

Surveillance for COVID-19 Hospitalizations in Connecticut

# Who Suffers the Most from COVID-19?

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**Thursday, September 17 @ 4pm**

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COVID-NET is a population-based surveillance system that identifies and collects extensive data on laboratory-confirmed COVID-19-associated hospitalizations. By linking COVID-NET data to area-based measures of socioeconomic status (SES), we can see how COVID-19 hospitalization rates vary across neighborhoods. Do neighborhoods that are crowded or impoverished experience higher rates of COVID-19 hospitalizations than wealthier neighborhoods? Are neighborhood SES characteristics better predictors of COVID-19 hospitalization than patient characteristics like race or ethnicity? Yale School of Public Health epidemiologist, Kimberly Yousey-Hindes, will discuss current progress exploring these area-based measures and other research questions.



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