# **HTA COVID-19 UPDATE**

(Issued: 4/28/21 @ 4:00pm)

| Reason for Trip by Arrival Airport - Transpacific Screened Passengers as of 04/27/21 | Honolulu<br>(HNL) | Kahului<br>( <b>OGG</b> ) | Kona<br>(KOA) | Hilo<br>(ITO) | Lihue<br>(LIH) | Grand<br>Total |
|--|-------------------|---------------------------|---------------|---------------|----------------|----------------|
| Airline Crew   | 539               | 274                       | 96            | 3             | 42             | 954            |
| Connecting Flight (Transit)  | 532               | 46                        | 9             | 0             | 0              | 587            |
| Corporate Meeting  | 16                | 2                         | 22            | 0             | 3              | 43             |
| Essential Worker   | 81                | 25                        | 3             | 2             | 9              | 120            |
| Honeymoon  | 30                | 27                        | 2             | 0             | 5              | 64             |
| Incentive Trip   | 1                 | 1                         | 2             | 0             | 0              | 4              |
| Intended Resident  | 102               | 20                        | 8             | 6             | 0              | 136            |
| Military or Federal Government   | 118               | 0                         | 0             | 0             | 0              | 118            |
| Other  | 87                | 13                        | 9             | 0             | 2              | 111            |
| Other Business   | 88                | 46                        | 24            | 0             | 10             | 168            |
| Pleasure/Vacation  | 3,762             | 2,991                     | 974           | 14            | 449            | 8,190          |
| Returning Resident   | 1,814             | 283                       | 201           | 24            | 52             | 2,374          |
| Sports Event   | 3                 | 0                         | 0             | 0             | 0              | 3              |
| To Attend School   | 29                | 0                         | 0             | 0             | 0              | 29             |
| To Get Married   | 7                 | 10                        | 2             | 0             | 0              | 19             |
| Visiting Friends or Relatives  | 961               | 250                       | 180           | 14            | 72             | 1,477          |
| Grand Total  | 8,170             | 3,988                     | 1,532         | 63            | 644            | 14,397         |

Source: Safe Travels program developed by the State of Hawaii Office of Enterprise Technology Services

Note: The data is preliminary and subject to change

# **Novel Coronavirus in Hawaii**

COVID-19 Positive Cases

Cumulative totals as of 12:00pm on April 28, 2021

| Total Confirmed Cases     | 32,110* (69 new) |  |  |  |
|---------------------------|------------------|--|--|--|
| Hawaii                    | 2,683            |  |  |  |
| Kauai                     | 225              |  |  |  |
| Lanai                     | 111              |  |  |  |
| Maui                      | 3,345†           |  |  |  |
| Molokai                   | 37               |  |  |  |
| Oahu                      | 24,670           |  |  |  |
| Out of State              | 1039             |  |  |  |
| Pending                   | 0                |  |  |  |
| Required Hospitalization  | 2,117‡           |  |  |  |
| Hawaii Deaths             | 482              |  |  |  |
| Cases in the past 14 days | 1,097*           |  |  |  |

### **Footnotes for COVID-19 Cases**

\*\*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

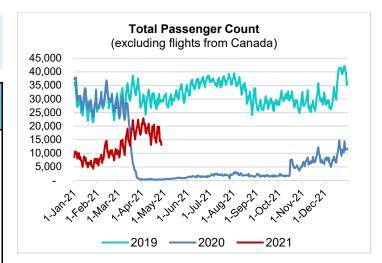
†One case is a Lanai resident whose exposure is on Maui Island and who will be remaining on Maui Island for the interim.

