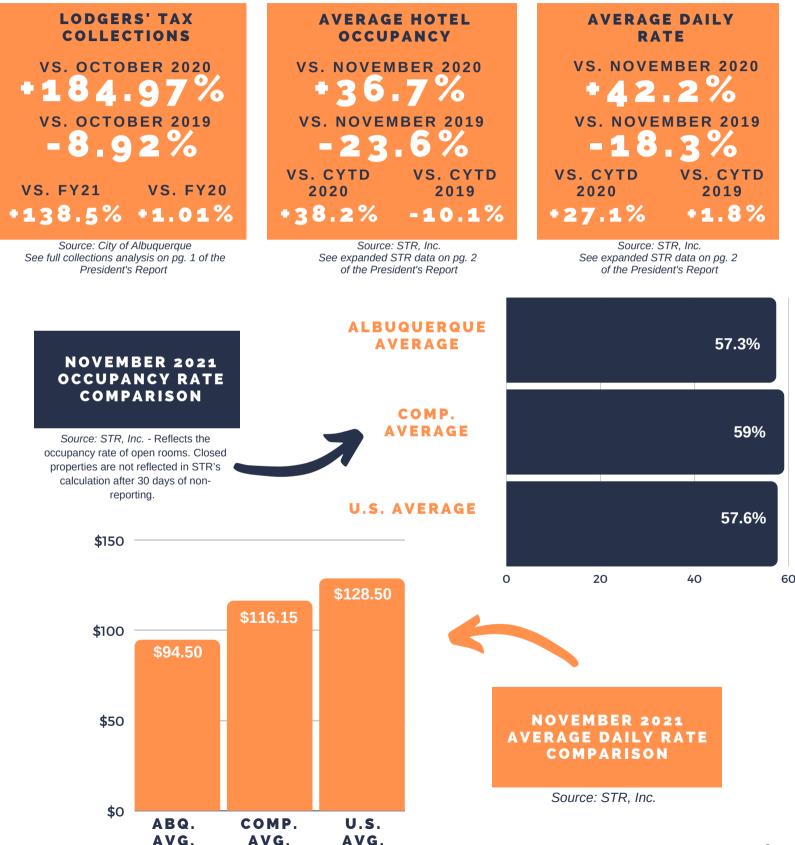
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# **December 2021 Destination Dashboard**

\*The COVID-19 pandemic has had a significant impact on the figures reflected in this report. See page 9 for a timeline of emergency announcements/restrictions.







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# **December 2021 Destination Dashboard**



175,471

#### Top 4 Airlines by % of Market Share



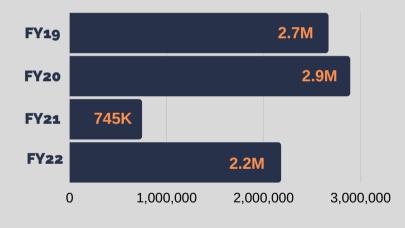




Source: Bureau of Labor Statistics \*Preliminary BLS figure



#### FYTD TOTAL PASSENGERS



VS. OCTOBER 2020

VS. OCTOBER 2019



-13.52%



**VS. 2019 CYTD** 

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# **December 2021 Destination Dashboard**

	>	Dec '21	vs. Dec '20	% Change vs. FY21	% Change vs. FY20
DECEMBER BUSINESS OCCURRING	# of Meetings/Events	8	0	100%	-93.8%
	Room Nights	8,233	0	100%	-88.3%
	Attendance	9,128	0	100%	-92.5%
	Direct Spend	\$4.2M	<b>\$0</b>	100%	-87.4%

FUTURE CITYWIDE* EVENTS BOOKED FYTD	FUTURE NON-CITYWIDE EVENTS BOOKED FYTD
<b>NEW TOTAL</b> 6 20	TOTAL 69
ATTENDEES ATTENDEES 8,505 57,449	ATTENDEES 29,184
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DIRECT DIRECT SPEND SPEND \$5.1M \$14.8M	DIRECT SPEND \$8.5M

