

A word cloud featuring the word "welcome" in various languages and scripts. The central word is "welcome" in large, bold, orange letters. Surrounding it are other words in different colors (grey, orange, black) and orientations (horizontal, vertical, diagonal). The words include:

- swagata
- vítáme tě
- καλώς ορίσατε
- benvenuto
- tervetuloa
- fogadtatás
- shalom
- welkom
- bienvenido
- 歓迎
- aloha
- bienvenue
- välkommen
- salaam
- willkommen
- dobrodošli
- namaste
- bem-vindos
- mabouhay
- 환영합니다
- ahlan'wa sahla
- powitanie
- ようこそ

Agenda



- Welcome, Bereket Kiros, *Steering Committee* 10:35 – 10:40
- Public health updates, Matías Valenzuela, *Public Health – Seattle & King County* 10:40 – 11:10
- Public comments for National Academies Committee on the Review of Federal Policies that Contribute to Racial and Ethnic Health Inequities, Kirsten Wyses 11:10 – 11:35
- Fall schedule, Kirsten and Thy Nguyen 11:35 – 11:45
- Closing, Bereket 11:45 – 11:50

Land and enslaved people acknowledgment

- Let us acknowledge that the history of the United States is fractured. We are currently on the traditional land of the Coast Salish people. We honor their past and continued stewardship of this land.
- We acknowledge that the United States was built off the stolen labor of kidnapped African people. Much of what we know of this country today including its culture, economic growth, and development through history and across time has been made possible by the labor of enslaved Africans and their descendants.
- We are indebted to their labor and sacrifices, both past and continuing through today. We are committing together to dismantle racism in our work and where we live.

Public Health updates

September 1, 2022

Racism is a Public Health
Crisis

Equity and Social Justice
Strategic Plan update

COVID-19

Monkeypox

Shiga toxin-producing E.
coli

Racism is a Public Health Crisis

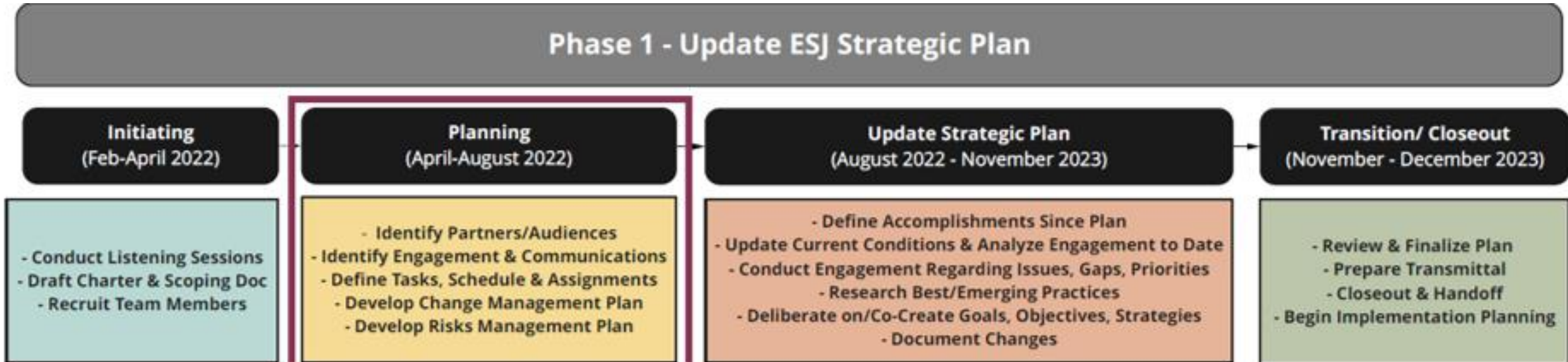
3-day convening – September 6-8

Convene jurisdictions that have declared racism a public health crisis:

- Share policy solutions;
- Identify evidence-based strategies that support communities' vision for racial equity;
- Identify potential participants and technical support needed for an ongoing community of practice.



