Children and COVID-19 Vaccinations Trends

AAP Analysis of Data Posted by the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention

as of September 14, 2022

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Updated Version of the Vaccination Report

Please note the following changes to the methods in this weekly report:

A. Child Age Groupings:

12-17 year-olds: We are combining data for 12-15 and 16-17 year-olds. COVID-19 vaccines have been available for all in this group since 5.12.21.

5-11 year-olds: This report tracks COVID-19 vaccination rates beginning the week of 11.3.2021, following CDC recommendation for its use for 5-11 year-olds on 11.2.2021.

6 month – 4 year-olds: This report tracks COVID-19 vaccination rates beginning the week of 6.22.2022, following CDC recommendation for its use for under age 5 on 6.18.2022.

B. Data Sources: The data cover the 50 states & District of Columbia. In reports up through 11.10.21, we used 2 different sources from the CDC to provide breakouts by age and geography: "Demographic Trends of People Receiving COVID-19 Vaccinations in the United States" (URL: https://covid.cdc.gov/covid-data-tracker/#vaccination-demographics-trends) and "COVID-19 Vaccinations in the United States, Jurisdiction" (URL: https://data.cdc.gov/Vaccinations/COVID-19-Vaccinations-in-the-United-States-Jurisdi/unsk-b7fc). To combine ages 12-17, we are using only the jurisdiction file which may create minor shifts in the cumulative trends.

Interested readers should refer to the CDC and individual states where more information might be available.

COVID-19 Vaccine Eligibility: Timeline for Children

The FDA issued the first Emergency Use Authorization (EUA) for use of the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine in **people 16 years and older** on 12.11.2020, followed by ACIP recommendations and CDC approval for its use on 12.12.2020. However, the vaccine was not available for the non-elderly general public in most states until sometime in the Spring of 2021. Persons aged 16+ in Massachusetts, for example, started to receive their first COVID shots on 4.19.2021.

The FDA approved the use of the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine in **children ages 12 to 15** on an emergency use basis on 5.10.2021, followed by CDC recommendation the same week.

The FDA issued an EUA for the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine for **children ages 5 to 11** on 10.29.2021, followed by CDC recommendation on 11.2.2021.

The FDA authorized the use of Moderna and Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 vaccines for **children ages 6 months to 4** on 6.15.2022, followed by CDC recommendation on 6.18.2022.

Status of COVID-19 Vaccinations for US Children as of 9.14.2022

Ages 6 months - 4 Years

- **1.3** million (**8%**) have received their initial dose of COVID-19 vaccine.
- At this time about **16.1** million have yet to receive their first vaccine. This past week about **52,000** received their initial COVID-19 vaccine dose.
- Vaccination rates vary highly across states: In **12** states, over 10% have received their initial dose; in **15** states, under 5% have received their first vaccine.

Ages 5-11 Years

- **10.7** million (**38%**) have received their initial dose of COVID-19 vaccine.
- **8.7** million (**31%**) completed the 2-dose vaccination series.
- At this time about **17.7** million have yet to receive their initial COVID-19 vaccine dose. This past week about **27,000** received their first vaccine.
- Vaccination rates vary highly across states: In **9** states, over half have received their initial dose; in **21** states, under a third have received their first vaccine.

Ages 12-17 Years

- **17.6** million (**70%**) have received their initial dose of COVID-19 vaccine.
- **15.0** million (**60%**) completed the 2-dose vaccination series.
- At this time about **7.6** million have yet to receive their initial COVID-19 vaccine dose. This past week about **17,000** received their first vaccine.
- Vaccination rates vary highly across states: In **15** states, over 3 quarters have received their initial dose; in **7** states, under half have received their first vaccine.

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Ages 6 Months - 4 Years

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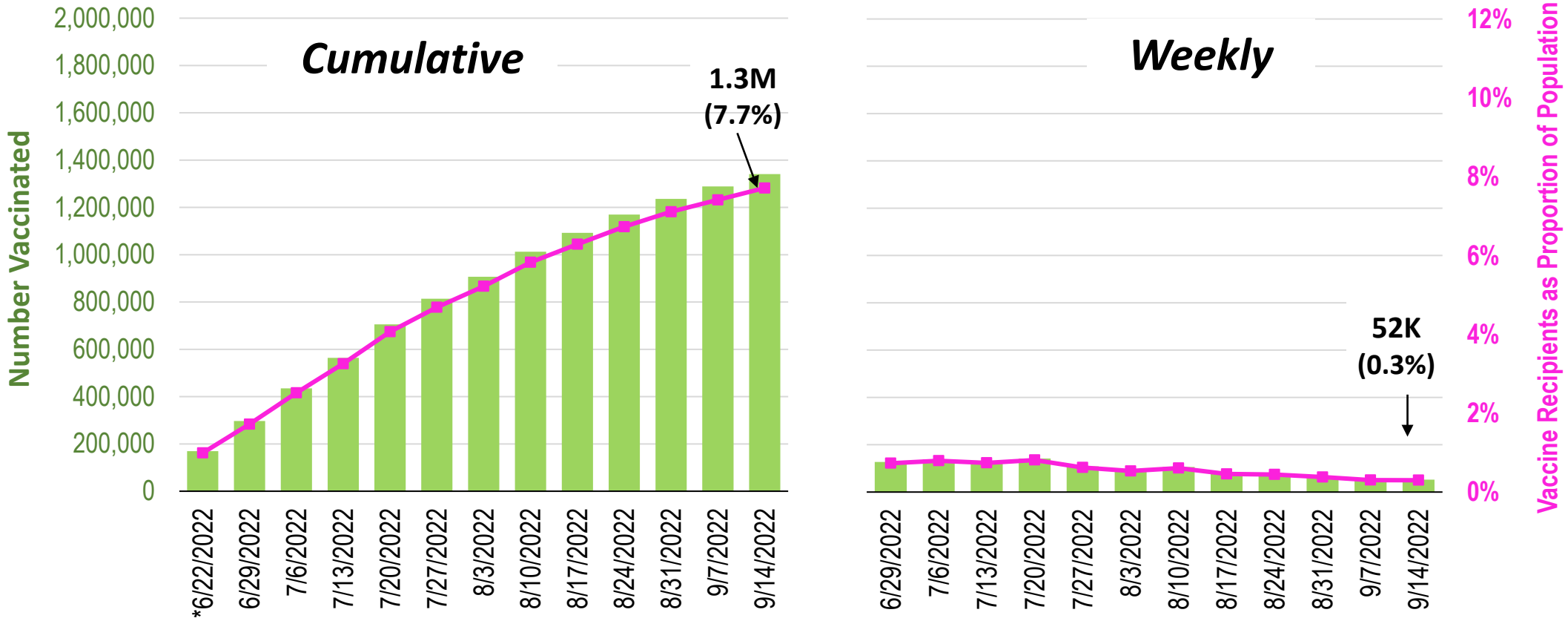
Number and Proportion of US Infants and Children Ages 6 Months - 4 Years Receiving Initial Dose of COVID-19 Vaccine

6.22.2022 to 9.14.2022



***** Includes clinical trial participants and all others under age 5 who received any COVID-19 vaccine prior to CDC recommendations for age group. **Source:** AAP analysis of data series titled "COVID -19 Vaccinations in the United States, Jurisdiction". CDC COVID -19 Data Tracker (URL: https://data.cdc.gov/Vaccinations/COVID-19-Vaccinations-in-the-United-States-Jurisdi/unsk-b7fc).

