# **HTA COVID-19 UPDATE**

(Issued: 4/9/21 @ 4:30pm)

Reason for Trip by Arrival Airport - Transpacific Screened Passengers as of 04/08/21	Honolulu <b>(HNL)</b>	Kahului <b>(OGG)</b>	Kona <b>(KOA)</b>	Hilo (ITO)	Lihue <b>(LIH)</b>	Grand Total
Airline Crew	515	275	111	3	49	953
Connecting Flight (Transit)	567	92	19	1	1	680
Corporate Meeting	6	8	2	0	2	18
Essential Worker	84	25	7	1	9	126
Honeymoon	25	14	4	0	0	43
Incentive Trip	6	0	0	0	0	6
Intended Resident	118	35	33	3	6	195
Military or Federal Government	172	1	2	1	1	177
Other	111	31	44	8	2	196
Other Business	96	34	27	3	15	175
Pleasure/Vacation	6,010	5,244	1,917	35	799	14,005
Returning Resident	905	242	166	23	102	1,438
Sports Event	41	0	0	0	0	41
To Attend School	26	1	44	0	0	71
To Get Married	12	8	5	0	0	25
Visiting Friends or Relatives	1,789	414	363	29	195	2,790
Grand Total	10,483	6,424	2,744	107	1,181	20,939
<b>Source:</b> Safe Travels program developed by the State of Hawaii Office of Enterprise Technology Services <b>Note:</b> The data is preliminary and subject to change						

# **Novel Coronavirus in Hawaii**

COVID-19 Positive Cases Cumulative totals as of 12:00pm on April 9, 2021

Total Confirmed Cases	30,571* (87 new)
Hawaii	2,561
Kauai	199
Lanai	111
Maui	3,078†
Molokai	34
Oahu	23,603
Out of State	985
Pending	0
Required Hospitalization	2,039‡
Hawaii Deaths	470
Cases in the past 14 days	1,312*

#### Footnotes for COVID-19 Cases

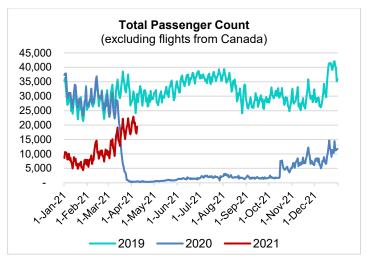
\*As a result of updated information, one case on Oahu was removed from the counts.

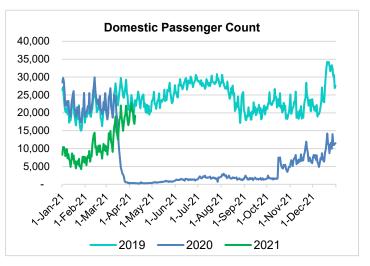
\*\*Using cases reported in the past 14 days provides a rough approximation of the number of cases currently meeting criteria for isolation. This proxy number for "active cases" resolves classification issues for cases unable to be reached or who are out of jurisdiction, for whom precise release from isolation date may not be possible to determine. It is also not influenced by lags in data entry. (This total does not include Hawaii residents diagnosed outside of Hawaii)

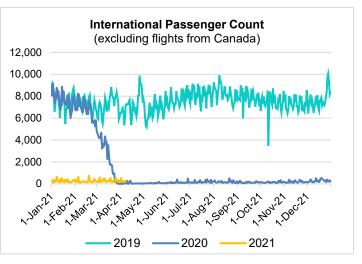
<sup>†</sup>One case is a Lanai resident whose exposure is on Maui Island and who will be remaining on Maui Island for the interim.

*‡Includes Hawaii residents hospitalized out of state.* 

§Includes cases that meet isolation release criteria (Isolation should be maintained until at least 24 hours after resolution of fever and myalgia without the use of antipyretics OR at least 10 days have passed since symptom onset, whichever is longer). (The cases that have died and one case that has left the jurisdiction have been removed from these counts). Positive cases include confirmed cases, and Hawaii residents and nonresidents; data are preliminary and subject to change. Note that CDC provides case counts according to states of residence.





