RANKIN COUNTY WEEKLY COVID-19 SNAPSHOT
WEEK ENDING AUGUST 21, 2021

Total Cases 18,687
Total Deaths 314
Total Incidence (cases per 100,000) 12035.1

**Total Cases and Deaths, Through August 21, 2021

*Test Positivity Rate 21.0% (8/8-8/15)

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8/15/2021 – 8/21/2021

# Cases via Suspected Community Transmission 857
# Cases via Outbreaks 11

Outbreak Explanation
During the week of 8/15-8/21, seven (7) cases/patients were associated with outbreaks in Long-Term Care Facilities (LTCF); four (4) cases were associated with outbreaks in residential care facilities.

*Counties with test percent positivity <5.0% or with <20 tests in past 14 days: Green; test percent positivity 5.0%-10.0% or with <500 tests and <2000 tests/100k and >10% positivity over 14 days: Yellow; >10.0% and not meeting the criteria for “Green” or “Yellow”: Red. Test positivity is rounded to the nearest tenth of a percent before classifying. Reference: Centers for Medicare and Medicaid Services

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