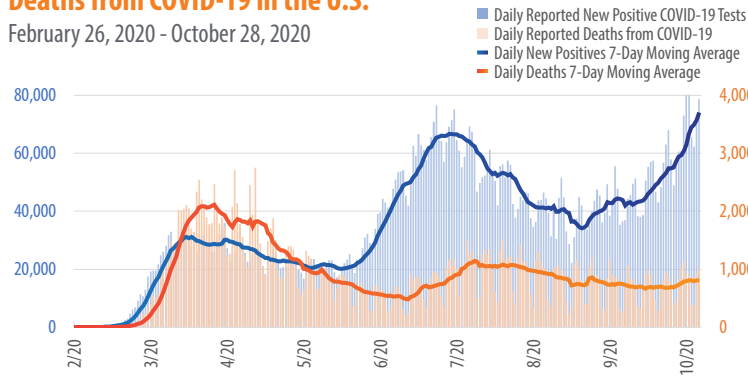


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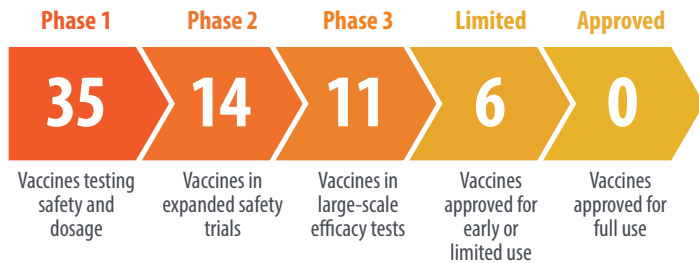
COVID-19 TRACKER

Daily Reported New Positive COVID-19 Tests vs. Daily Reported Deaths from COVID-19 in the U.S.

February 26, 2020 - October 28, 2020



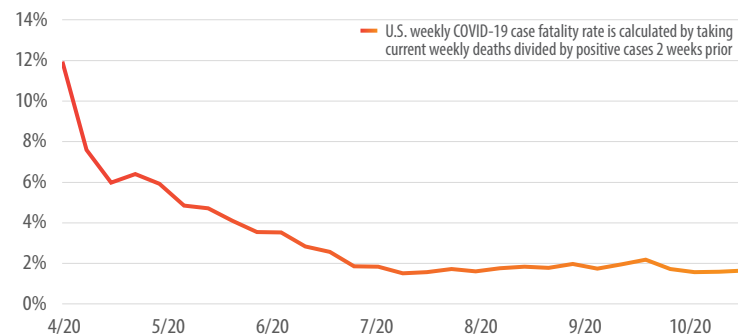
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Source: The New York Times. Data as of October 28, 2020.

U.S. Weekly COVID-19 Case Fatality Rate

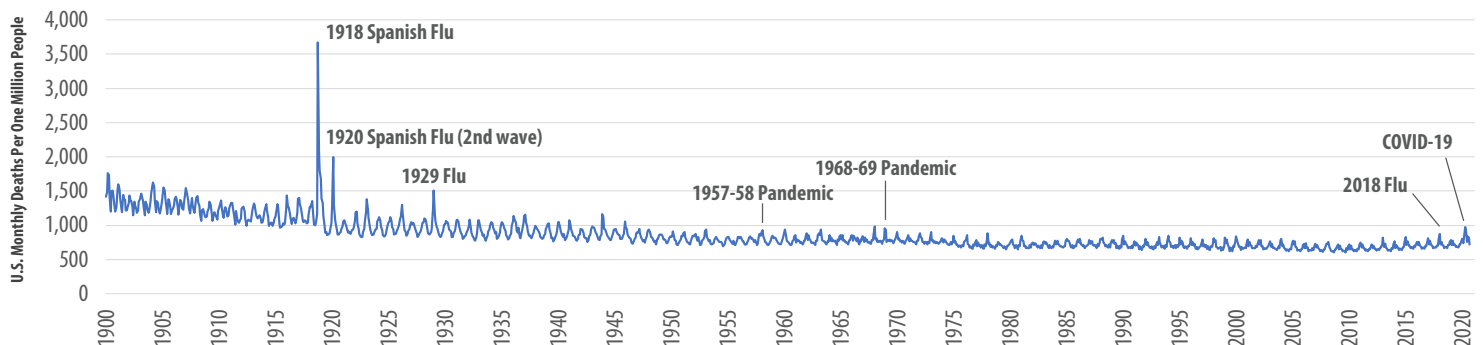
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The COVID-19 Pandemic in Context

January 1900 - September 2020



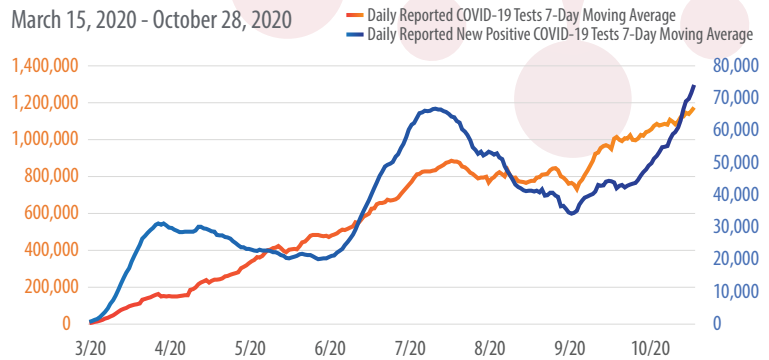
Sources: CDC.gov, U.S. Census Bureau

COVID-19 patients occupy 15% of hospital beds in North Dakota.

According to North Dakota's virus data dashboard, **45% of non-ICU hospital patients classified "with COVID-19" are admitted for other reasons and test positive for the virus.**¹

Daily Reported COVID-19 Tests vs. Daily Reported New Positive COVID-19 Tests

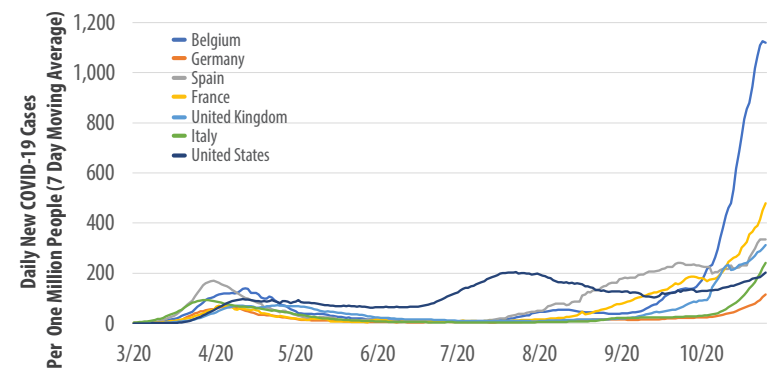
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Source: Covidtracking.com

COVID-19 Cases: Europe vs. The United States

March 1, 2020 - October 25, 2020



Source: ourworldindata.org



According to the HHS, **there are 712,540 inpatient hospital beds in the US.** Of these, **48,239 or 6.77% are occupied by COVID-19 patients.**²