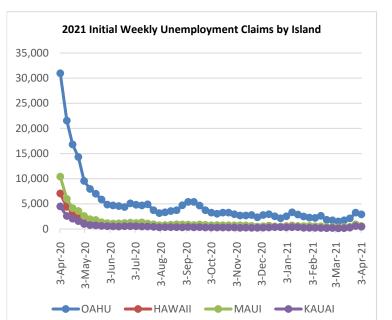


April 8 (Thu)*									
Domestic flights to							Int'l	flights f	rom
	Total	Total,D	Oahu	Maui	Big isl	Kauai	Total,I	Japan	Others
2021	19,449	19,178	9,949	5,754	2,401	1,074	271	127	144
2020	543	282	243	12	27	0	261	0	261
2019	30,732	23,508	12,253	6,266	2,748	2,241	7,224	4,662	2,562
2018	28,791	21,625	11,425	5,541	2,378	2,281	7,166	4,394	2,772

April (daily avg.)*									
	Domestic flights to						Int'	l flights	from
	Total	Total,D	Oahu	Maui	Big isl	Kauai	Total,I	Japan	Others
2021	20,159	19,897	10,154	6,441	2,649	654	262	80	182
2020	390	330	243	36	38	13	61	13	48
2019	28,737	22,279	11,873	6,008	2,617	1,781	6,458	3,947	2,511
2018	28,039	21,307	11,017	5,648	2,523	2,120	6,732	4,122	2,610

Comparison with 2019, a pre-COVID 19 year \*

(Index with passengers on the same day in 2019=100)



## Weekly Unemployment Initial Claims: April 3, 2021

State of Hawaii	4,602
C&C of Oahu	2,913
Honolulu	1,318
Kaneohe	284
Waipahu	1,311
Hawaii County	540
Hilo	272
Kona	268
Maui County	593
Wailuku	580
Molokai	13
Kauai County	437
Agent (filed in Hawaii against another state)	119

# News Highlights April 9, 2021

Hawaii News Now: For Maui's out-of-state arrivals, 1 negative COVID test soon won't be enough to skip quarantine

Honolulu Star Advertiser: <u>Gut-</u> and-replace bill threatens Tourism Authority funding

Hawaii Public Radio: <u>The</u> <u>Conversation: Gov. David Ige on</u> <u>COVID-19 Restrictions, Vaccines</u>

Pacific Business News: <u>Have</u> vaccination rates made Honolulu's <u>Covid Tier system obsolete?</u>

Big Island Now: Hawaii COVID Cases Jump by Nearly 50 From Wednesday Total

Hawaii Magazine: <u>Traveling to</u> Kauai? Here's What You Need to Know

Hawaii Tribune-Herald: DOH investigates three Big Island COVID clusters

Fox Business: Alaska, California, Hawaii among the top travel destinations as COVID winds down: Travel expert

Travel Pulse: Maui to Require Secondary COVID-19 Testing for Inbound Interstate Travelers

### **Helpful Resources**

Apr 1, 20

Jul 1, 20

Oct 1, 20

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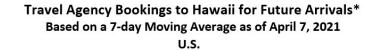
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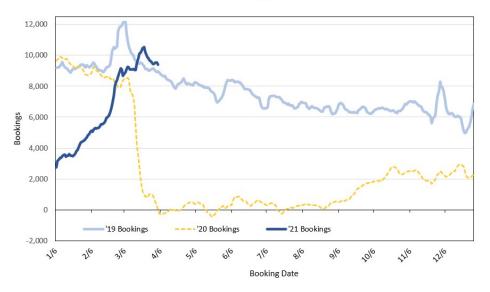
**Department of Health** https://hawaiicovid19.com/ Hawaii Tourism Authority https://www.hawaiitourismauthority.org /covid-19-updates/

Jan 1, 21

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Dept. of Business, Economic Development & Tourism https://dbedt.hawaii.gov/economic/covid19/ **Department of Transportation** https://hidot.hawaii.gov/coronavirus/