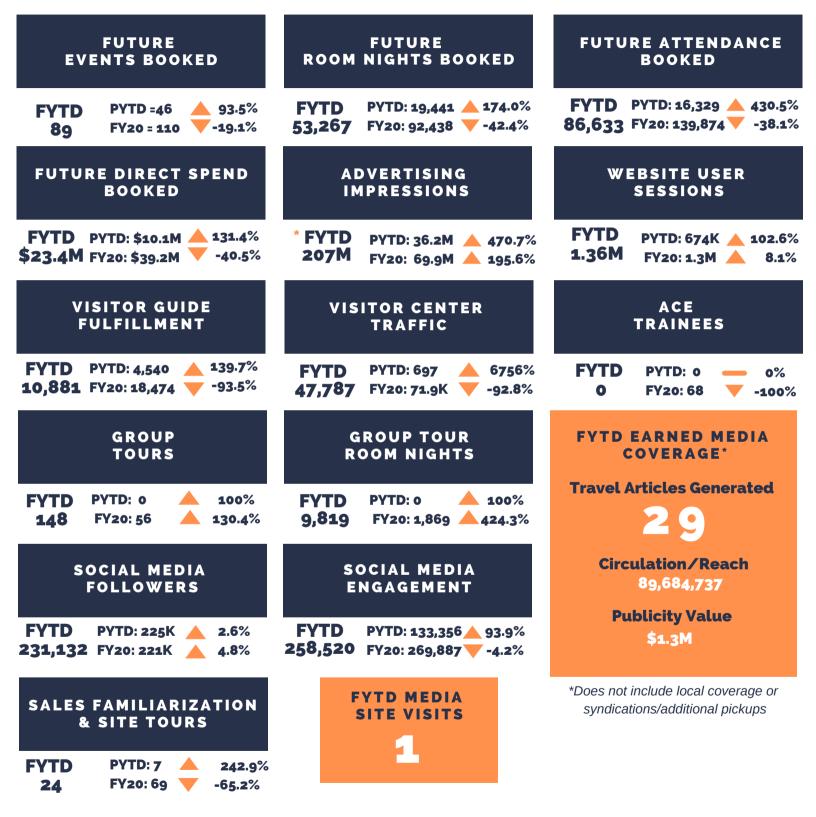
\*Citywides have a minimum of 400 room nights on peak

		EVENTS BOOKEI & Non-Citywid		
# OF EVENTS	55	ATTENDEES	77,425	
ROOM	40,867	DIRECT	\$18.4M	
NIGHTS		SPEND		

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# **December 2021 Destination Dashboard**



\*FY22 ad impressions include co-op partnership with NM True.

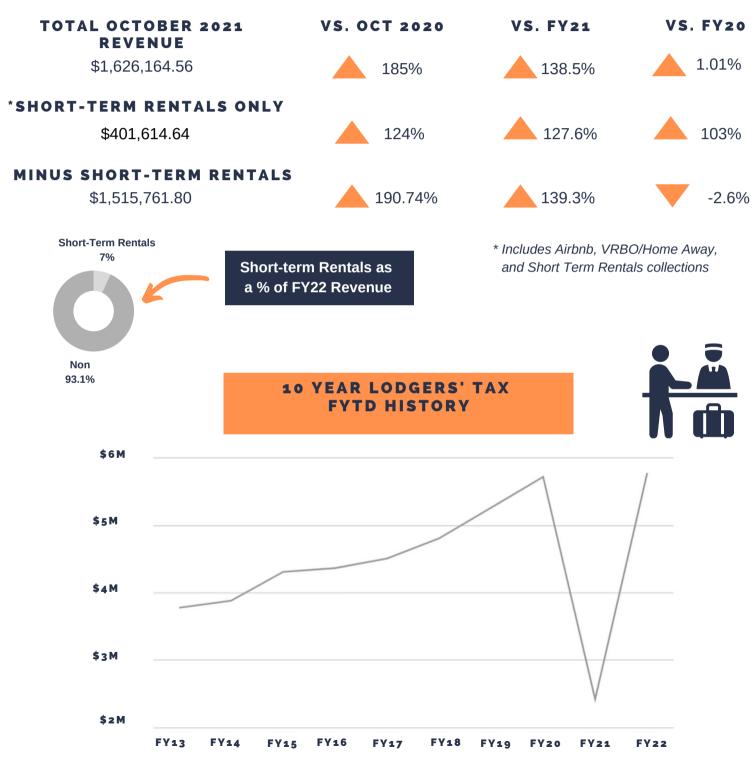
Note: FYTD= Fiscal Year To Date. Our Fiscal Year Runs July 1 - June 30.