Equity and Social Justice Strategic Plan Update— Project Overview



The update will:

- Analyze and update current conditions information and data (including new Determinants of Equity report)
- Perform robust internal and external engagement
- Employ co-creative and deliberative processes to establish and document up-to-date vision, goals, priorities, strategies, and targets and measures



About the Data

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Community Level Indicators

Additional Indicators

This dashboard shows the current COVID-19 community level for King County. The three metrics which determine the level (low, medium, or high) are: total new COVID-19 cases per 100,000 in the past seven days, new COVID-19 admissions per 100,000 population in the past seven days, and the percent of staffed inpatient beds occupied by COVID-19 patients. This COVID-19 community level dashboard reflects the CDC's recommended categories (as of February 25, 2022) for COVID-19 prevalence. This page replaces the 'Key Indicators' data dashboard. **These data are updated on Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays.** For more information, please consult <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/science/community-levels.html>

Healthcare Facilities: [click here](#)

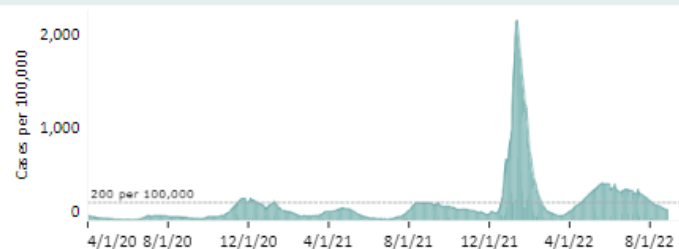
The COVID-19 Community Level
in King County is

Low

[Click here for criteria details](#)

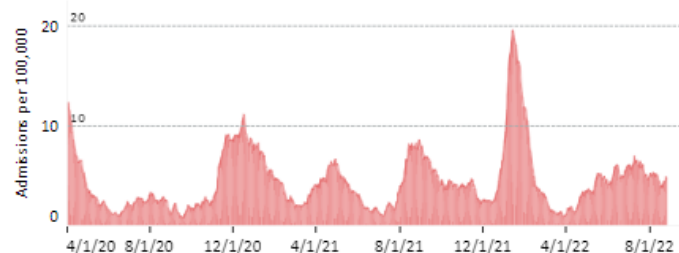
Number of new COVID-19 cases

117.1
new COVID-19 cases
per 100,000 residents
in the past 7 days



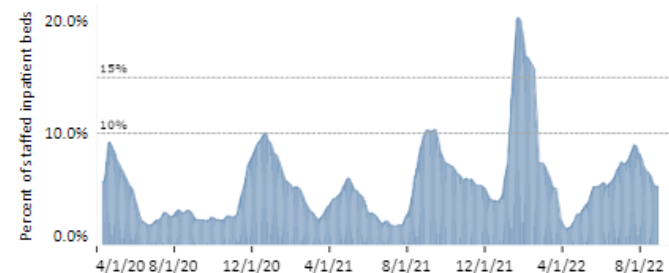
Number of new COVID-19 hospital admissions

4.8
new COVID-19 hospital admissions
per 100,000 residents
in the past 7 days



Percent of hospital inpatient beds occupied by COVID-19 patients

5.3%
of staffed inpatient beds
occupied by COVID-19 patients
(7-day average)



COVID-19 Bivalent Booster Vaccine

- This week FDA authorized Pfizer and Moderna COVID-19 (Original/BA.4/BA.5) bivalent boosters
- Pfizer – age 12+, Moderna – age 18+
- At least 2 months after completion of primary vaccination, or most recent booster.
- Removed use of Pfizer and Moderna monovalent COVID-19 vaccines as boosters (but maintains use as primary series vaccines)
- CDC' Advisory Committee (ACIP) meeting 9/1 and 9/2.



