

## DICON Weekly Digest: 3/8/2021

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### COVID-19 Tracker & Statistics:

Duke University Dashboard (updated weekly) [here](#).

UNC Health Dashboard (updated daily) [here](#).

NC DPH Dashboard (updated daily) [here](#).

SC DPH Dashboard (updated daily) [here](#).

GA DPH Dashboard (updated weekly) [here](#).

VA DPH Dashboard (updated daily) [here](#).

WV DPH Dashboard (updated daily) [here](#).

FL DPH Dashboard (updated daily) [here](#).

Johns Hopkins Global Dashboard (updated daily) [here](#).

CDC COVID Data Tracker [here](#).

### COVID-19 Guidance & Resources:

DICON website [here](#).

CDC website [here](#).

### COVID-19 Vaccine Tracker:

NYT Vaccine Tracker [here](#).

### NHSN:

- NHSN added CEFTAR to Staph Aureus drug reporting in January 2021. The radio button for 'N' (not tested) was inadvertently omitted. This is supposed to be corrected with the latest scheduled maintenance that occurred on 3/4/21. If you have issues with this, please contact your DICON IP.

### CDC:

- [How CDC is responding to SARS-CoV-2 variants globally](#) (updated 3/2/2021)
- [US COVID-19 Cases Caused by Variants](#) (updated 3/4/2021)
- Current issue of [MMWR](#) with highlighted articles
  - [SARS-CoV-2 Infection Risk Among Active Duty Military Members Deployed to a Field Hospital](#)
  - [Estimated SARS-CoV-2 Seroprevalence Among Persons Aged <18 Years](#)
  - [Reduction in COVID-19 Patients Requiring Mechanical Ventilation Following Implementation of a National COVID-19 Vaccination Program](#)
  - [The Advisory Committee on Immunization Practices' Interim Recommendation for Use of Janssen COVID-19 Vaccine](#)
  - [Association of State-Issued Mask Mandates and Allowing On-Premises Restaurant Dining with County-Level COVID-19 Case and Death Growth Rates](#)
- Ebola Press Release: [CDC to Require Airlines to Collect Contact Information from Passengers from DRC and Guinea](#)

## Interesting Literature for Infection Prevention:

- [The Costs of Contradictory Messages About Live Vaccines in Pregnancy](#)
- [The Manchurian Plague and COVID-19: China, the United States, and the "Sick Man," Then and Now](#)
- [Surveillance testing reveals a significant proportion of hospitalized patients with SARS-CoV-2 are asymptomatic](#)
- [Difference in SARS-CoV-2 attack rate between children and adults may reflect bias](#)
- [Persistent SARS-CoV-2 RNA Shedding without Evidence of Infectiousness: A Cohort Study of Individuals with COVID-19](#)
- [The flu killed nearly 200 children last season. This time, 1 has died.](#)
- [Coronavirus shutdowns have quashed nearly all other common viruses. But scientists say a rebound is coming.](#)
- [J&J COVID-19 Vaccine Is Here. Now Come the Questions](#)
- [Goodbye UTIs: Duke scientists develop vaccine strategy for urinary tract infections](#)

## Do you have a suggestion for a new FAQ, position statement, or newsletter?

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