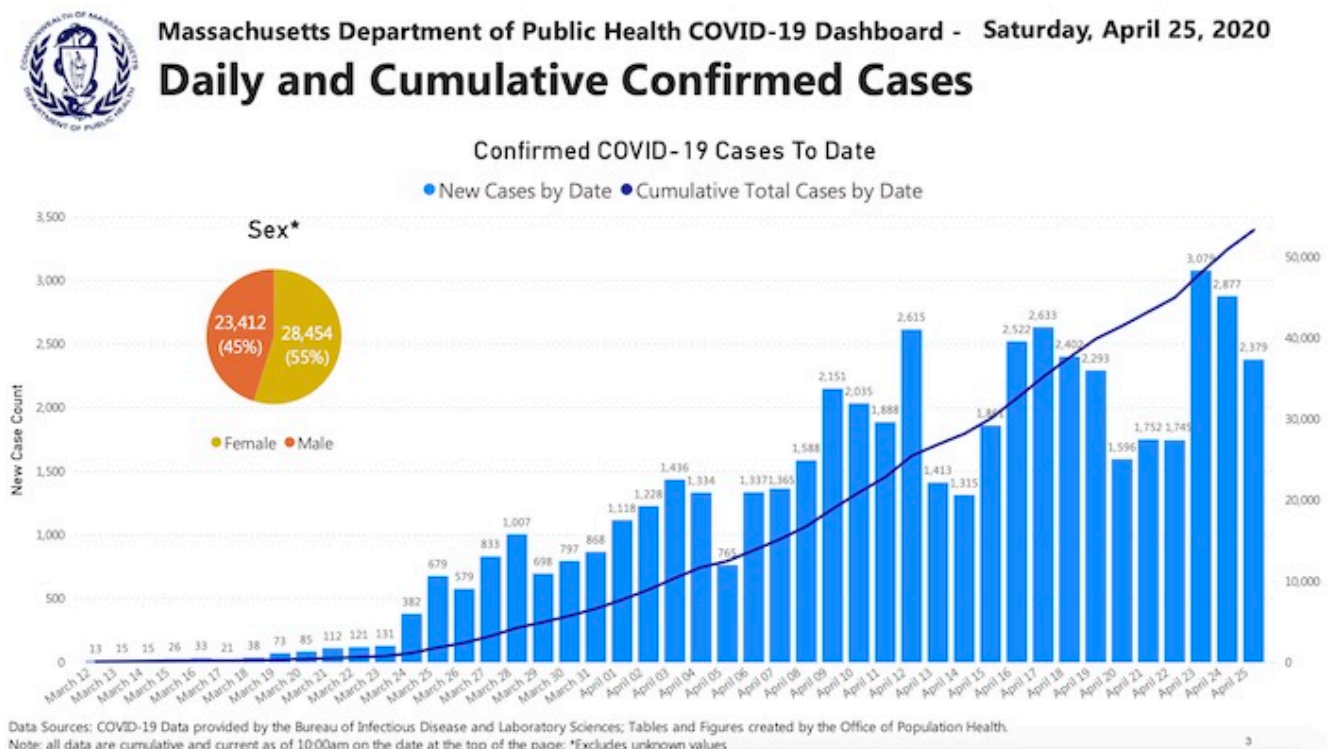


COVID-19 related deaths in Massachusetts drop for 5th straight day

Massachusetts Coronavirus Update



On April 25, the Massachusetts Public Health Department reported that the state added 2,379 more positive cases of COVID-19 bringing to total to 50,969. This is a decrease from Friday's 4,946 reported cases.



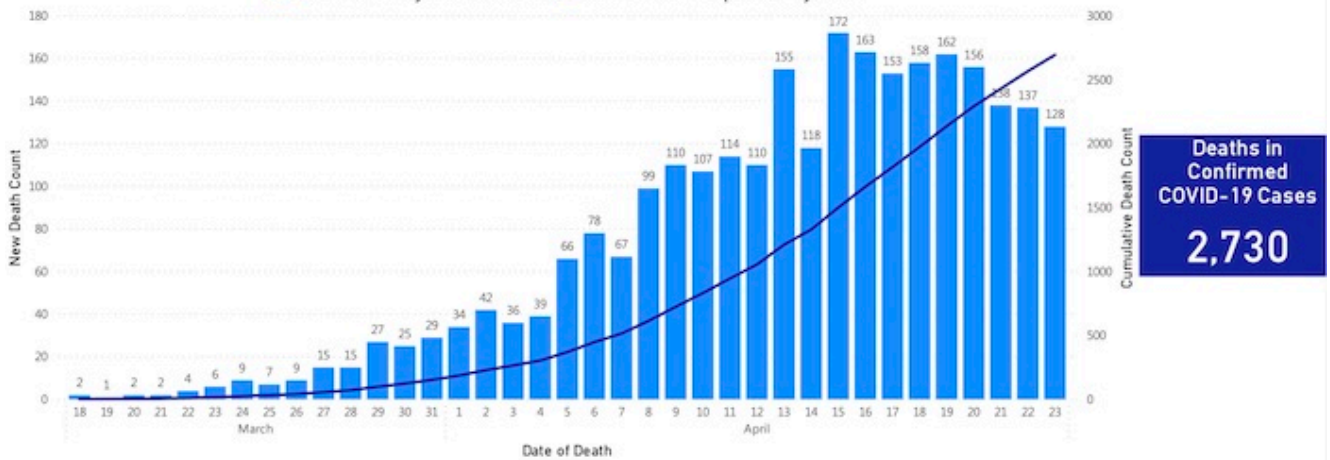
174 new COVID-19 related deaths were reported since yesterday, down from 196, bringing the total deaths in Massachusetts to 2,730.



Daily and Cumulative Deaths

Deaths* in Confirmed COVID-19 Cases by Date of Death

● New Deaths by Date of Death ● Total Deaths Reported by Date



Data Sources: COVID-19 Data provided by the Bureau of Infectious Disease and Laboratory Sciences and the Registry of Vital Records and Statistics; Tables and Figures created by the Office of Population Health
Note: all data are cumulative and current as of 10:00am on the date at the top of the page; *Counts on the trend chart do not match total number of deaths reported, as there is a several day lag in reporting by date of death.

As of 4 pm today, 226,845 people in Massachusetts have been tested for COVID-19 – 11,632 new tests since yesterday. This is the third straight day Massachusetts Health officials reported ten thousand or more tests.

New Bedford Coronavirus Update

Mayor Jon Mitchell's office reported 31 additional confirmed COVID-19 cases in New Bedford Saturday, bringing the total positive cases in the city to 441, **up from 410 on Friday**. One new COVID-19 related death was reported today bringing the total to 13. No specific details (age, sex of the patient, etc) are available.

The New Bedford Police Department welcomed home Sgt. Ortega who is recovering from COVID-19. Full details [here](#).

Fall River Coronavirus Update

Fall River reported 23 more confirmed positive cases of COVID-19 on Friday. According to Mayor Coogan's office, Fall River has seen 337 total positive cases. 149 cases have cleared isolation. Full details [here](#).

While case numbers released by the Massachusetts Department of Health suggest the Bay State isn't out of the woods in the COVID-19 pandemic, a local group is getting ready to show their displeasure over how the virus has been handled.

Sarah Rebello, who co-hosts a conservative radio show in Fall River, has organized a rally to take place at Government Center to express what she feels is an unconstitutional lockdown. Full details **[here](#)**.