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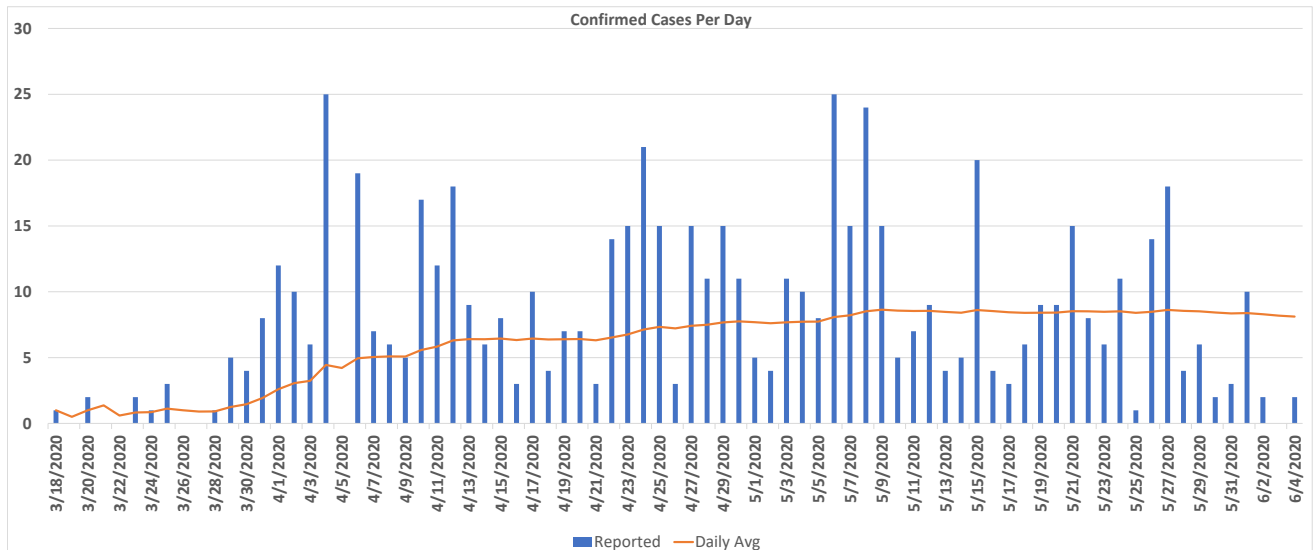
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Cape May Court House- New Jersey has 162,530 total COVID-19 positive cases and 11,970 deaths. Total positive cases of COVID-19 infection in Cape May County is now 641 including 49 deaths.

Municipality	Community Active Cases	Community Reported 06/04/2020	Off Quarantine	Community Fatalities	Long-Term Care Active Cases	Long-Term Care Reported 06/04/2020	Long-term Care Off-Quarantine	Long-Term Care Fatalities	County Total Cases
AVALON	0	0	7	0	0	0	0	0	7
CAPE MAY CITY	3	0	4	0	0	0	0	0	7
CAPE MAY POINT	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
DENNIS TOWNSHIP	7	0	18	1	14	0	20	3	63
LOWER TOWNSHIP	22	0	74	3	17	0	59	27	202
MIDDLE TOWNSHIP	26	1	77	2	10	1	4	1	120
NORTH WILDWOOD	7	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	18
OCEAN CITY	8	0	31	0	2	0	1	1	43
SEA ISLE CITY	0	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	3
STONE HARBOR	0	0	1	0	0	0	0	0	1
UPPER TOWNSHIP	9	0	53	2	0	0	0	0	64
WEST CAPE MAY	1	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	4
WEST WILDWOOD	4	0	3	0	0	0	0	0	7
WILDWOOD	3	0	30	0	0	0	0	0	33
WILDWOOD CREST	2	0	11	0	0	0	0	0	13
WOODBINE	2	0	14	2	24	0	7	7	56
Total	94	1	340	10	67	1	91	39	641



People Who Are at Higher Risk for Severe Illness

COVID-19 is a new disease and there is limited information regarding risk factors for severe disease. Based on currently available information and clinical expertise, **older adults and people of any age who have serious underlying medical conditions** might be at higher risk for severe illness from COVID-19.

Based on what we know now, those at high-risk for severe illness from COVID-19 are:

- People 65 years and older
- People who live in a nursing home or long-term care facility

People of all ages with underlying medical conditions, particularly if not well controlled, including:

- People with chronic lung disease or moderate to severe asthma
- People who have serious heart conditions
- People who are immunocompromised
 - Many conditions can cause a person to be immunocompromised, including cancer treatment, smoking, bone marrow or organ transplantation, immune deficiencies, poorly controlled HIV or AIDS, and prolonged use of corticosteroids and other immune weakening medications
- People with severe obesity (body mass index [BMI] of 40 or higher)
- People with diabetes
- People with chronic kidney disease undergoing dialysis
- People with liver disease

Call your healthcare professional if you have concerns about COVID-19 and your underlying health conditions. Stay up to date on the current situation as it evolves. Some reliable sources are New Jersey Poison Information and Education System hotline at 211 or 1-800-962-1253, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention at www.cdc.gov, the World Health Organization at www.who.int, the New Jersey Department of Health at COVID19.nj.gov. **For additional information** visit <https://capemaycountynj.gov/> or Cape May County Department of Health at www.cmchealth.net, also like us on Facebook.
