The COVKID Project Minimum Recommended Daily Table^a for State Reporting of COVID-19 in Children and Teens

Date	Ages 0-4 Years	Ages 5-9 Years	Ages 10-14 Years	Ages 15-19 Years
All Children				
Cumulative Number of Kids Tested ^b				
Cumulative Number of Kids w/Positive Test [Cases] ^c				
Cumulative Number Ever Hospitalized ^d				
Cumulative Number Deceased ^e				
Black Non-Hispanic Children				
Cumulative Number of Kids Tested ^b				
Cumulative Number of Kids w/Positive Test [Cases] ^c				
Cumulative Number Ever Hospitalized ^d				
Cumulative Number Deceased ^e				
Hispanic Children				
Cumulative Number of Kids Tested ^b				
Cumulative Number of Kids w/Positive Test [Cases] ^c				
Cumulative Number Ever Hospitalized ^d				
Cumulative Number Deceased ^e				
White Non-Hispanic Children				
Cumulative Number of Kids Tested ^b				
Cumulative Number of Kids w/Positive Test [Cases] ^c				
Cumulative Number Ever Hospitalized ^d				
Cumulative Number Deceased ^e				
Additional Race and Ethnicity Groups ^e				

- a For all requested measures, states should report actual counts, NOT percent of total.
- b This total should include only PCR tests for viral material OR blood antigen tests (sensitivity >95%) if they become available. This total should NEVER include blood antibody tests. Multiple tests for the same child should NOT be included.
- c Multiple positive tests for the same child should NOT be included.
- d This total should include inpatient admissions only. Multiple hospitalizations for the same child should NOT be included.
- e Categorization of COVID-19 deaths for children should follow the <u>NCHS guidance on COVID-19</u> <u>cause of death determination</u>. Death counts should NOT be suppressed because of small numbers.
- e For consistency, all states should report data using <u>standard NIH definitions for racial and ethnic</u> <u>groups</u>, with the additional categories of *Multiracial* and *Other*. At minimum, all states should report data for the three largest racial/ethnic groups of children in the US (Black non-Hispanic, Hispanic, and White non-Hispanic), and report expanded data for cases representing other racial/ethnic groups where applicable.