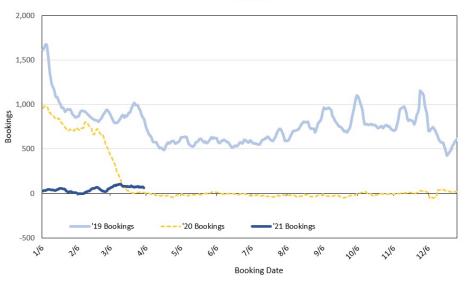




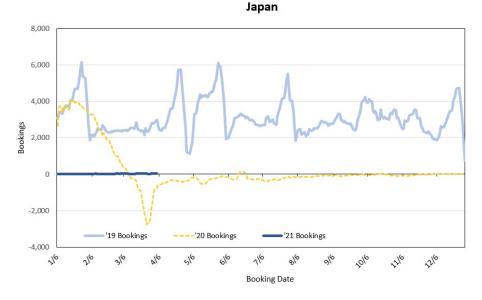
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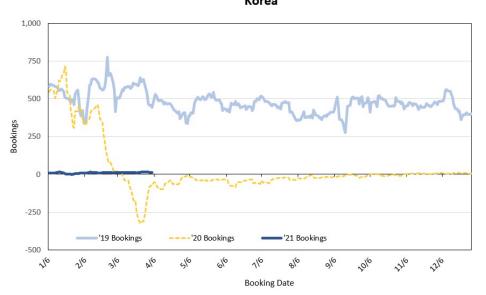
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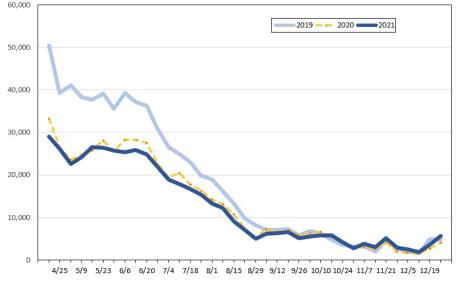
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Travel Agency Bookings to Hawaii for Future Arrivals\* Based on a 7-day Moving Average as of April 7, 2021 Korea

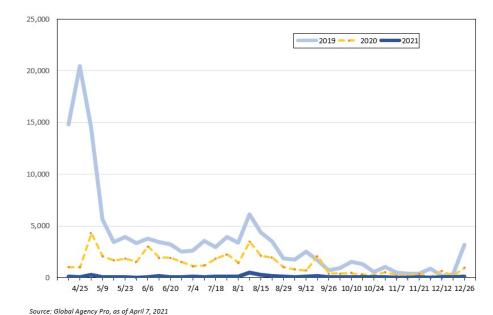


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### Travel Agency Weekly Bookings for Future Travel to Hawai'i as of April 7, 2021 U.S.

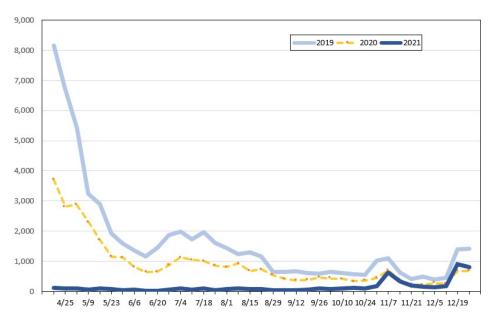




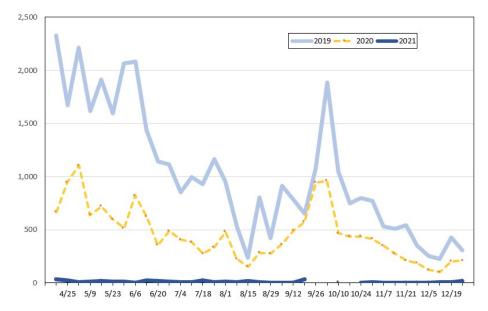


Source: Global Agency Pro, as of April 7, 2021

## Travel Agency Weekly Bookings for Future Travel to Hawai'i as of April 7, 2021 Canada



Travel Agency Weekly Bookings for Future Travel to Hawaiʻi as of April 7, 2021 Korea



Source: Global Agency Pro, as of April 7, 2021