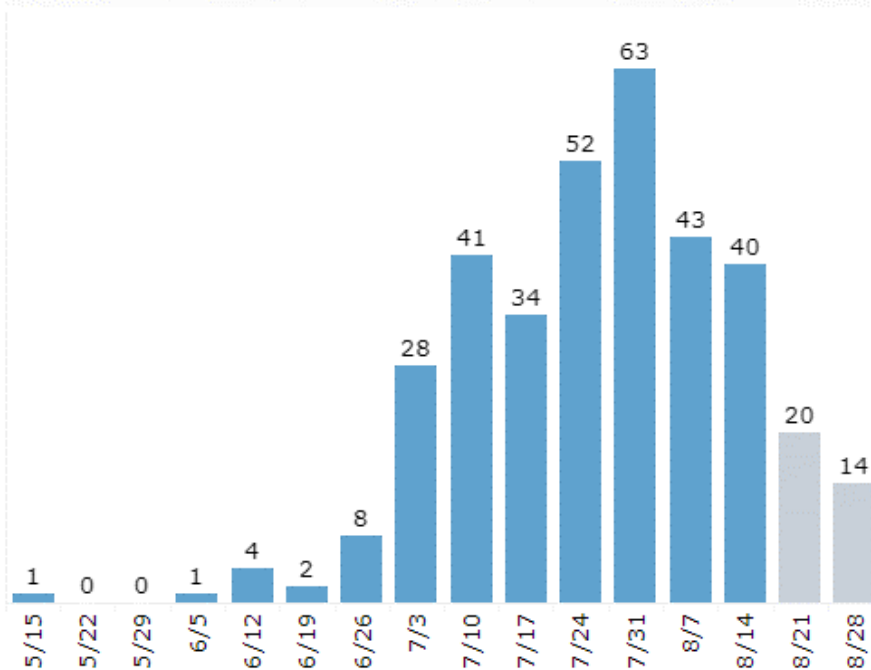
Monkeypox cases in King County

Overall counts

Number of cases **351**

Number of hospitalizations **12**

Number of cases by week of symptom onset

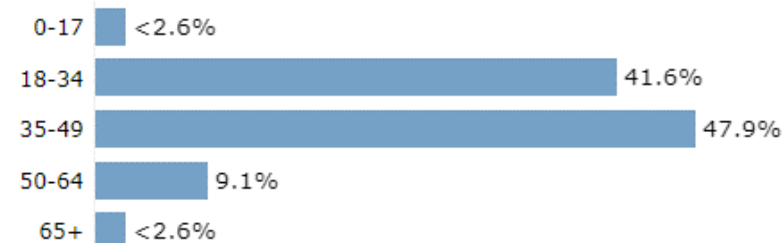


Most recent weeks are likely underestimated due to reporting and testing delays.

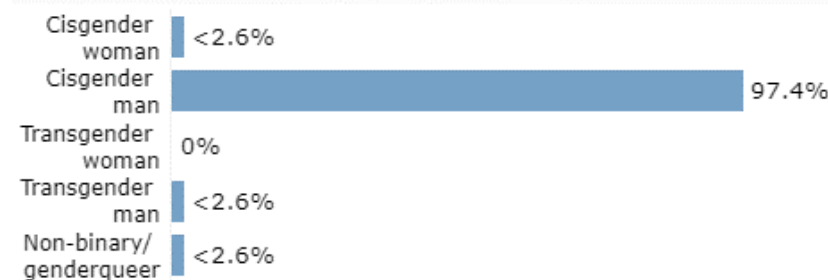
Updated: 8/30/2022

kingcounty.gov/monkeypox

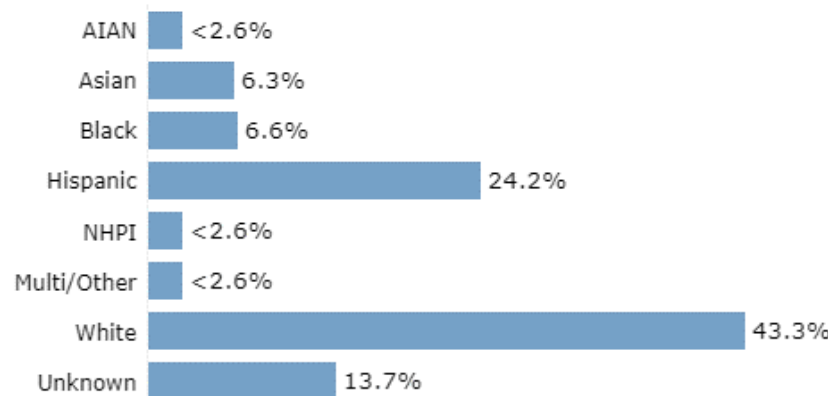
Age, in years (% of cases)



Gender (% of cases)



Race/Ethnicity (% of cases)



AIAN = American Indian / Alaska Native
Black = Black / African American
Hispanic = Hispanic/Latino/Latina/Latinx, of any race
NHPI = Native Hawaiian / Pacific Islander
Multi/Other = Multi-racial/ethnic or Other Race
White = White, not Hispanic
Unknown = Data missing

Shiga toxin-producing *E. coli* O157:H7 infections among children, adolescents, and adults of East African communities in King County — Unknown source

This page is also available in the following languages:

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Afaan Oromoo – Oromo


Af Soomaali – Somali

Kiswahili – Swahili

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AT-A-GLANCE

- **Confirmed cases:** 7
- **Probable cases:** 1
- **Age range:** 11 months to 35 years old (5 cases occurring in those under 15 years of age)
- **Range of date reported:** December 31, 2021 – August 18, 2022
- **Hospitalizations:** 6

 Report possible foodborne illness

About STEC

E. coli germs (bacteria) normally live in the intestines of humans and animals. Many strains of *E. coli* bacteria exist, and most of them are harmless or beneficial to human health. STEC are strains of *E. coli* that produce Shiga toxin (such as *E. coli* O157:H7) and can cause serious illness in people.