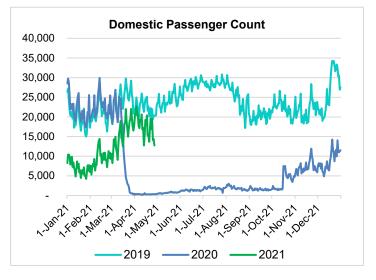
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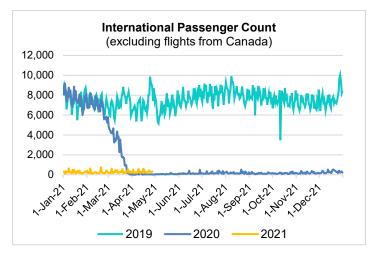
‡Includes Hawaii residents hospitalized out of state.

diagnosed outside of Hawaii)

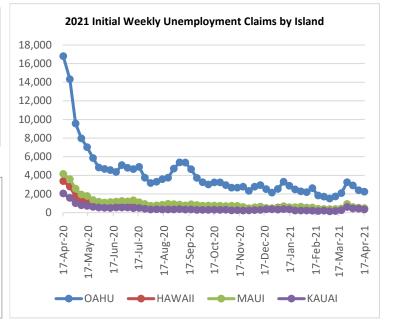
§Includes cases that meet isolation release criteria (Isolation should be maintained until at least 24 hours after resolution of fever and myalgia without the use of antipyretics OR at least 10 days have passed since symptom onset, whichever is longer). (The cases that have died and one case that has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

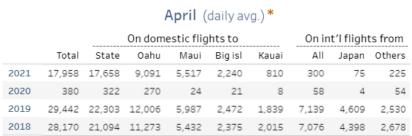






| April 27 (Tue)*        |        |        |        |       |         |                       |       |       |        |
|------------------------|--------|--------|--------|-------|---------|-----------------------|-------|-------|--------|
| On domestic flights to |        |        |        |       |         | On int'l flights from |       |       |        |
|                        | Total  | State  | Oahu   | Maui  | Big isl | Kauai                 | All   | Japan | Others |
| 2021                   | 13,090 | 12,749 | 7,202  | 3,521 | 1,484   | 542                   | 341   | 154   | 187    |
| 2020                   | 357    | 337    | 306    | 0     | 31      | 0                     | 20    | 0     | 20     |
| 2019                   | 28,882 | 20,199 | 11,300 | 5,467 | 1,913   | 1,519                 | 8,683 | 6,538 | 2,145  |
| 2018                   | 26,442 | 20,691 | 11,433 | 5,331 | 2,301   | 1,626                 | 5,751 | 3,471 | 2,280  |





| State of Hawaii                               | 3,610 |  |  |
|---|-------|--|--|
| C&C of Oahu                                   | 2,242 |  |  |
| Honolulu                                      | 1,105 |  |  |
| Kaneohe                                       | 196   |  |  |
| Waipahu                                       | 941   |  |  |
| Hawaii County                                 | 429   |  |  |
| Hilo  | 231   |  |  |
| Kona  | 198   |  |  |
| Maui County                                   | 479   |  |  |
| Wailuku                                       | 466   |  |  |
| Molokai                                       | 13    |  |  |
| Kauai County                                  | 341   |  |  |
| Agent (filed in Hawaii against another state) | 119   |  |  |

# Comparison with 2019, a pre-COVID 19 year \* (Index with passengers on the same day in 2019=100) 50 0 Apr 1, 20 Jul 1, 20 Jan 1, 20 Oct 1, 20 Jan 1, 21 Apr 1, 21

**Helpful Resources Department of Health** 

https://hawaiicovid19.com/

**Hawaii Tourism Authority** https://www.hawaiitourismauthority.org /covid-19-updates/

Dept. of Business, Economic Development & Tourism https://dbedt.hawaii.gov/economic/covid19/

**Department of Transportation** https://hidot.hawaii.gov/coronavirus/

## Weekly Unemployment Initial Claims: April 17, 2021

The Sacramento Bee: Boy dies from COVID on Hawaii vacation with fully vaccinated parents, officials say

**News Highlights** 

Hawaii News Now: Fully

vaccinated trans-Pacific travelers

can skip post-arrival test on Maui,

Honolulu Civil Beat: New County

Hotel Tax Is Approved In Final

West Hawaii Today: Five new

hospitalized on Big Island

COVID-19 cases reported, three

West Hawaii Today: Legislation

OK'd Tuesday gives counties the

Travel Weekly: Google expands

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