

COVID-19 Update

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Staff in Response – About 250 Roles

Operations (~195)

~55 contact tracing & support
~50 Testing
~90 Vaccination

Liaisons
(~10)

Logistics
(~11)

Safety, Finance,
Other (~10)

Public Information
(~9)

Planning
(~7)

Our staff has grown dramatically.



We've issued 17 orders.

MARCH 13

Issue first order restricting gatherings to 250 people

MARCH 16

Issue order closing schools and limiting gatherings to 50 people

MAY 13 (Order 1)

Dane County Safer at Home order goes into effect

MAY 18 (Order 2)

Phase 1 order goes into effect which opens most businesses to 25%

MAY 26 (Order 3)

Phase 1 order goes into effect which opens most businesses to 25%

JUNE 5 (Order 4)

Issue order revising mass gathering criteria

JUNE 15 (Order 5)

Phase 2 order goes into effect which opens most businesses to 50%

JUNE 25 (Order 6)

Reduces gathering size; people in bars & rest. must be seated

JULY 2 (Order 7)

Reduces gathering size; closed indoor bar service

JULY 13 (Order 8)

Requires masks in some settings

AUGUST 21 (Order 9)

Required grades 3-12 to start the year virtually

NOV 17 (Order 10)

Eliminated indoor gatherings of all sizes

DEC 15 (Order 11)

Increases indoor and outdoor gathering limits

JAN 12 (Order 12)

Increases outdoor gatherings

FEB 8 (Order 13)

Increases gatherings, allows sports, enhances masking requirements

MAR 10 (Order 14)

Increases gatherings, increased restaurant and tavern capacity

Current Order

Order #15 went into effect yesterday and is in place until May 5 at 12:01am.

Increases gathering limits outdoors, eliminates face covering requirements outdoors (face coverings remain required in indoor public spaces), updates school and childcare policy requirements, allows self-service food stations, and allows saunas and steam rooms to reopen, with certain provisions.



Testing Update

As of April 6:

South Madison test site:

