## Puerto Rico Health Centers' Response to COVID-19

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Results as of May 22, 2020

The Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) is surveying health centers weekly to track their COVID-19 response and their patient and staff impacts. 86% (19) of Puerto Rico health centers responded during this week. Their results present a snapshot of an unprecedented and evolving situation.

Health Centers are Rapidly Adapting to Meet Testing Needs in Their Communities



82.35%

have walk-up or drive-up testing capacity

89.47%

have the ability to test



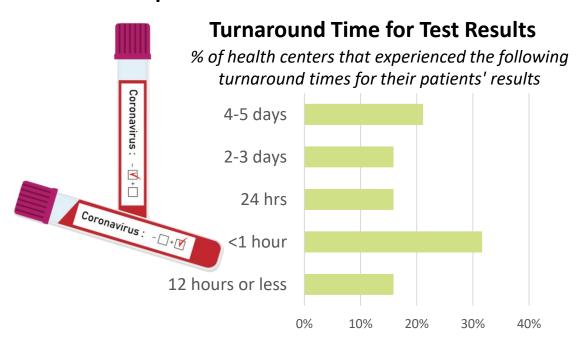


## In the past week:

99.94% of patients tested were racial and/or ethnic minorities

99.86%

of patients tested positive were racial and/or ethnic minorities

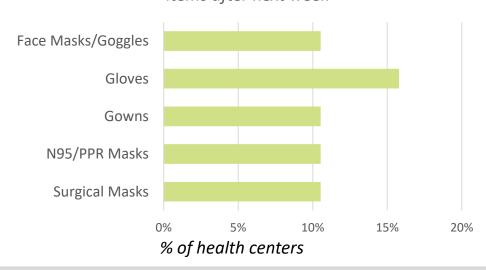


## **63.68%** of visits last week occurred virtually



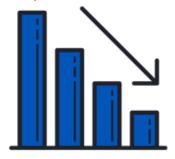
## Health Centers' Access to Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Improving, But Needs Remain

% of health centers that may run out of personal protective equipment (PPE) items after next week



COVID-19 Results in Extreme Challenges to Health Center Operations, Staffing, and Budgets. This Wee

Health center weekly visits are down to **69.74** %<sup>2</sup> compared to pre-covid-19



**9.74%** of health center st are unable to report to work due to COVID-19<sup>3</sup>

1 health center sites temporarily closed due to COVID-19



Source and Notes: Data presented in this fact sheet come from the Bureau of Primary Health Care, Health Resources and Services Administration, Health Center COVID-19 Survey collected on **May 22, 2020. 19** of federally-funded health centers responded. Survey data are preliminary and do not reflect all health centers. Some duplication of patients tested from week to week may occur. For more information, please visit https://bphc.hrsa.gov/emergency-response/coronavirus-healthcenter-data.

<sup>1.</sup>Total reported refers to the number of respondents since the survey period starting on April 3, 2020.

<sup>2.</sup> Visits refers to all visits regardless of service type (e.g. medical, dental, behavioral health, etc.), including virtual visits; visits are at 69.74% of average of weekly visits pre-COVID-19.

<sup>3.</sup> Due to staff exposure, school closure, site/service closure, and other reasons.