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# **December 2021 President's Report**

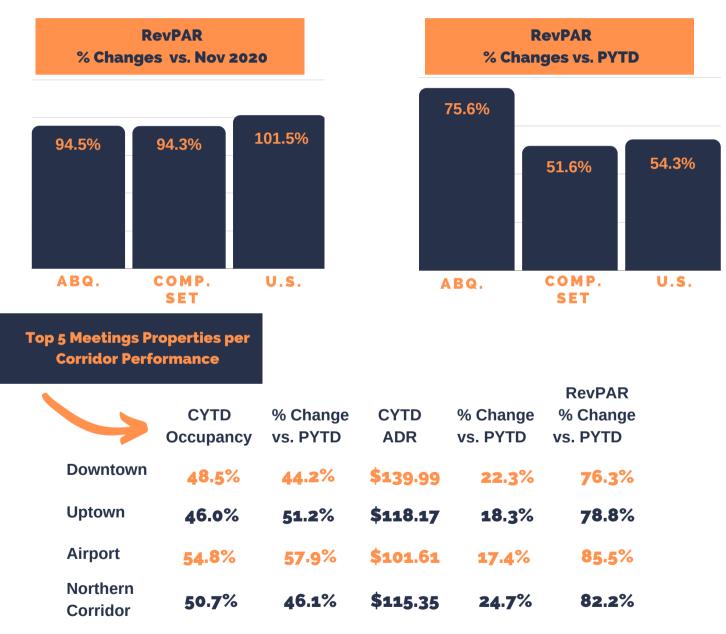
## LODGERS' TAX (5% OCCUPANCY FEE) COLLECTIONS



Source: City of Albuquerque

	STR, ING	C. LODG	ING IND	DUSTRY	REPOR	Γ*
	CYTD Occupancy	% Change vs. PYTD	CYTD ADR	% Change vs. PYTD	RevPAR % Change vs. PYTD	Rooms Sold % Change vs. PYTD
Albuquerque	63.0%	<b>38.2</b> %	\$91.63	27.1%	75.6%	38.6%
*Comp. Set Average	59.7%	29.8%	\$110.58	16.7%	51.6%	not available
U.S. Average	<b>58.1%</b>	29.9%	\$123.73	18.8%	54.3%	36.6%

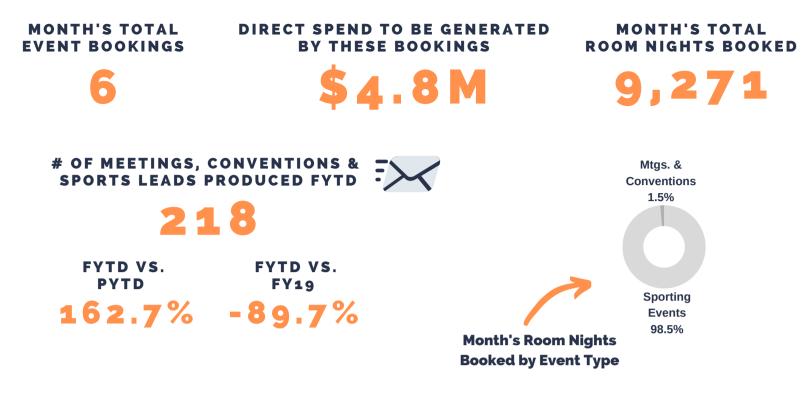
\*Comp Set Includes: Austin, Charlotte, Colorado Springs, Denver, Little Rock, Oklahoma City, Phoenix, Portland, Salt Lake City and Tucson