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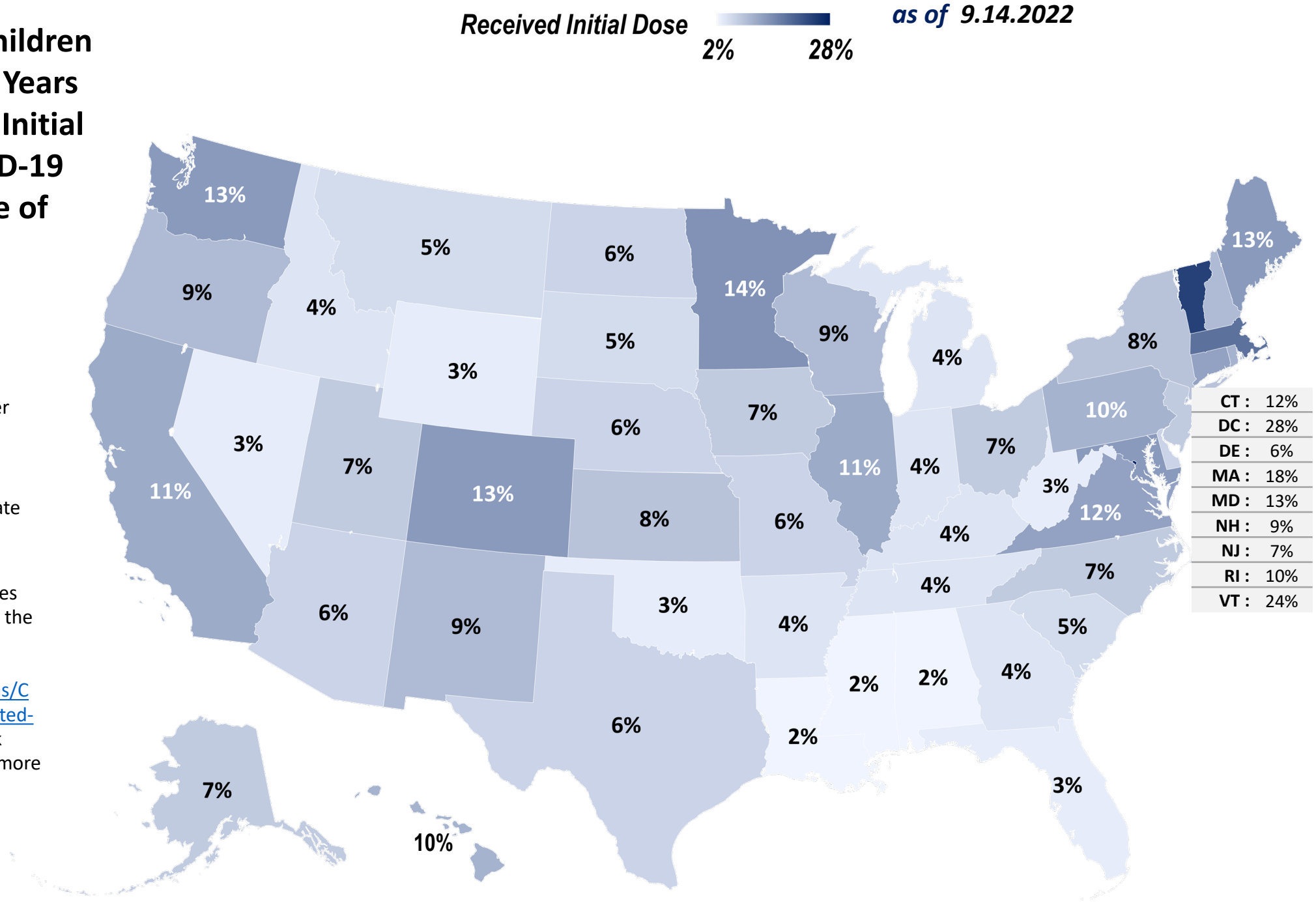
Proportion of US Children Ages 6 Months - 4 Years Who Received the Initial Dose of the COVID-19 Vaccine, by State of Residence



Note: Infants 6 months and older are estimated as half of infant population. Data based on state population size published by US Bureau of Census, June 2021, State Population by Characteristics.

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Initial Dose Among US Children Ages 6 Months through 4 Years ---3 Week Improvement

State	%Children Having Received At Least One Dose		
	8/24/2022	9/14/2022	Increase by Percentage Point
50 States + DC	**6.7%**	**7.7%**	**1.0%**
Alabama	2%	2%	0%
Alaska	6%	7%	1%
Arizona	5%	6%	1%
Arkansas	3%	4%	1%
California	10%	11%	1%
Colorado	11%	13%	2%
Connecticut	10%	12%	2%
Delaware	6%	6%	0%
District of Columbia	25%	28%	3%
Florida	3%	3%	0%
Georgia	4%	4%	0%
Hawaii	9%	10%	1%
Idaho	3%	4%	1%
Illinois	10%	11%	1%
Indiana	3%	4%	1%
Iowa	6%	7%	1%
Kansas	7%	8%	1%
Kentucky	4%	4%	0%
Louisiana	2%	2%	0%
Maine	11%	13%	2%
Maryland	11%	13%	2%
Massachusetts	16%	18%	2%
Michigan	3%	4%	1%
Minnesota	12%	14%	2%
Mississippi	1%	2%	1%

State (continued)	%Children Having Received At Least One Dose		
	8/24/2022	9/14/2022	Increase by Percentage Point
Missouri	5%	6%	1%
Montana	4%	5%	1%
Nebraska	5%	6%	1%
Nevada	2%	3%	1%
New Hampshire	8%	9%	1%
New Jersey	7%	7%	0%
New Mexico	8%	9%	1%
New York	7%	8%	1%
North Carolina	6%	7%	1%
North Dakota	4%	6%	2%
Ohio	6%	7%	1%
Oklahoma	3%	3%	0%
Oregon	7%	9%	2%
Pennsylvania	9%	10%	1%
Rhode Island	8%	10%	2%
South Carolina	4%	5%	1%
South Dakota	4%	5%	1%
Tennessee	3%	4%	1%
Texas	5%	6%	1%
Utah	6%	7%	1%
Vermont	21%	24%	3%
Virginia	10%	12%	2%
Washington	12%	13%	1%
West Virginia	3%	3%	0%
Wisconsin	8%	9%	1%
Wyoming	2%	3%	1%

