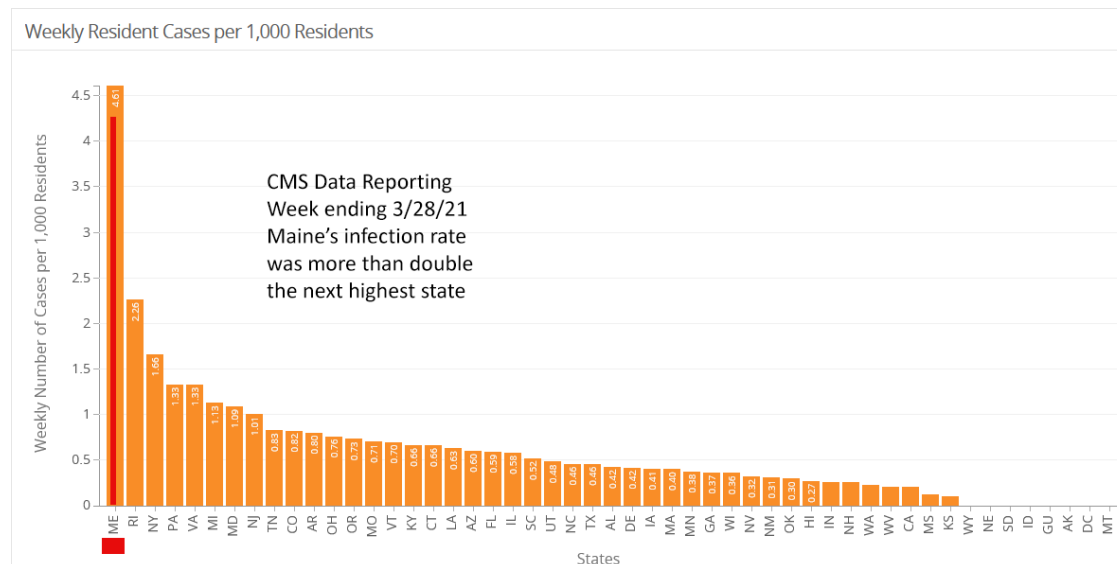


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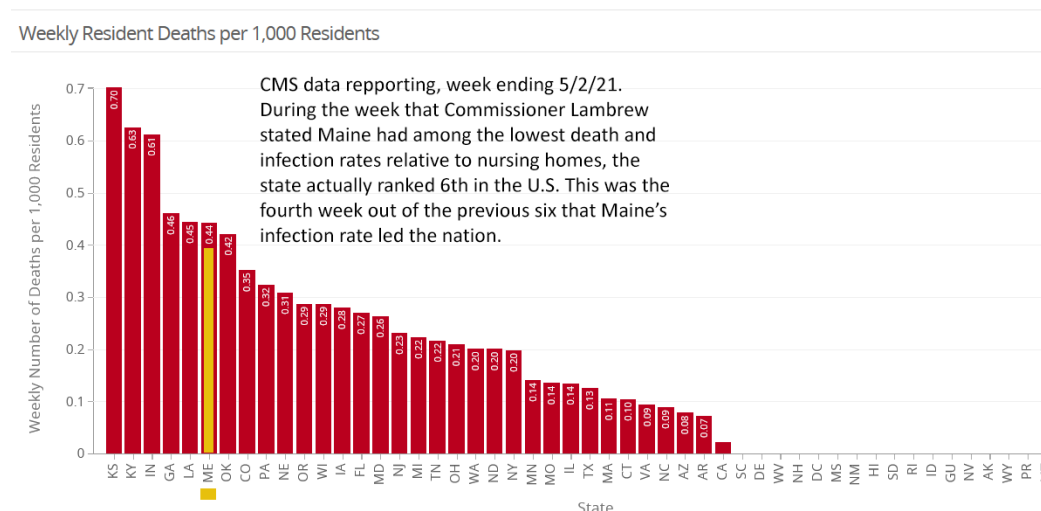
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On March 25, Director Shah told viewers of that day's press briefing that Maine had gone more than 30 days without a COVID-related death among nursing home residents. CMS data shows Maine had six deaths during the period he described. He made that statement in the middle of a week in which Maine led the nation in nursing home infections. In reality, CMS data shows that Maine's infection rate was more than double that of the next highest state.