Reflects the occupancy rate of open rooms. Closed properties are not reflected in STR's calculation after 30 days of non-reporting. *Republication or other reuse of this data without the written permission of STR, Inc. is strictly prohibited* 



### **CONVENTION SALES, SERVICES & SPORTS**



#### RECENT + UPCOMING TRADESHOWS & INDUSTRY MEETINGS



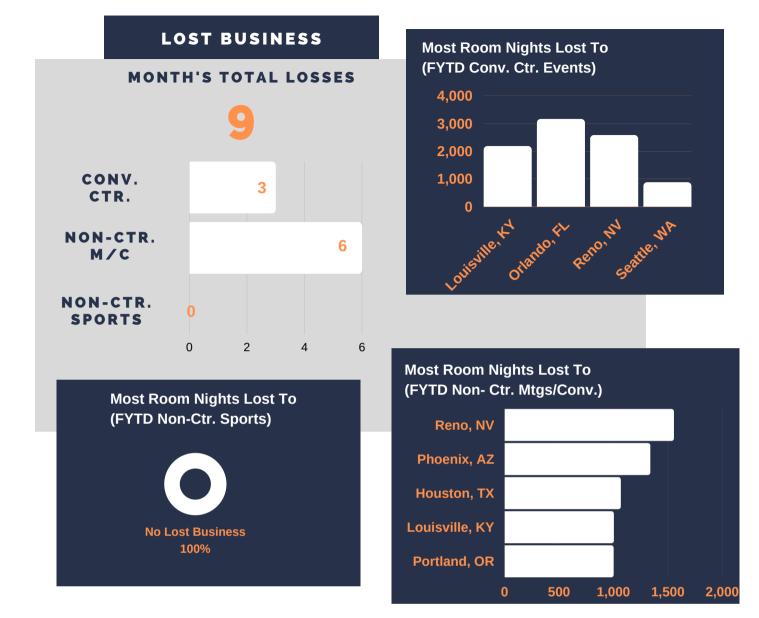
DECEMBER: 1-3: CONNECT DC - WASHINGTON, DC 13: PCMA HOLIDAY PARTY - CHICAGO, IL 14: HOLIDAY SHOWCASE - CHICAGO, IL 14-15: COFFEE & CONNECT BUSINESS DEVELOPMENT EVENTS -CHICAGO, IL

JANUARY: 9: RMPCMA CHAPTER RECEPTION - LAS VEGAS, NV 9-12: PCMA CONVENING LEADERS - LAS VEGAS, NV 24-25: MPINM BOARD MEETING & EDUCATIONAL PROGRAM

