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**Gov. Beshear Provides Update on COVID-19**

**FRANKFORT, Ky. (March 30, 2021)** – On Tuesday, Gov. Andy Beshear announced 751 new COVID-19 cases and a 2.9% positivity rate.

“We are on a positive trajectory – we are leading all of our seven border states in administering at least one dose of the vaccine and our positivity rate continues to decline – but we need to keep working hard and not give up,” said Gov. Beshear. “We need every eligible Kentuckian to join the team and get the first vaccine available them.”

Kentucky has now vaccinated about 40% of all adults.

The Governor reminded Kentuckians that there are thousands of COVID-19 vaccination appointments available over the next few weeks at Norton Healthcare (register [here](#)), UK Health Care’s vaccination site at Kroger Field (register [here](#)) and the Kroger Frankfort Regional Vaccination site (register [here](#) or call [866-211-5320](tel:866-211-5320)); King’s Daughters Pavilion also has hundreds of available appointments (call [606-408-2683](tel:606-408-2683)).

### **Case Information**

As of 4 p.m. Tuesday, March 30, Gov. Beshear reported the following COVID-19 numbers:

New cases today: 751

New deaths today: 13

New audit deaths: 10

Positivity rate: 2.9%

Total deaths: 6,065

Currently hospitalized: 378

Currently in ICU: 91

Currently on ventilator: 37

Top counties with the most positive cases today are: Jefferson, Fayette, Christian and Scott. Each county reported at least 25 new cases.

To see a list of those reported lost to the virus today, click [here](#).

### **More Information**

To see all vaccination sites and free transportation options to and from vaccination appointments, visit [vaccine.ky.gov](http://vaccine.ky.gov). To see a list of vaccination sites that have openings this week, visit [vaccinemap.ky.gov](http://vaccinemap.ky.gov). If Kentuckians have questions, they should call the state's COVID-19 Vaccine Hotline, [855-598-2246](tel:855-598-2246) or TTY [855-326-4654](tel:855-326-4654) (for deaf or hard-of-hearing Kentuckians).

To view the [full daily report](#), [incidence rate map](#), information on [testing locations](#), [vaccines](#), [contact tracing](#), [school reports and guidance](#), [guidance for health care providers](#) and the White House Coronavirus Task Force reports for Kentucky and more, visit [kycovid19.ky.gov](http://kycovid19.ky.gov).

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