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Ages 5-11

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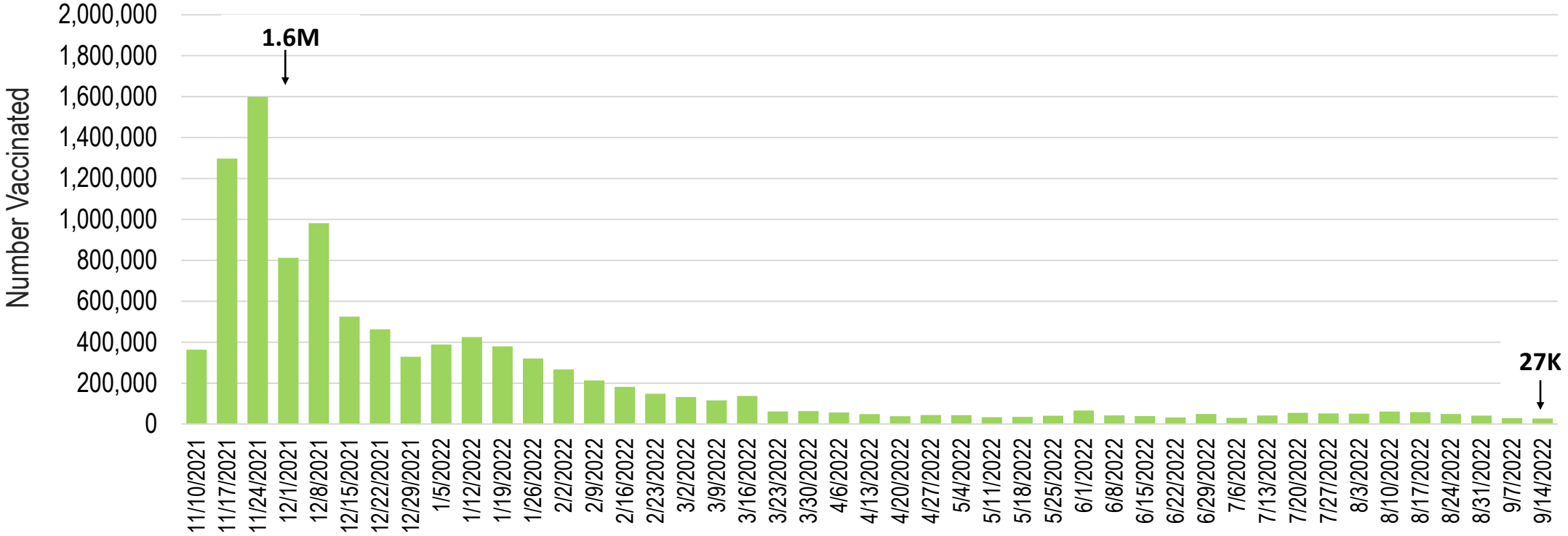
Weekly Increase in the Number of US Children Ages 5-11 Receiving Their Initial COVID-19 Vaccination

11.10.2021 to 9.14.2022



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Weekly Increase in Initial and Completed COVID-19 Vaccination for US Children Ages 5-11

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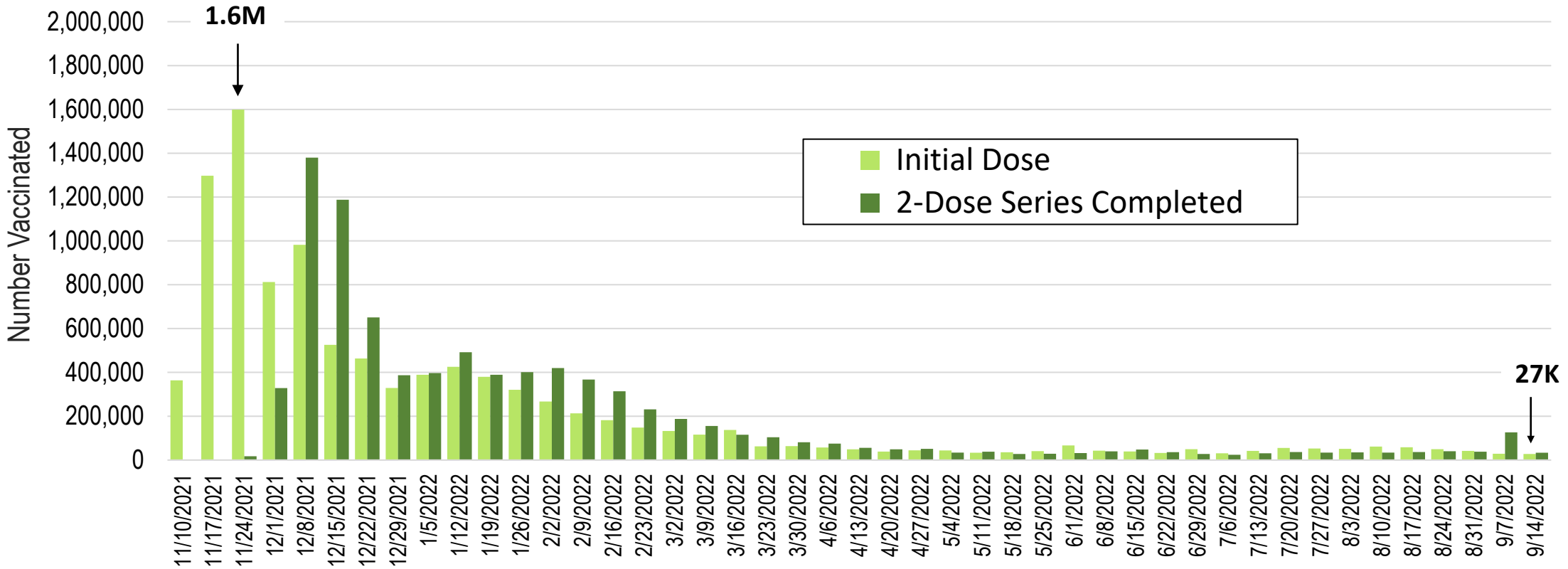

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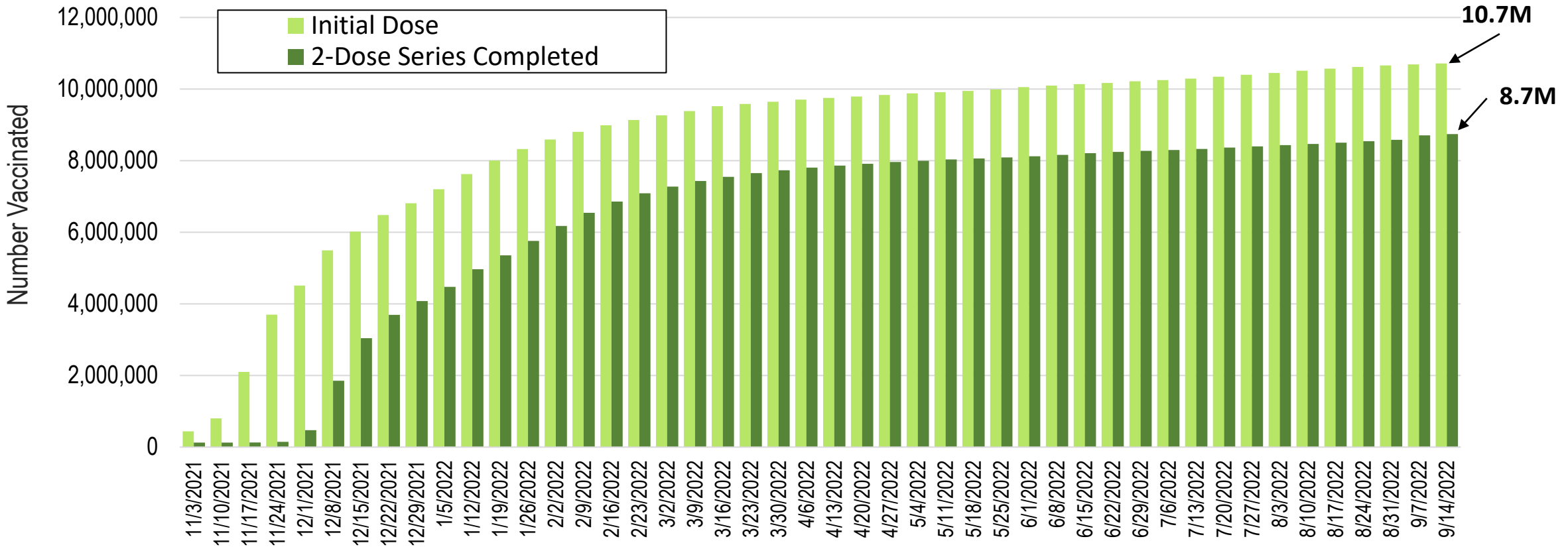
Cumulative Number of US COVID-19 Vaccine Recipients Ages 5-11