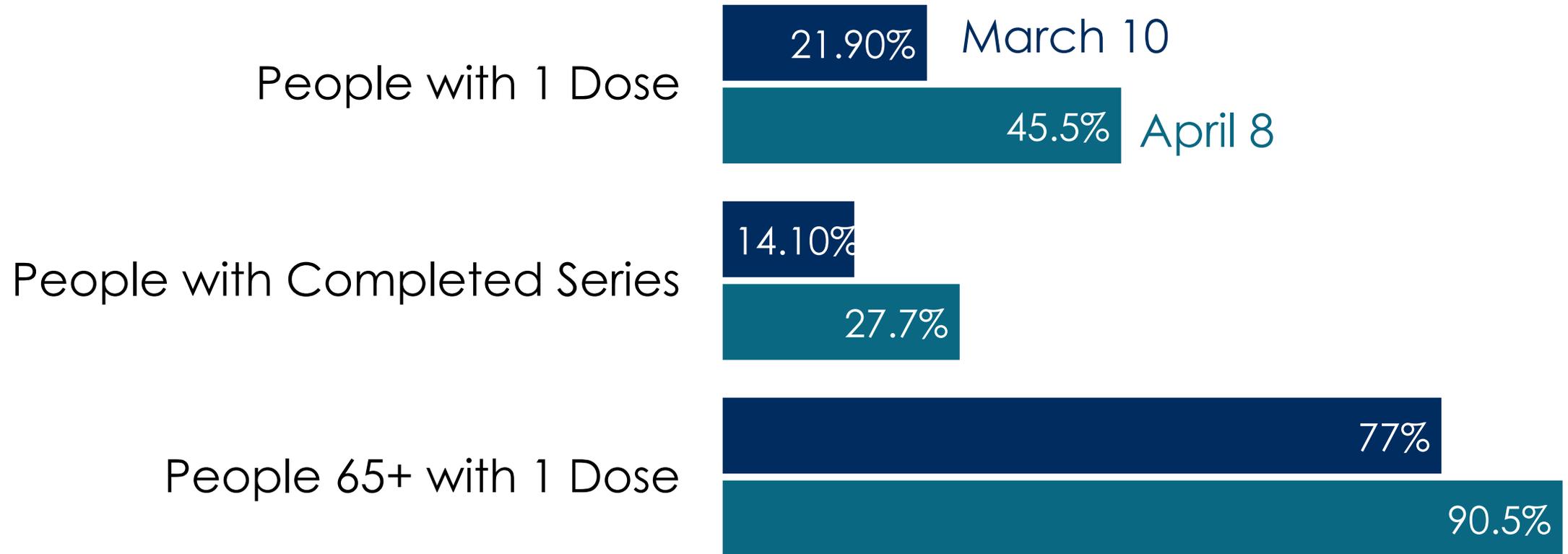
11,351 tested

Alliant test site:

406,771 tested



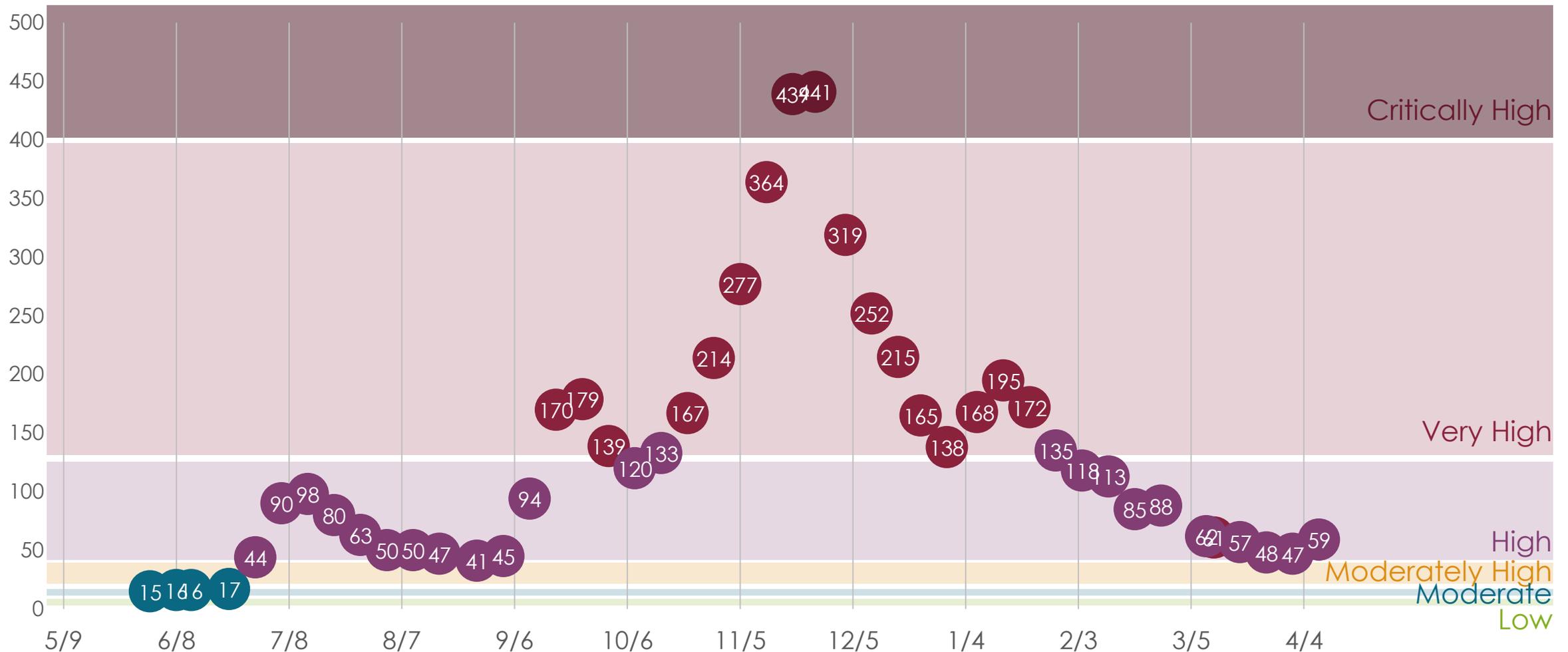
COVID-19 Vaccine



DATA

Our current 14-day average

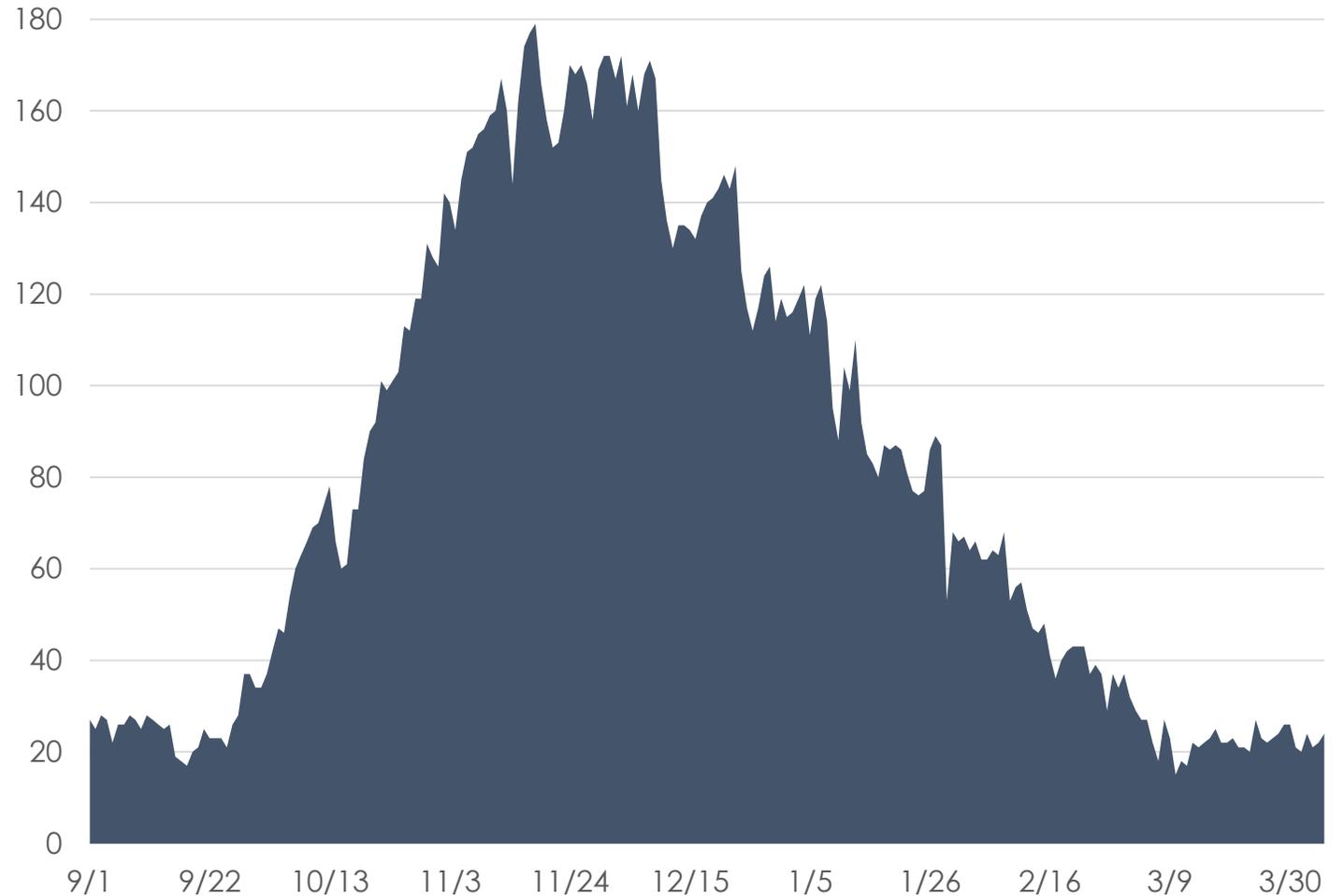
We're at levels comparable to early August 2020.



Hospitalizations

Hospitalizations remain stable, with about two dozen per day.

Yesterday there were 25.