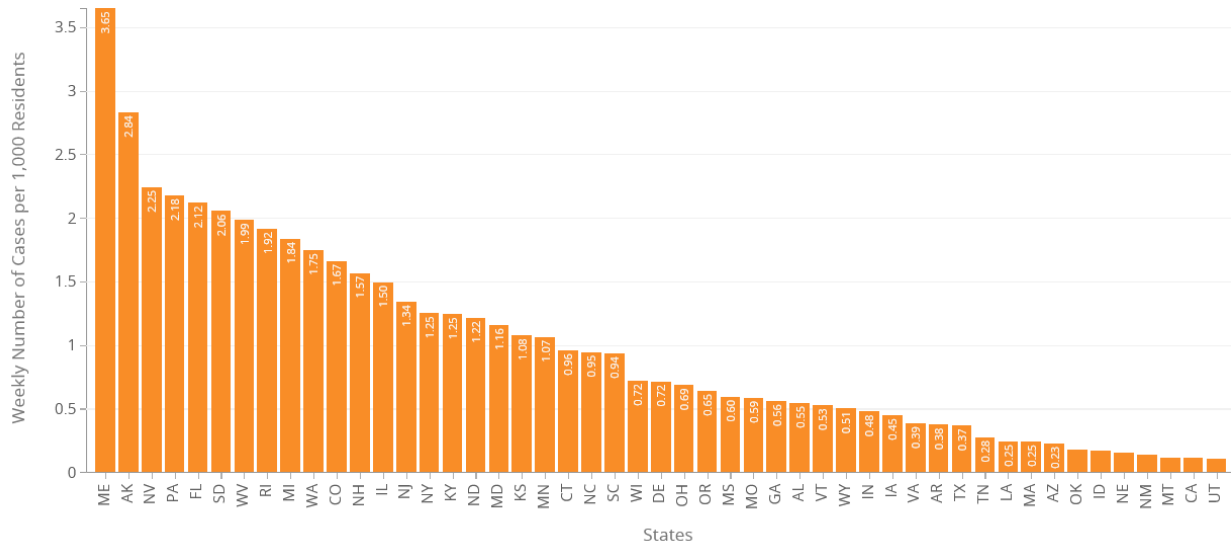
On April 27, Commissioner Lambrew told viewers of that day's press briefing that Maine "has done relatively well. Our nursing home death rate, our nursing home infection rate has been lower than most states." During the week in which she made this statement, Maine led the nation in infection rate and was 5th in death rate.