11.3.2021 to 9.14.2022



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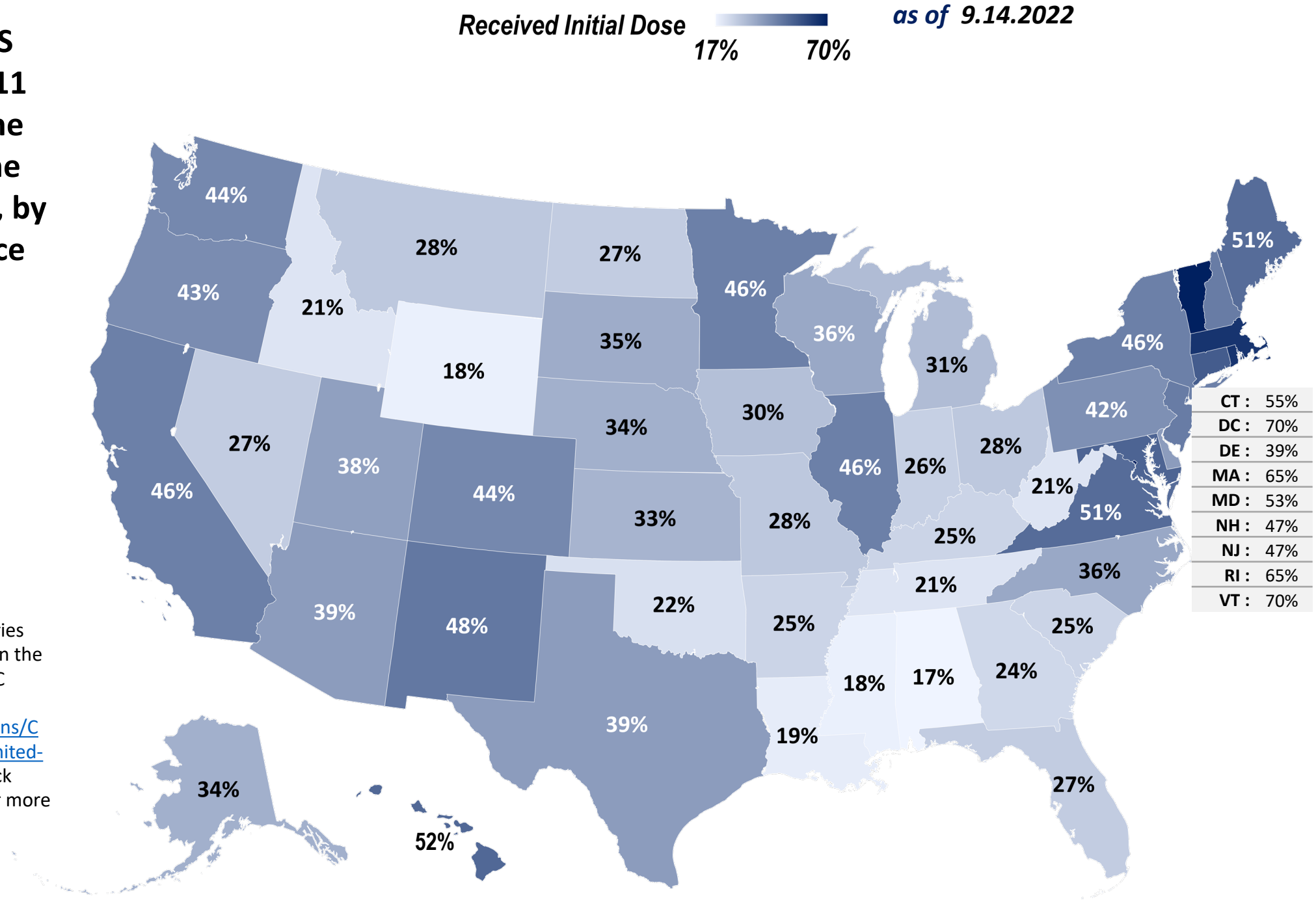
Proportion of US Children Ages 5-11 Who Received the Initial Dose of the COVID-19 Vaccine, by State of Residence



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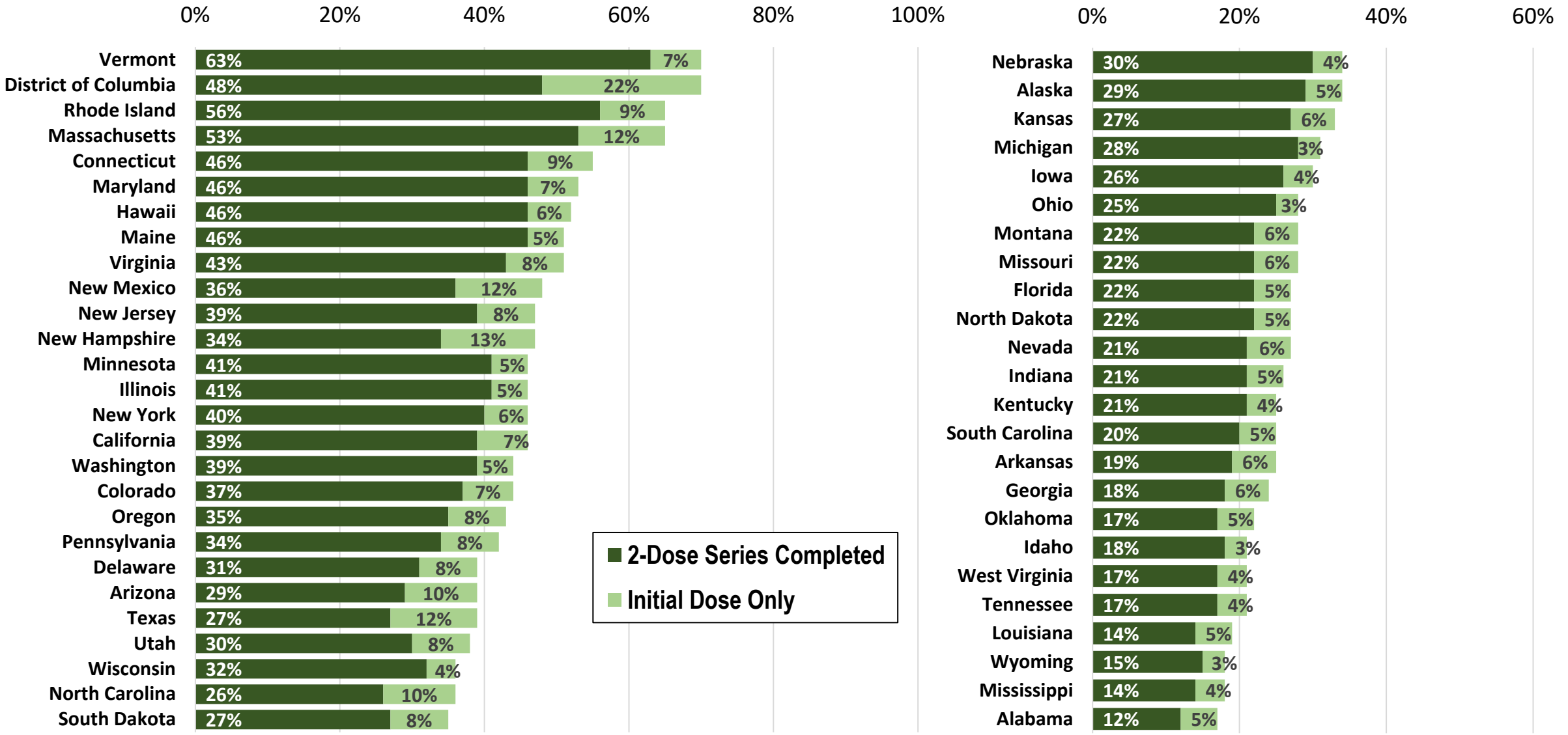
Proportion of US Children Ages 5-11 Vaccinated Against COVID-19 by State of Residence

