

COVID-19 Among Black Women

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Recent epidemiological data show that COVID-19 affects Black communities disproportionately, resulting in higher morbidity and mortality rates when compared to other racial and ethnic groups.

"A long history of racism and other factors has resulted in increased weakness and vulnerability to certain adverse health outcomes for Black women in particular."

Currently, approximately 26 Black people die from COVID-19 for every 100,000 Americans, a mortality rate that is more than double that of the Latino, Asian, and White communities.

Example results that this study reviews.



79%

The majority of study participants (79%), expressed confusion, misunderstanding, and mistrust of the COVID-19 information they were given.



67%

67% of participants reported mental health issues as a result of COVID-19.

Implication: There is a need to investigate where and how Black women obtain COVID-19 information, as well as the effects COVID-19 may have on their daily lives.

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Wear a mask and help stop the spread.