



**Daily COVID-19 Update for Tuesday, August 3, 2021**

The Delta variant is now the predominant strain of the COVID virus in the US. It is thought to be four times more transmissible than the original strain of the virus. It is fueling the current surge in new cases locally and around the world.

Daily COVID-19 Data *			
	Maryland	PG County	Bowie
Cases	469,910 (+368)	87,051 (+80)	<b>Cases: 7,570 (+8)</b>
Deaths	9,835 (+6)	1,607 (+2)	20715: 1,665 (+1)
Positivity Rate	3.38%	4.40%	20716: 1,651 (+4)
Case Rate Per 100K	8.02	10.13	20720: 1,918 (+1)
Currently Hospitalized	309 (+9.9%)	NA	20721: 2,336 (+2)
Vaccine Progress			
	Maryland	PG County	
1st of 2 Dose Received	3,633,123 (60.14% pop.)	460,378 (50.63% pop.)	
2nd of 2 Dose Received	3,300,009 (54.59% pop.)	408,663 (44.94% pop.)	
Single Dose	273,528 (4.52%)	28,887 (3.18% pop.)	
Vaccine percentages are based on total population, not eligible population. Zip code level vaccine data is updated weekly (Wednesdays) by the State of Maryland. Source: Maryland Department of Health <a href="http://www.coronavirus.maryland.gov">www.coronavirus.maryland.gov</a>			

**Don't Miss Bowie Police Department's Biggest Event of the Year – National Night Out Tonight at Allen Pond Park**

Join your Bowie neighbors and public safety friends tonight at Allen Pond Park for Bowie's National Night Out against Crime event. It takes place **from 6 - 8 p.m.**

This nation-wide "block party" is held each year on the first Tuesday in August. It promotes a healthy relationship between the community and law enforcement and encourages residents to connect with each other to build trust and strong ties in neighborhoods everywhere.

It's also a night of free fun for the whole family. Enjoy music, food, games, displays, and more!

Allen Pond Park is located at 3330 Northview Drive. For more information about tonight's event, please contact 240-544-5792 or [email COPS@cityofbowie.org](mailto:COPS@cityofbowie.org).

**NOTE: Safeway Pharmacy will provide FREE Pfizer COVID-19 vaccinations at this event (while supplies last).**