Week ending May 2, 2021

Weekly Resident Cases per 1,000 Residents

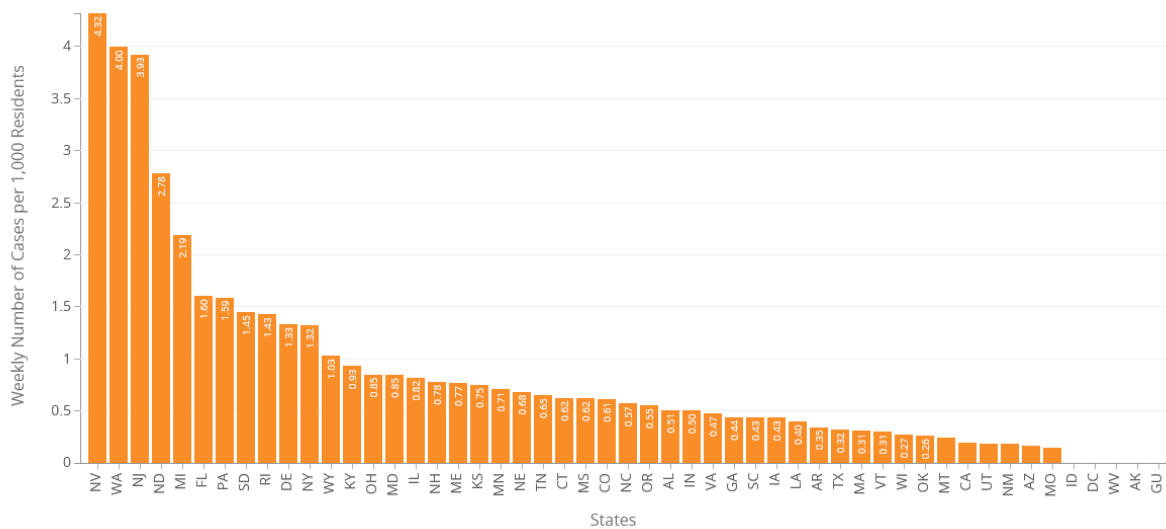
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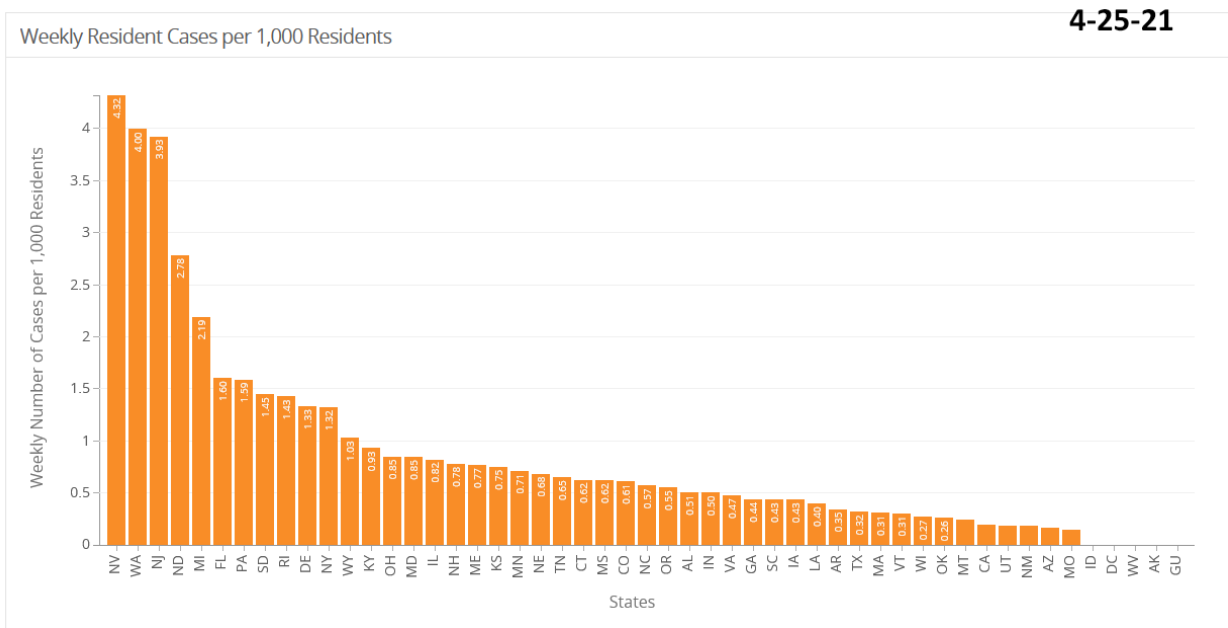
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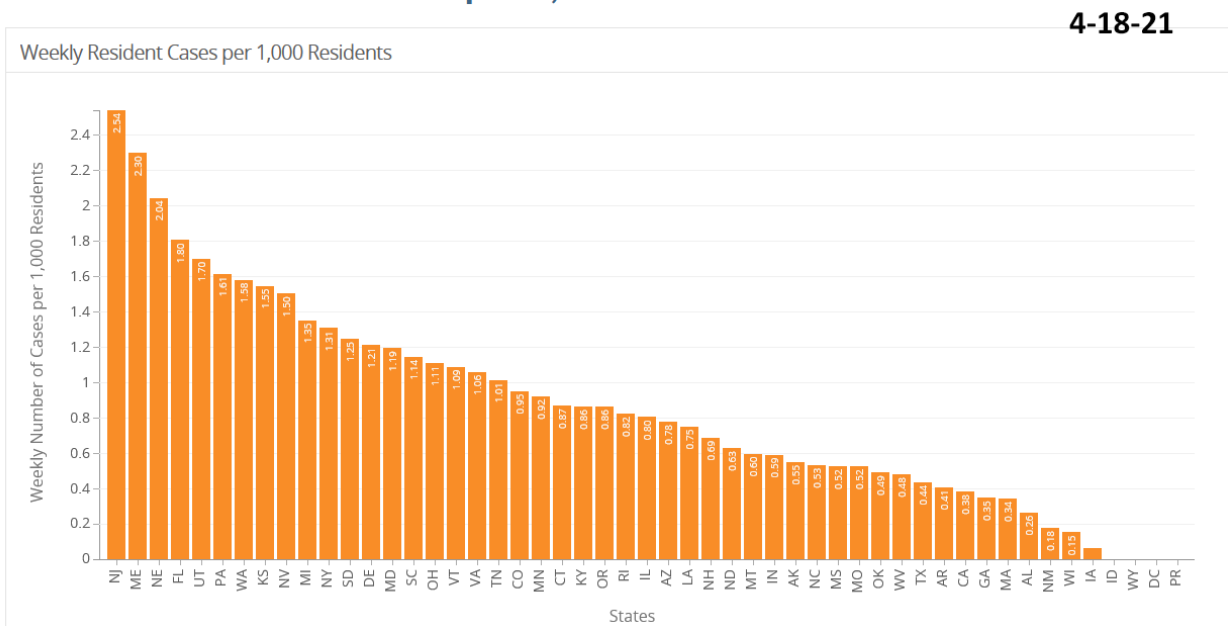