as of 9.14.2022



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Initial Dose Among US Children Ages 5-11 ---3 Week Improvement

State	%Children Having Received At Least One Dose		
	8/24/2022	9/14/2022	Increase by Percentage Point
50 States + DC	**37.4%**	**37.8%**	**0.4%**
Alabama	17%	17%	0%
Alaska	34%	34%	0%
Arizona	39%	39%	0%
Arkansas	25%	25%	0%
California	46%	46%	0%
Colorado	44%	44%	0%
Connecticut	55%	55%	0%
Delaware	39%	39%	0%
District of Columbia	68%	70%	2%
Florida	27%	27%	0%
Georgia	24%	24%	0%
Hawaii	52%	52%	0%
Idaho	21%	21%	0%
Illinois	46%	46%	0%
Indiana	26%	26%	0%
Iowa	30%	30%	0%
Kansas	33%	33%	0%
Kentucky	25%	25%	0%
Louisiana	19%	19%	0%
Maine	51%	51%	0%
Maryland	52%	53%	1%
Massachusetts	65%	65%	0%
Michigan	31%	31%	0%
Minnesota	46%	46%	0%
Mississippi	17%	18%	1%

State (continued)	%Children Having Received At Least One Dose		
	8/24/2022	9/14/2022	Increase by Percentage Point
Missouri	27%	28%	1%
Montana	27%	28%	1%
Nebraska	34%	34%	0%
Nevada	26%	27%	1%
New Hampshire	45%	47%	2%
New Jersey	46%	47%	1%
New Mexico	48%	48%	0%
New York	46%	46%	0%
North Carolina	35%	36%	1%
North Dakota	26%	27%	1%
Ohio	28%	28%	0%
Oklahoma	22%	22%	0%
Oregon	42%	43%	1%
Pennsylvania	41%	42%	1%
Rhode Island	65%	65%	0%
South Carolina	25%	25%	0%
South Dakota	34%	35%	1%
Tennessee	20%	21%	1%
Texas	39%	39%	0%
Utah	37%	38%	1%
Vermont	69%	70%	1%
Virginia	50%	51%	1%
Washington	44%	44%	0%
West Virginia	21%	21%	0%
Wisconsin	36%	36%	0%
Wyoming	18%	18%	0%

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Ages 12-17

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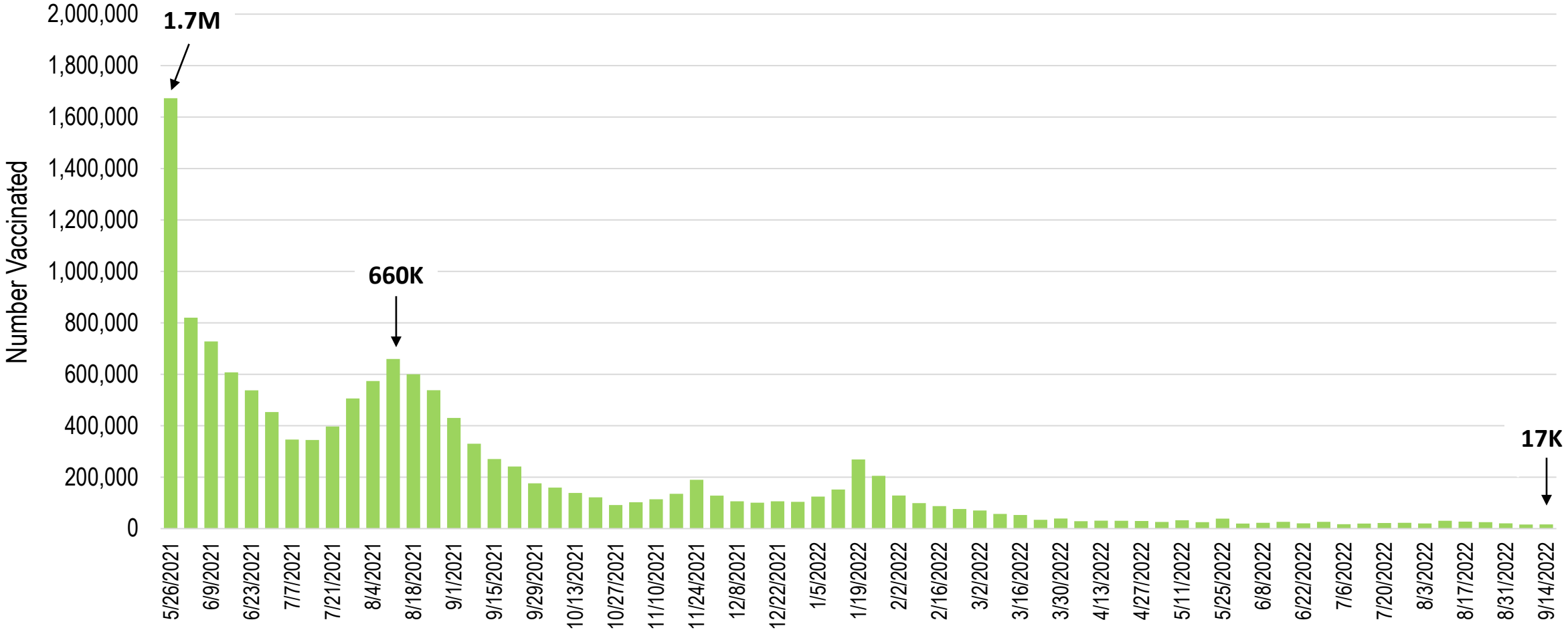
Weekly Increase in the Number of US Children Ages 12-17 Receiving Their Initial COVID-19 Vaccination

5.26.2021 to 9.14.2022



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Weekly Increase in Initial and Completed COVID-19 Vaccination for US Children Ages 12-17

