

Renegade Roundup



Covid-19 advisory

June 30, 2020

Dear colleagues:

Based on the June 25th enrollment report prepared by the KCCD Institutional Research Office, BC shows summer 2020 enrollment FTES 8.9% over this time last year, indicating our recent reintroduction of normal outreach and recruitment activities in our virtual environment is correcting the deviation from normal enrollment patterns we witnessed in May.

We are expecting a similar uptick in our fall enrollments as the semester progresses.

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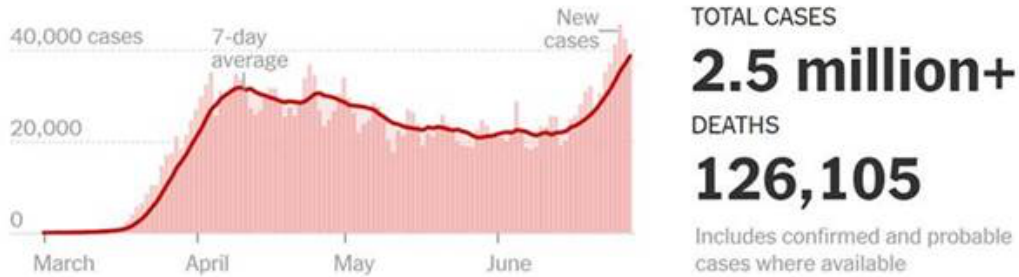
Bakersfield College	Point-in-Time Comparison							
	Summer - 6th Week				Fall - 10 Weeks After Open Reg			
	Summer 2019	Summer 2020	Diff	% Chg	Fall 2019	Fall 2020	Diff	% Chg
Current Headcount	12,390	13,663	1,273	10.3%	17,482	14,665	-2,817	-16.1%
Duplicated Enrollments	17,636	21,921	4,285	24.3%	52,100	44,510	-7,590	-14.6%
Waitlisted Enrollments	50	85	35	70.0%	6,177	2,300	-3,877	-62.8%
Current FTES	1,890.2	2,059.0	168.8	8.9%	6,390.4	4,486.2	-1,904.2	-29.8%
Workload (FTEF)	142.1	161.1	19.0	13.4%	474.8	721.1	246.3	51.9%
FTES/FTEF	13.3	12.8	-0.5	-3.9%	13.5	6.2	-7.2	-53.8%
Active Sections	753	774	21	2.8%	2,022	2,080	58	2.9%

COVID-19 Update

Cases continue to rise throughout the world, and the U.S. is seeing another spike in the first wave. Dr. Anthony Fauci, the United States' top infectious disease official attributes the second spike to individuals not following public health guidelines like maintaining physical distancing and wearing face coverings. On Monday, he noted these new cases are consequences of community spread and are more difficult to contain than isolated outbreaks like those we have seen in prisons or nursing homes.

What has happened, I guess understandably, but nonetheless regrettably, [is] that people took the attitude in some places of either all or none. Either you're locked down, or you just let it fly and you just ignore many of the guidelines of" social distancing, mask-wearing, abstaining from shaking hands and avoiding large crowds. - Dr. Fauci

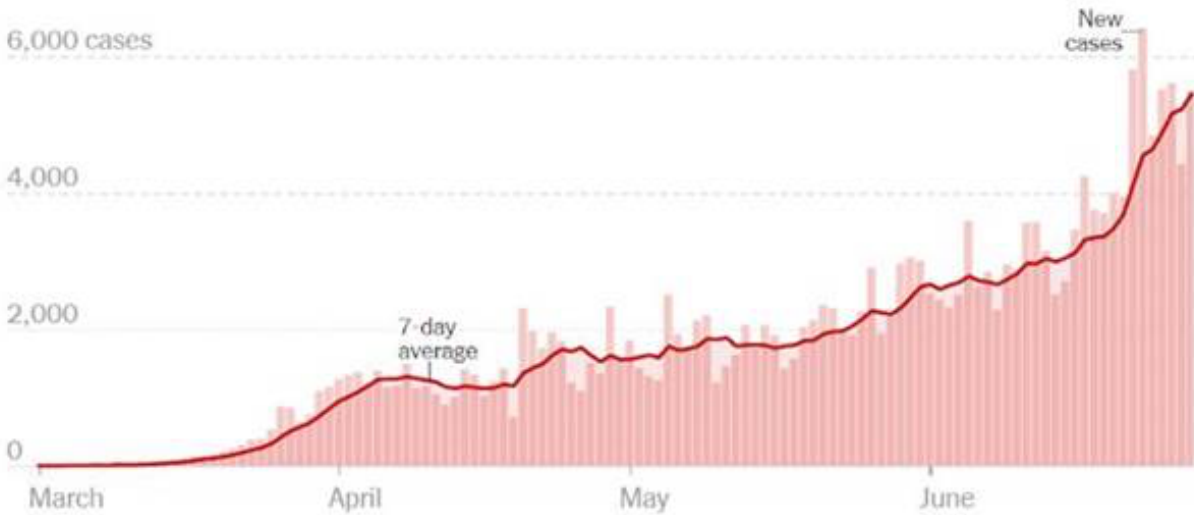
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California vs. Kern County Criteria Comparison

Cases in California continue to soar. While testing has massively increased to over 100,000 tests per day, the test positivity rate has also increased.

New reported cases by day in California



Note: The seven-day average is the average of a day and the previous six days of data.

Source: New York Times COVID-19 Tracker: <https://www.nytimes.com/interactive/2020/us/coronavirus-us-cases.html>

According to covid19.ca.gov, COVID-19 cases and related hospitalizations in Kern and statewide are on the rise. Over the last 14 days, here is how California and Kern stack up in meeting the reopening criteria.

Criteria	California	Kern
No higher than an 8% positive rate among people testing for Coronavirus	5.5% test positivity 162.2 per 100k	6% test positivity 130.8 per 100k
No higher than a 5% increase in hospitalizations over a 7-day period or fewer than 20 hospitalizations total over 14 days	42.9% hospitalization increase 32.8% ICU increase	50.5% hospitalization increase 54.3% ICU increase

On Sunday, June 28, Governor Newsom [ordered bars in seven counties](#), including Kern, to close due to rising case numbers of COVID-19. Los Angeles, Fresno, San Joaquin, Kings, Imperial and Tulare counties are the other counties under the order.

Since Clemson University reopened for athletics workouts this month, the team has had [37 football players test positive for COVID-19](#) with 14 positive tests in the past week alone. This spike in cases could have implications for college sports as we head into fall 2020.

Tracking Dashboards

As of today June 29 at 10:30 a.m., the [Johns Hopkins University Dashboard](#) shows global cases have surpassed 10 million. Global cases are rising at more than 150,000 cases per day and global deaths have passed 500,000. Here is the table that captures the difference in the numbers from the last time I published a Renegade Roundup.

	June 16	June 29	Difference	Percentage
World	8,139,560	10,199,798	2,060,238	25.3%
U.S.	2,134,521	2,564,163	429,642	20.1%
California	156,517	215,581	95,064	37.7%
Kern	3,462	4,558	1,096	31.7%

The [IHME Dashboard](#) updated its projections again on June 24, showing a projection of 179,106 total COVID-19 deaths in the United States (11,631 of them in California) by October 1, 2020.

That's all for now.
Until next time.

With much Renegade Pride and Collegiality,
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