FEBRUARY: 1 -3: RELIGIOUS CONFERENCE MANAGEMENT ASSOCIATION: EMERGE 2022 - SACRAMENTO, CA



## **CONVENTION SALES, SERVICES & SPORTS (CONT.)**

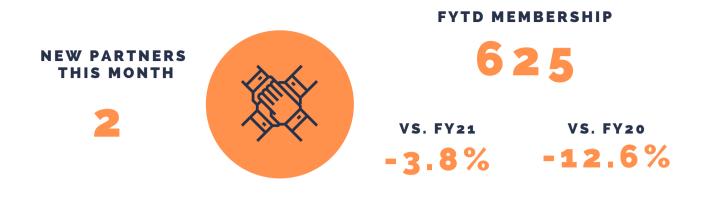


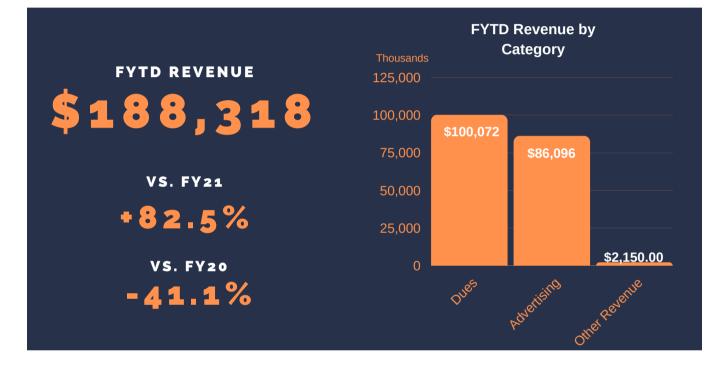
Reoccurring Convention Center Lost Business Reasons FYTD	% of Room Nights Lost
Insufficient Local Infrastructure	29%
Other Location(s) Preferred	28%
No Response from Planner	10%

MONTH'S ROOM NIGHTS LOST 4,531 MONTH'S ATTENDEES LOST 2,805 MONTH'S DIRECT SPEND LOST \$1.9M



### **PARTNER DEVELOPMENT**







Partner Orientation & ACE Training Cancelled due to COVID-19 VISIT ALBUQUERQUE PARTNER BUSINESSES CLOSED PERMANENTLY DUE TO COVID-19

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## **MARKETING, COMMUNICATIONS & TOURISM**



Lonely Planet article BP Score: 121

FEATURED MEDIA EFFORTS **# OF TRAVEL ARTICLE IMPRESSIONS THIS MONTH** 

5.2M

CORRESPONDING PUBLICITY VALUE

\$611.3K

# lonely 🕐 planet

The best museums in Albuquerque explore the city's past and future



12/1: All About ABQ - Travel + Leisure (December 2021/January 2022 print issue)
12/5: These 9 New Mexico destinations capture the best of the Land of Enchantment - Lonely Planet (syndicated to NewsBreak)
12/6: NM tourism leaders seek \$55M from lawmakers to help struggling industry - Albuquerque Journal (print and online)
12/8: Albuquerque Celebrates Bowl Season With 16th Annual PUBG MOBILE New Mexico Bowl - PRWeb (syndicated)
12/9: The National Institute of Flamenco presents La Estrella: A Flamenco Story of the Kings' Quest - PRWeb (syndicated)
12/13: The best museums in Albuquerque explore the city's past and future - Lonely Planet
12/17: ABQ365 highlights New Mexico Bowl, mariachi celebration, and other upcoming holiday festivities - KRQE (broadcast and online)

12/20: <u>Best Botanical Garden Holiday Lights 2021 (River of Lights ranked No. 10) - USA Today 10Best</u> (syndicated to USA Today and several others) 12/21: <u>14 of the World's Newest Tourist Attractions - Travel Trivia</u>

Local Media





## MARKETING, COMMUNICATIONS & TOURISM (CONT.)

MONTH'S TOP PERFORMING E-MARKETING CAMPAIGNS	SENT	OPEN RATE	CLICK-TO- OPEN RATE			
12/3: "A STEP-BY-STEP GUIDE FOR MAKING LUMINARIAS AND MORE"	117,429 LEISURE Contacts	24.5%	8.2%			
12/17: "TIS THE SEASON FOR HOLIDAY FUN IN ALBUQUERQUE"	3,208 LOCAL Contacts	42.4%	16.5%			
TOTAL SOCIAL MEDIA ENGAGEMENTS THIS MONTH						
SOCIAL MEDIA FOLLOWERS BY PLATFORM	3	2,30	2			
<b>f</b> 128,606	ABQ	visitabq Flying in a Wonderland. #TrueABQ	Winter			
58,300		📸: @sandia_peak_	tramway			
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#### **COMMUNITY & INDUSTRY ENGAGEMENT HIGHLIGHTS**