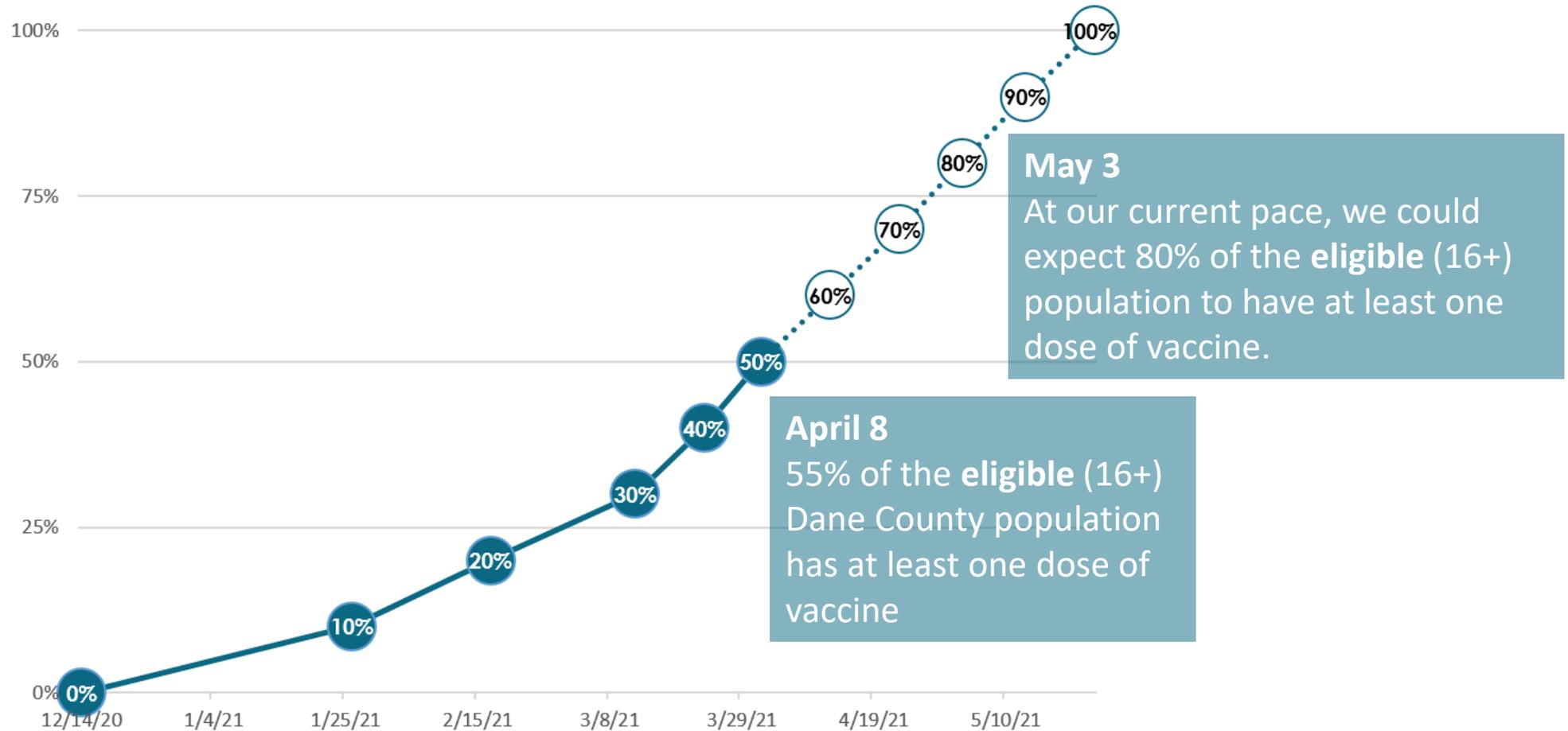
LOOKING

AHEAD

Vaccination Projection

Share of Dane County residents age 16+ with at least one dose of vaccine

- actual
- projected



Looking Ahead

Continue ramping up

Supply of vaccine continues to increase statewide.

This week 26 FEMA support staff joined our team, increasing our weekly capacity from 5,600 to 7,700 doses (assuming continued vaccine supply).

Mobile vaccine continues to increase throughout Dane county



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