Reopening Your Business in Santa Barbara County



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# Final RISE Update



- Effective June 15 RISE Program ended
  - RISE Signage can be removed
  - Temporary extensions to right of ways and parking areas through the SBCPEP programs will be extended until the State of Emergency is over
  - Emergency Temporary Food Permits through Environmental Health Services continue until further notice by Health Officer
- Businesses revert to following normal industry regulatory agency guidance with the exception of Mega Events
- Most California businesses also have to follow California Office of Occupational Health and Safety Administration (Cal/OSHA)

# RISE TEAM LEADERS & PARTICIPANTS



## THANK YOU

City leaders

Chambers of Commerce

Schools/Education

Wine and Beverage Industry

Financial Sector

Recreation / Theatre

Faith Based Organizations

Transportation

Non- profit organizations

Hair Salons and Barber Shops

Gyms and Fitness Centers

Restaurants

Hotels/Hospitality

Retail

Essential Businesses

Personal Services

Manufacturing

Movie Theaters/Entertainment

# RECOVERYSBC.ORG WEBSITE

For questions on COVID-19 protections in the workplace or to speak with a Cal/OSHA representative during normal business hours, please call 833-579-0927.

MEGA EVENTS REQUIREMENTS	Indoors ( > 5000 attendees)	Outdoors ( > 10,000 attendees)
Vaccine Verification / Negative Testing	Required for mega-events	Recommended for mega-events
Capacity Limitations	No restrictions	
Physical Distancing	No restrictions for attendees, customers and guests	
Masking	<a href="#">Follow current CDPH Guidance for Face Coverings</a>	
Travelers	Follow <a href="#">CDC recommendations</a> and <a href="#">CDPH Travel Advisory</a>	



## Resources for Businesses

Learn about important information including Federal, State, and local assistance programs available to small business owners and employers. Please check out the County of Santa Barbara's updated list of new programs and policies that may impact your business.

[Click here](#)



## Resources for Individuals

If you are a small business owner, employer, employee or a resident and you are interested in assistance that is specifically targeted to individuals and workers, please check out these resources.

[Click here](#)

# Business Advisory Resources



**Economic Development Collaborative** : Regional resources for business consulting, funding and strategic initiatives within the regional economy

Link: <https://edcollaborative.com/covid19/>

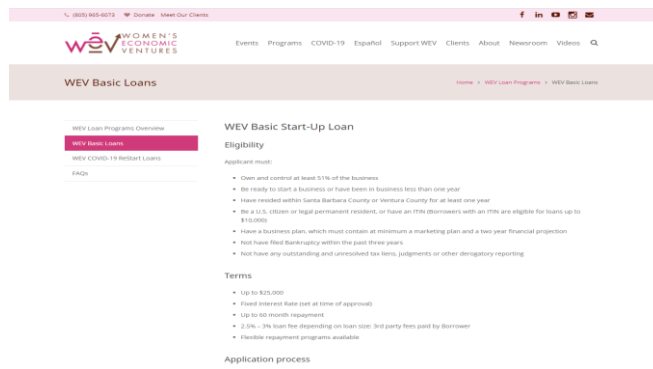
Call: 805-409-9159 (English) 805-309-5874 (Spanish)



<https://edcsbdc.org/>

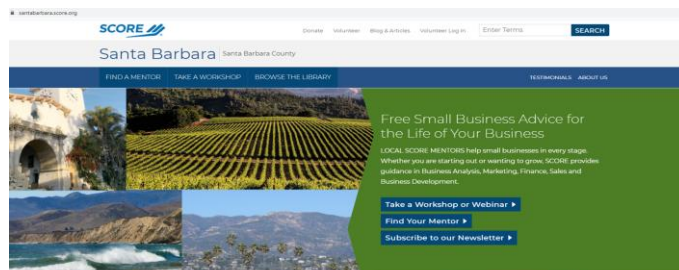
Assisting Clients in  
Ventura and Santa Barbara Counties  
805.384.1800

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**Women's Economic Ventures (WEV)**: Business consulting and financial loan support to businesses experiencing economic hardship

Link: <https://www.wevonline.org/loans-2/loan-overview/>



**Service Core of Retired Executives (SCORE)** : Business mentorship, webinars, online resources

Link: <https://santabarbara.score.org/>



# Cal OSHA Update



- Revised Emergency Temporary Standards (ETS) approved 6/17/21
- Executive Order N-09-21 made ETS effective immediately
- ETS to be final once filed with Secretary of State

# What Changes for County Facilities?



- Physical distancing signage, stickers, and barriers are optional and may be removed
- New revised signage for face coverings for public entering the building to self attest has been posted
- Continue to supply disposable masks for members of the public who request a facial covering
- July 13 Board of Supervisors meeting to be fully open to public



**PUBLIC NOTICE: Please Read Before Entering**

# Thank you for doing your part to keep our community safe.

For those entering County facilities who are fully vaccinated, facial coverings are optional. However, for those not fully vaccinated, facial coverings are required.

For those who need or want a face covering, one will be provided. Otherwise, accommodations will be made to maintain the safety of all individuals.

A list of open or hybrid services from all County departments is posted online at [countyofsb.org/reopen.sbc](https://countyofsb.org/reopen.sbc), or accessed directly by scanning the code.



If you're thinking about getting vaccinated, go to [PublicHealthSBC.org](https://PublicHealthSBC.org).

*"I am fully vaccinated!"*

*"I am not fully vaccinated, so my mask protects me and others."*



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# What Changes for Employees?



- For employees fully vaccinated
  - If fully vaccinated, employees have the option to wear a face covering
  - Vaccine status must be documented via vaccination card or self-attestation form
  - Exceptions may apply, for example: custody, institutions, healthcare settings
- For employees not fully vaccinated
  - Not fully vaccinated employees are required to wear a face covering indoors while at a worksite
  - Employees may request a respirator (e.g. N-95) for voluntary use in the workplace, if desired
- No person can be prevented from wearing a face covering as a condition of participation in an activity or entry into a business

# RISE and Recovery



QUESTIONS?