12/16-18: Several staff members attended the New Mexico Bowl dinner, kick off luncheon, pep rally and game

12/1: Several board and staff leadership attended the Economic Forum of Albuquerque meeting with speakers Mayor Keller, CAO Sarita Nair & APD Chief Medina

> 12/1-3: Larry Atchison attended CONNECT DC 2021 in Washington, DC

12/15: Several staff members presented the \$1 million Tourism Recovery Campaign Final Report to Lodgers' Tax Advisory Board and Visit ABQ Board

12/3: Visit Albuquerque staff and volunteers welcomed visitors and locals at the Old Town Holiday Stroll

12/7: Tania Armenta attended the Business Issues Council (BIC) Meeting

12/14-15: Tabitha Stallworth exhibited at the Association Forum's Holiday Showcase and participated in Coffee & Connect business development events in Chicago, Il

12/7: Misty Jester led a site visit with the Professional Fraternity Association and 4 Albuquerque hotels

#### **Events Hosted by Visit Albuquerque**

12/14: Visit Albuquerque Partner Holiday Party

Visit Albuquerque sponsored the 16th Annual PUBG MOBILE New Mexico Bowl, Dec. 18



## **COVID-19/CORONAVIRUS TIMELINE**

MARCH 2020

3/11: Governor Michelle Lujan Grisham proclaimed a public health emergency in New Mexico due to the spread of COVID-19
3/16: A Public Health Order prohibited gatherings of 100 or more
3/19: Places of lodging were ordered to not operate at more than 50% of maximum occupancy, gatherings of more than 10 were prohibited, and nonessential businesses were ordered to limit operations
3/23: Nonessential businesses were ordered closed

3/27: Air Travelers to NM ordered to self-isolate for at least 14 days

4/7: Gatherings of more than five people were prohibited and places of lodging were ordered to not operate at more than 25% of maximum occupancy

APRIL 2020

**JUNE 2020** 

MAY 2020

5/16: Nonessential businesses open at 25% maximum occupancy; State Parks open under modified day-use only basis 5/27: Outdoor Dining allowed at 50% outdoor fire code capacity

6/1: Places of lodging may increase operations to no more than 50% of maximum occupancy; Indoor dining opens at 50% capacity; Recreational facilities remain closed

6/11: Breweries open at 50% outdoors on June 12 and indoor on June 15

JULY 2020

7/1: Public health order extended thru 7/15; Mandatory 14-day quarantine extended to include travelers by air or by vehicle 7/13: Indoor seating at restaurants & breweries again prohibited; State Parks not open to out-of-state residents

8/29: Mass Gatherings increase to 10 persons; Indoor food & drink establishments reopen at 25% capacity; outdoor increases to 75%; Static display Museums open at 25%

AUGUST 2020



9/3: Mandatory quarantine amended to exempt travelers to NM from low-risk sates based on <5% positivity rate and new case rate equal to or less than 80 per 1M residents 9/17: Agritourism experiences permitted

10/1: State park overnight camping opens for NM residents in groups of 10 or less

10/16: Increased Restrictions: Food & Drink establishments must close by 10pm; Lodging occupancy reduced to 60% if NM Certified 25% if not; Mass gatherings reduced to no more than 5

10/23: 4 Rapid Responses = 2 Weeks Closed; Retail to close by 10pm; NM Certification required to continue indoor dining at 25%; State museums and historical sites close.



#### **NOVEMBER 2020**

11/16: NM Safe Certified lodging properties reduced to 25%, all others shut down; On-Site Dining prohibited; Close-contact businesses and outdoor recreational facilities must close; Essential retailers at 25% maximum occupancy or no more than 75, whichever is smaller.