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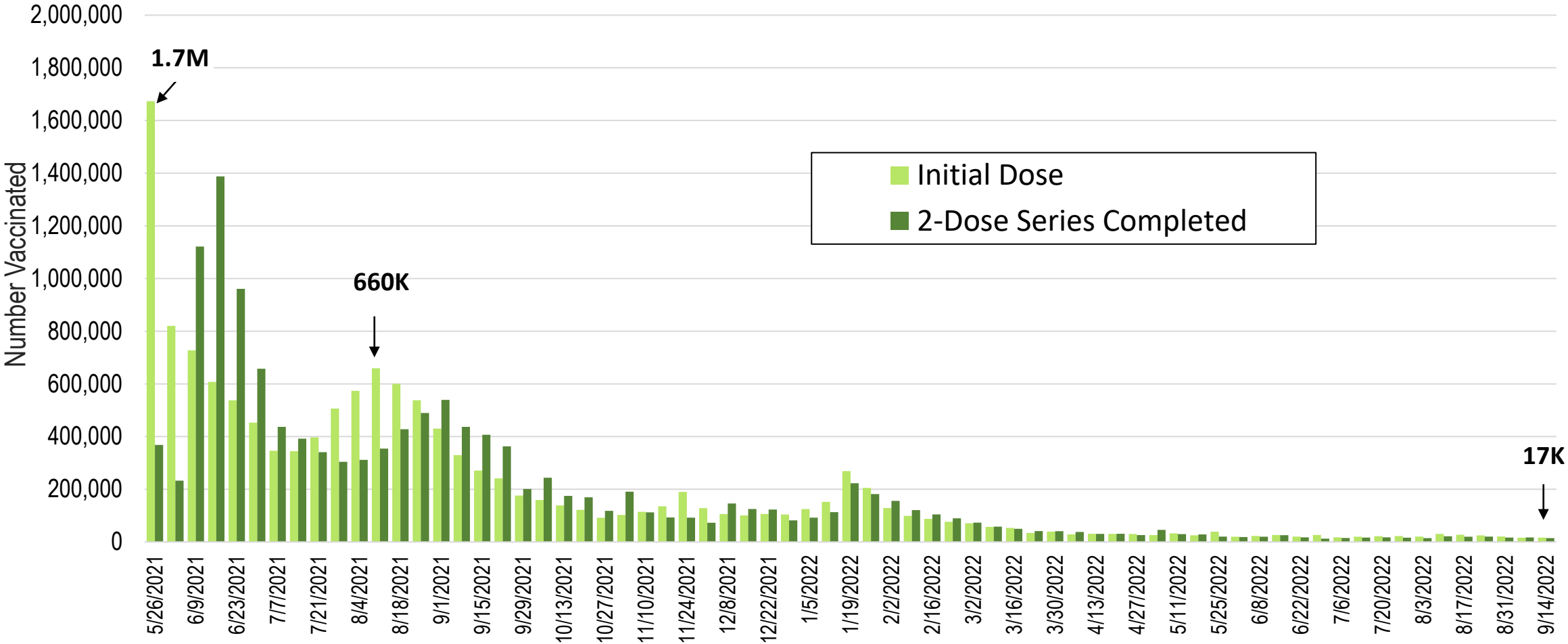

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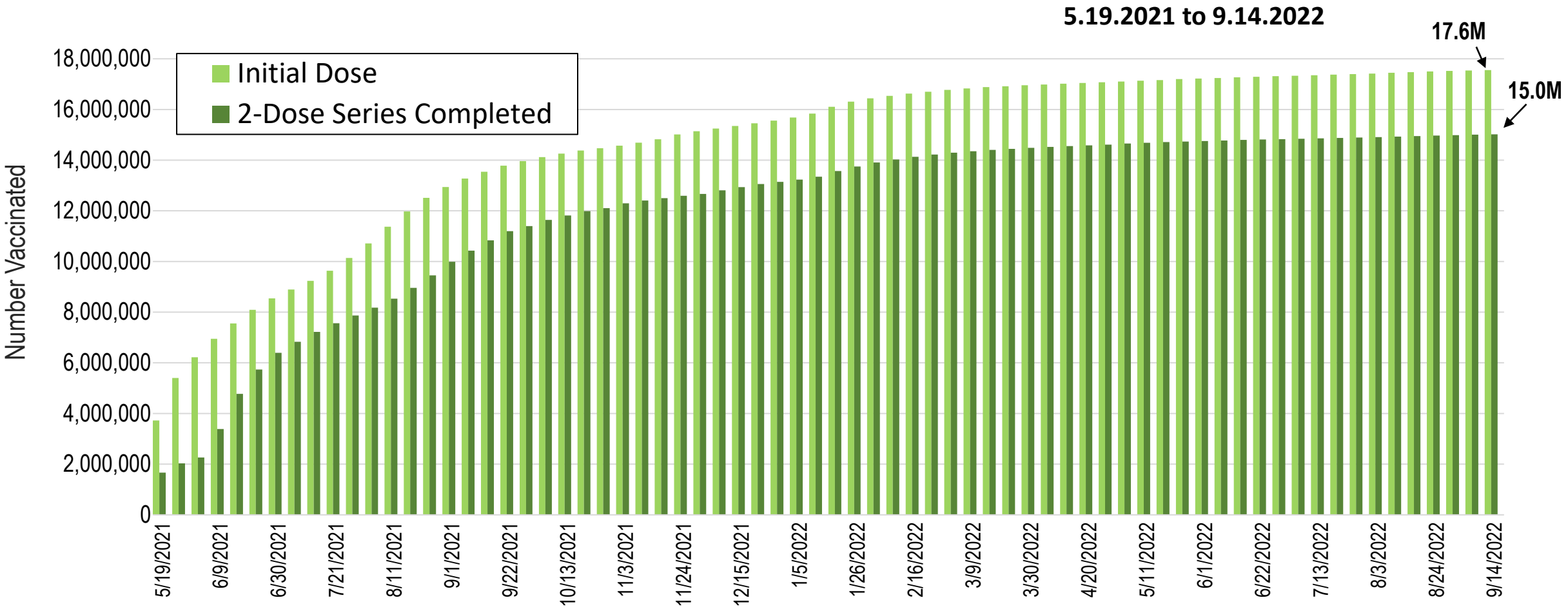
Cumulative Number of US COVID-19 Vaccine Recipients Ages 12-17