Infection with STEC can occur through consumption of undercooked ground beef and other beef products; unpasteurized (raw) milk, cheese, and juice; contaminated raw fruits, vegetables, sprouts and herbs; water contaminated with animal feces, or by direct contact with farm animals or their environment. Ready-to-eat foods can also be contaminated with STEC through contact with raw beef or raw beef juices in the kitchen.

STEC and other foodborne infections occur throughout the year but may increase during late spring and summer months.

Symptoms of STEC include diarrhea (which often becomes bloody) and stomach cramps, with mild or no fever. Illness typically lasts several days and people can

Review of Federal Policies that Contribute to Racial and Ethnic Health Inequities

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A new National Academies committee will be appointed to conduct an analysis of federal policies (e.g., social, economic, environmental) that contribute to preventable and unfair differences in health status and outcomes experienced by all U.S. racial and ethnic minority populations. The committee will write a report with conclusions and recommendations that identify the most effective or promising approaches to policy change with the goal of furthering racial and ethnic health equity.

Provide feedback on this project

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Offer Your Input

The committee welcomes input on federal policies that contribute to racial and ethnic health inequities and potential solutions.

The committee is interested in hearing about lived experiences navigating federal programs and systems including barriers and solutions from community members and organizations.

Additional questions the committee would like input

Public comment opportunity

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- The committee is interested in hearing about lived experiences navigating federal programs and systems including barriers and solutions from community members and organizations.
- Additional questions the committee would like input on are:
 - What are examples of federal policies that create racial and ethnic health inequities?
 - What are examples of federal policies that promote racial and ethnic health equity?
 - What are the most important considerations when prioritizing action regarding federal policies to advance racial and ethnic health equity?

Optional survey, office hours

- Comply with signed treaties
- Reparations for slavery, Jim Crow era and current racist policies
- Immigration reform that protects the rights of undocumented people
- No private prisons
- No electronic monitoring
- No profits from incarceration
- Loan consumer protections, e.g. no interest rates over 36%, payments don't exceed 5% of income
- Protect women's health care rights and access
- Invest in community solutions
- Federal housing policies
- Guarantee voting rights

Friday, Sept 9, 11 am to noon

Wednesday, Sept 14, 2 pm to 3 pm

Fall schedule

Monthly PARCAG meetings the first Thursdays of the month, Sept 1, Oct 6, Nov 3, and Dec 1

Monthly training from Epiphanies of Equity, Sept 22 (10 am to noon), Oct 20 (1 pm to 3 pm), and Nov 17 (1 pm to 3 pm)

Retreat on Saturday, Sept 24, 9 am to 3 pm, Rainier Beach Community Center, 8825 Rainier Ave S, Seattle

September 2022

Sunday	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	Friday	Saturday
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October 2022

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November 2022

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December 2022

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Retreat agenda, 9/24

- **Opening Circle: Welcome & Grounding**
 - Introductions and Land Acknowledgement
 - Community Values/Norms Setting
- **"Groundwork"**
 - Identity Exercises
 - Power-Mapping
- **Lunch**
- **"Tilling the Soil"**
 - Gallery Stroll: Shared Definitions & Understandings of Our Collective Work
 - Caucus: Exploring History, Harm, Restorative Justice & Solidarity
 - Hoa Mai Reflection Exercise
- **Closing Circle: Cultural Offering by Huma and Mohamed**

Thank you

- Next meeting is Thursday, Sept 22, 10 am to noon. Online Disability Justice training with Christiana ObeySumner and Epiphanies of Equity, LLC
- PARCAG retreat on Saturday, Sept 24, 9 am to 3 pm, in-person and online, Rainier Beach Community Center, 8825 Rainier Ave. S, Seattle
- PARCAG meeting on Thursday, Oct 6, 10:30 to noon