## **COVID-19/CORONAVIRUS TIMELINE**

12/2: "Red to Green" County-by-county framework created to permit counties to operate based on individual county health metrics.
12/14: COVID-19 Vaccine administration begins in phased approach.
12/15: "Red to Green" framework updated.

#### **DECEMBER 2020**

JANUARY 2021

1/8: Public Health Order extended thru February 5, 2021.
Bernalillo County remains in Red category.
1/29: "Red to Green" framework updated mass gathering limits specific to vehicles.

2/10: Bernalillo County reaches Yellow Level 2/11: Visitors no longer required to self-quarantine 14-days; instead visitors are strongly advised to self-quarantine and to obtain a COVID-19 test upon arrival in or return to New Mexico.

2/24: "Red to Green" framework updated to include Turquoise level.

**FEBRUARY 2021** 

**MARCH 2021** 

Bernalillo County remains at Yellow Level throughout March 3/24: Visitation allowed at Long Term Care Facilites 3/29: Licensed childcare providers return to group size and ratio requirements that are aligned to their licensed level

4/5: All APS Schools reopen
4/7: Bernalillo County remains at Yellow Level
4/9: Mass gathering definition expanded and maximum capacity definition added.
4/23: Houses of worship allowed to operate at 100% capacity with strongly encouraged indoor limitations.
4/30: New gating criteria announced to include vaccination rates.

APRIL 2021

MAY 2021

5/5: Bernalillo County reaches "Turquoise" Status; Capacity Levels increased 5/13: Children 12 and over become eligible for vaccine

6/18: New Mexico successfully meets 60% vaccination goal to open by July 1.

**JUNE 2021** 

JULY 2021

7/1: All pandemic-related occupancy restrictions on all forms of commercial activity are lifted. Red to Turquoise framework is retired. Businesses and local governments may still adopt and require additional precautions, and are still advised to enact social distancing and facemask measures in accordance with Centers for Disease Control and Prevention guidance.



### **COVID-19/CORONAVIRUS TIMELINE**

8/20: Due to increasing spread of Delta variant, the indoor mask requirement is re-implemented for all individuals aged 2 and older, regardless of vaccination status, in all indoor public settings except when eating or drinking. All workers in NM hospitals and congregate care facilities are required to be fully vaccinated against COVID-19, with only limited exceptions. Attendees eligible for the vaccine, must show proof of vaccination to enter the grounds of the NM State Fair in 2021.

#### AUGUST 2021

#### **SEPTEMBER 2021**

9/9: President Biden issues an executive order that requires federal employees, federal contractors, and most health care workers to get the COVID-19 vaccine, removing the option to undergo regular testing. The President also asked OSHA to develop an emergency rule that would require businesses with 100 or more employees to ensure that their workers are vaccinated or tested weekly.

10/20: FDA expands authorizations for COVID-19 vaccine booster doses for eligible populations.

10/29: FDA expands emergency use authorization of the Pfizer-BioNTech COVID-19 Vaccine to include children 5 through 11 years of age. OCTOBER 2021



11/12: Gov. Michelle Lujan Grisham signed an executive order expanding eligibility for COVID-19 booster shots to all New Mexico adults. The statewide requirement that face masks be worn in all indoor public spaces, with only limited exceptions and regardless of vaccination status, was also be extended through at least Dec. 10. 11/26: The World Health Organization classified a new variant, B.1.1.529, as a Variant of Concern and named it Omicron. 11/30: The United States also classified Omicron as a Variant of Concern.

12/2: The state of New Mexico issued an amended emergency public health order requiring many workers to receive a booster shot when eligible to protect against the ongoing spread of COVID-19.
12/12: The New Mexico Department of Health announced the state's first identified case of the COVID-19 omicron variant.
12/29: Omicron, which has become the dominant variant in some parts of the United States, is still exponentially outnumbered in New Mexico by the delta variant. However, experts expect omicron eventually to surpass delta here, as it has in many other regions.