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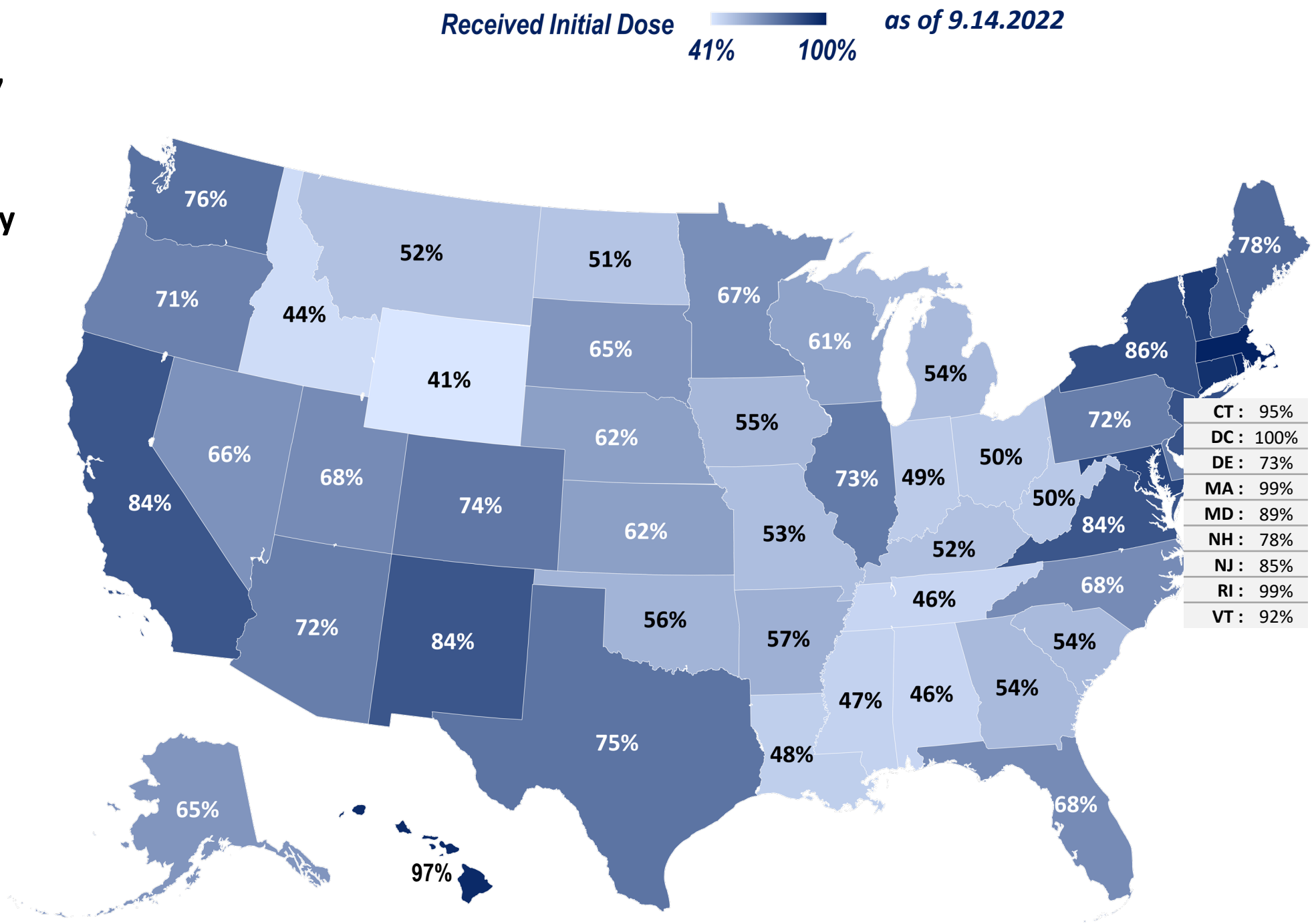
Proportion of US Children Ages 12-17 Who Received the Initial Dose of the COVID-19 Vaccine, by State of Residence



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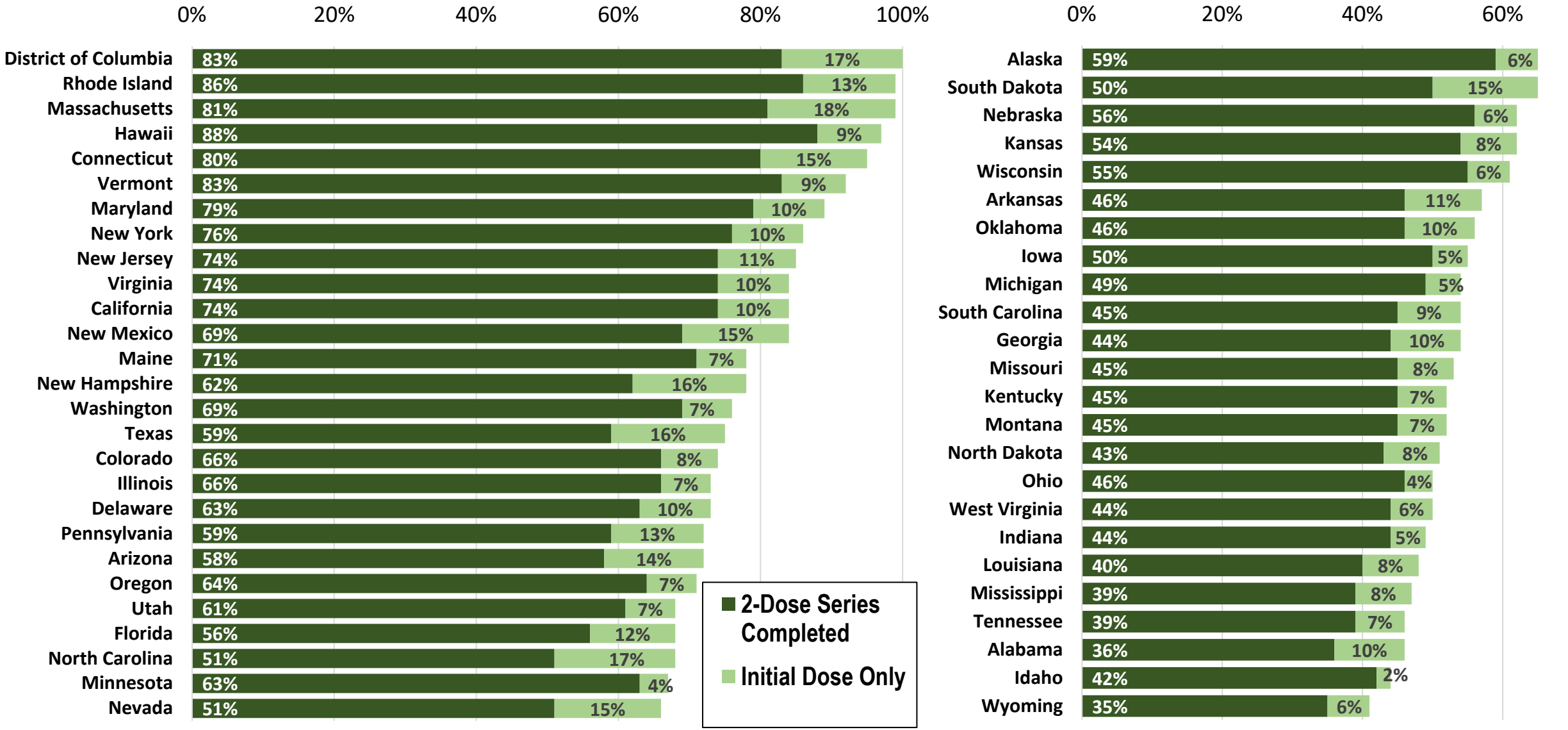
Proportion of US Children Ages 12-17 Vaccinated Against COVID-19 by State of Residence

as of 9.14.2022



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Initial Dose Among US Children Ages 12-17 ---3 Week Improvement

