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

#### Results as of May 29, 2020

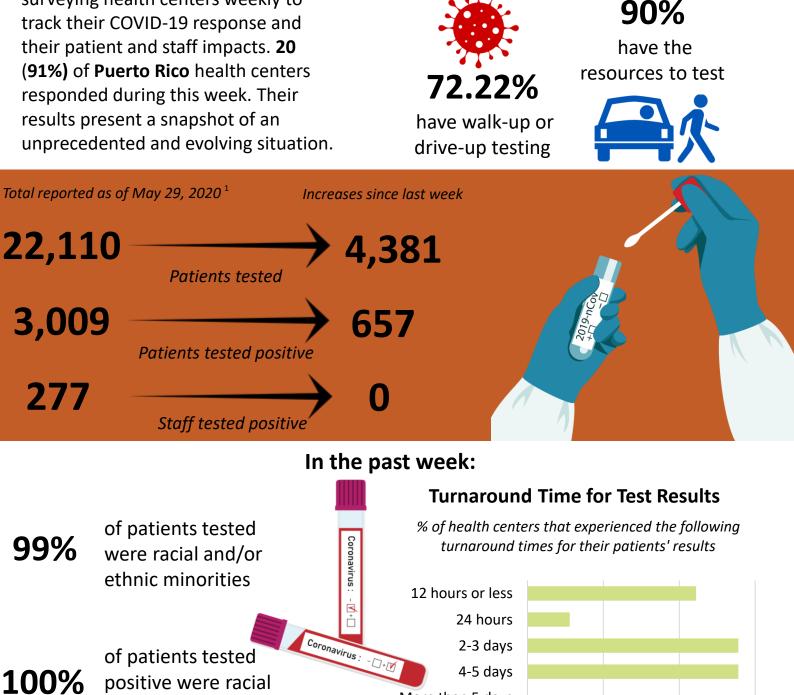
The Health Resources and Services Administration (HRSA) is surveying health centers weekly to

positive were racial

and/or ethnic

minorities

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





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More than 5 days

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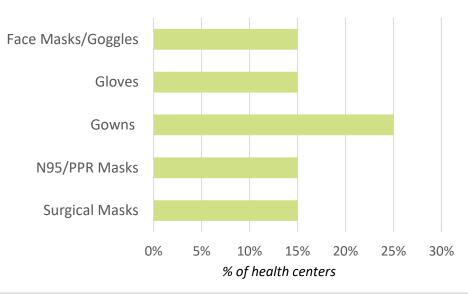
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# **57%** of visits last week occurred virtually



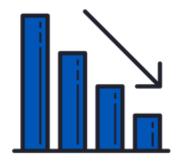
#### Health Centers' Access to Personal Protective Equipment (PPE) Improving, But Needs Remain

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



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Health center weekly visits are down by about **57 %**<sup>2</sup>



**6%** of health center staff are unable to report to work due to COVID-19<sup>3</sup>

### **0** 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 29, 2020. 20** 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. 1.Total reported refers to the number of respondents since the survey period starting on April 3, 2020.

2. Visits refers to all visits regardless of service type (e.g. medical, dental, behavioral health, etc.), including virtual visits; visits are at **59.25%** of average of weekly visits pre-COVID-19.

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

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