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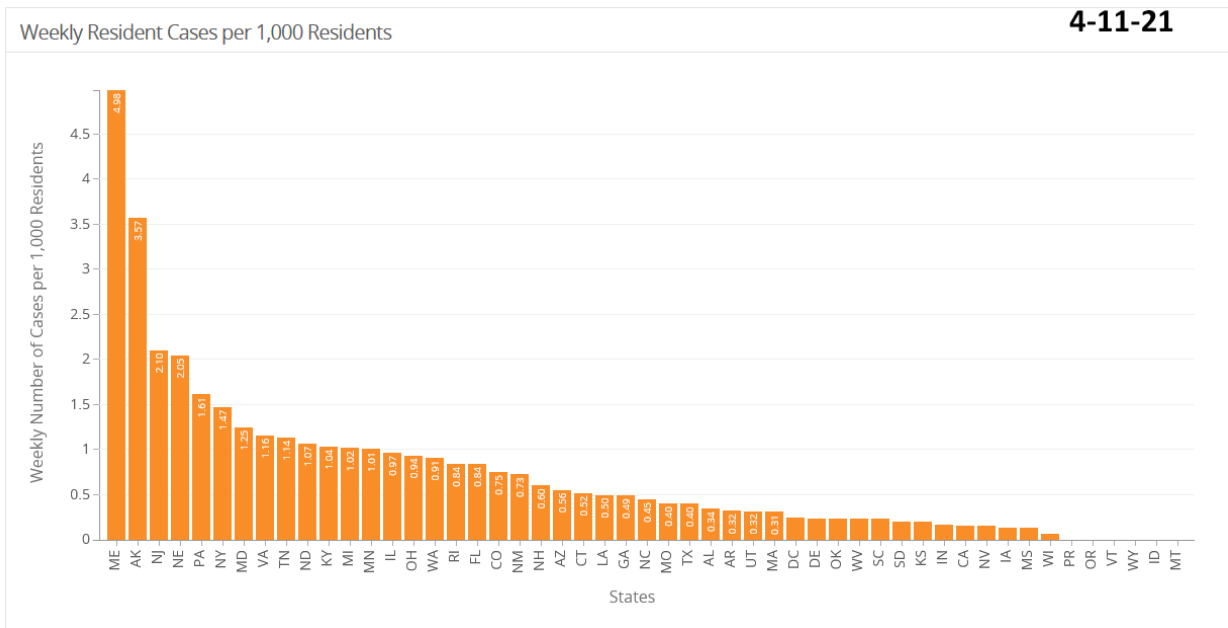
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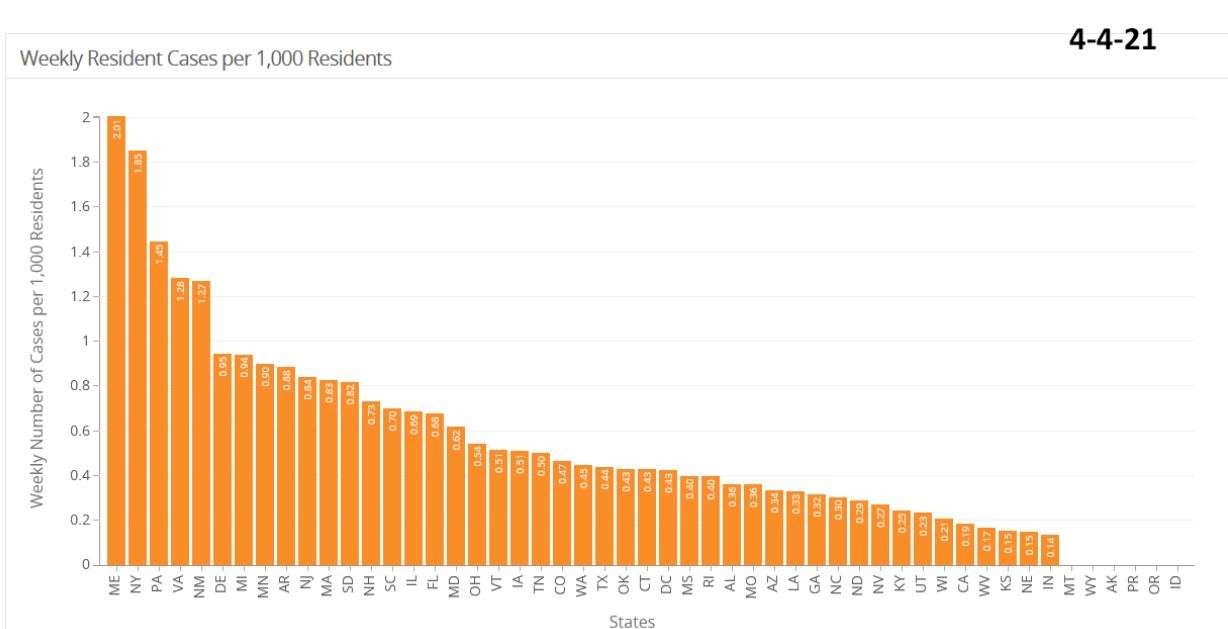
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Week ending March 28, 2021

Weekly Resident Cases per 1,000 Residents

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