State	%Children Having Received At Least One Dose		
	8/24/2022	9/14/2022	Increase by Percentage Point
50 States + DC	**69.6%**	**69.8%**	**0.2%**
Alabama	45%	46%	1%
Alaska	65%	65%	0%
Arizona	71%	72%	1%
Arkansas	57%	57%	0%
California	83%	84%	1%
Colorado	74%	74%	0%
Connecticut	94%	95%	1%
Delaware	73%	73%	0%
District of Columbia	100%	100%	--
Florida	67%	68%	1%
Georgia	54%	54%	0%
Hawaii	97%	97%	0%
Idaho	44%	44%	0%
Illinois	73%	73%	0%
Indiana	49%	49%	0%
Iowa	55%	55%	0%
Kansas	62%	62%	0%
Kentucky	52%	52%	0%
Louisiana	48%	48%	0%
Maine	78%	78%	0%
Maryland	89%	89%	0%
Massachusetts	98%	99%	1%
Michigan	54%	54%	0%
Minnesota	67%	67%	0%
Mississippi	47%	47%	0%

State (continued)	%Children Having Received At Least One Dose		
	8/24/2022	9/14/2022	Increase by Percentage Point
Missouri	53%	53%	0%
Montana	52%	52%	0%
Nebraska	62%	62%	0%
Nevada	66%	66%	0%
New Hampshire	77%	78%	1%
New Jersey	85%	85%	0%
New Mexico	84%	84%	0%
New York	86%	86%	0%
North Carolina	68%	68%	0%
North Dakota	50%	51%	1%
Ohio	50%	50%	0%
Oklahoma	56%	56%	0%
Oregon	71%	71%	0%
Pennsylvania	72%	72%	0%
Rhode Island	98%	99%	1%
South Carolina	53%	54%	1%
South Dakota	64%	65%	1%
Tennessee	46%	46%	0%
Texas	74%	75%	1%
Utah	68%	68%	0%
Vermont	92%	92%	0%
Virginia	84%	84%	0%
Washington	75%	76%	1%
West Virginia	50%	50%	0%
Wisconsin	61%	61%	0%
Wyoming	40%	41%	1%

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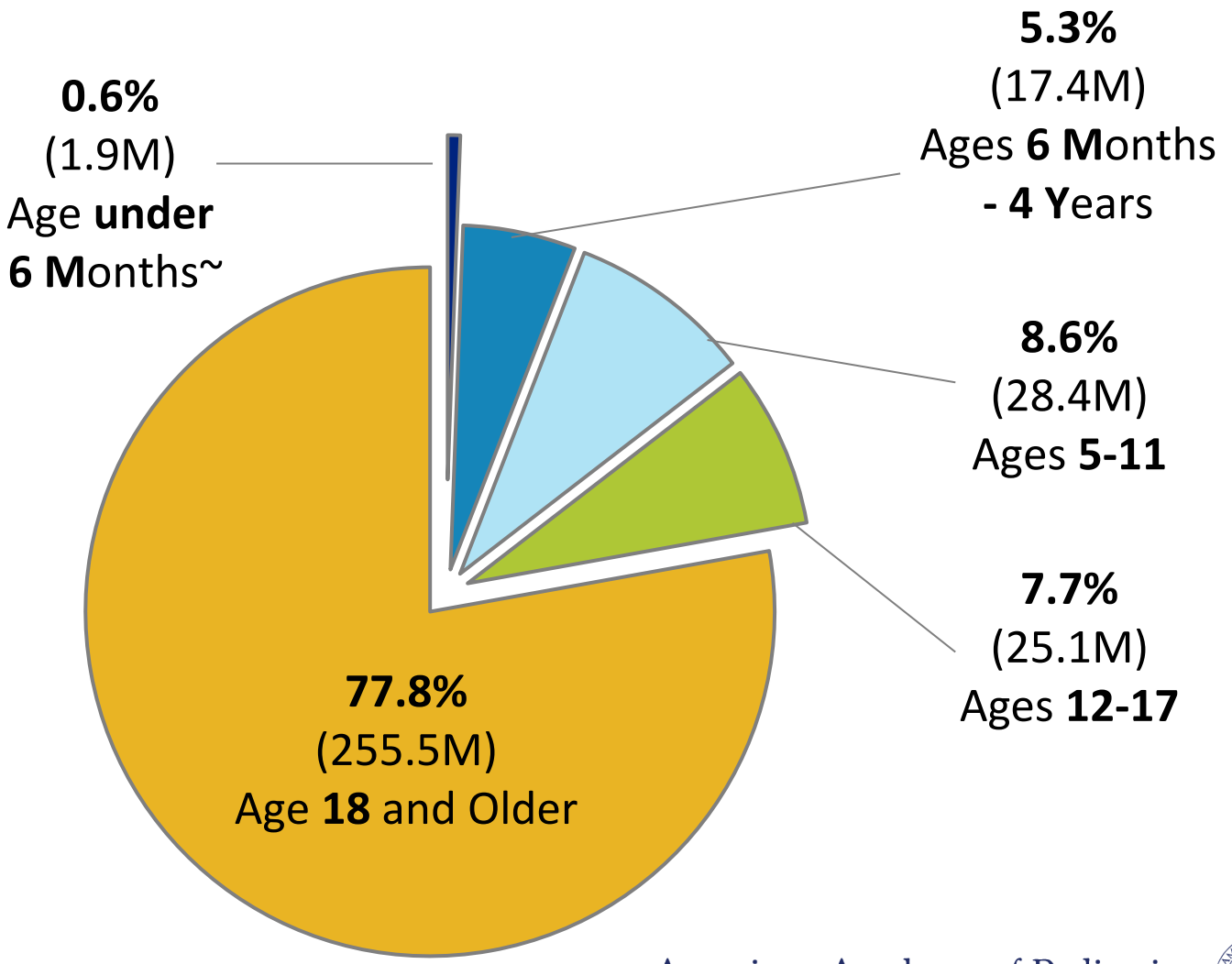
US Population by Age Group, 2020

In 2020, children (72.8M under Age 18) made up **22.2%** of the total US population



~ Age under 6 months are estimated as half of infant population. **Source**: AAP analysis of report published by US Bureau of Census on June 17, 2021: State Population by Characteristics: 2010-2020. Single Year of Age and Sex for the Civilian Population. [Link: State Population by Characteristics: 2010-2020 (census.gov)]

Data Sources and Methods

This report includes US COVID-19 vaccine child recipients in the 50 states and the District of Columbia based on provisional data released by the CDC in a data series titled “COVID-19 Vaccinations in the United States, Jurisdiction.” (URL: https://data.cdc.gov/Vaccinations/COVID-19-Vaccinations-in-the-United-States-Jurisdi/unsk-b7fc).

Cumulative trends and weekly changes are updated weekly as the CDC revises and updates its data series. Previously-reported cumulative vaccine recipient counts higher than revised counts are replaced by the latter in this report. Sporadic vaccinations prior to CDC recommendations for all pediatric age groups are included in the cumulative counts although not shown by week in the charts. Recipients under age 5 are calculated by subtracting (a) recipients 5 or older, and (b) recipients without age data (from separate file provided by the CDC), from total recipient counts.

Individual states may have additional or more recent information on their web sites. State population totals are based on 2020 population projections published by the US Census Bureau (URL: https://www.census.gov/programs-surveys/popest/technical-documentation/research/evaluation-estimates/2020-evaluation-estimates/2010s-state-detail.html).

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