

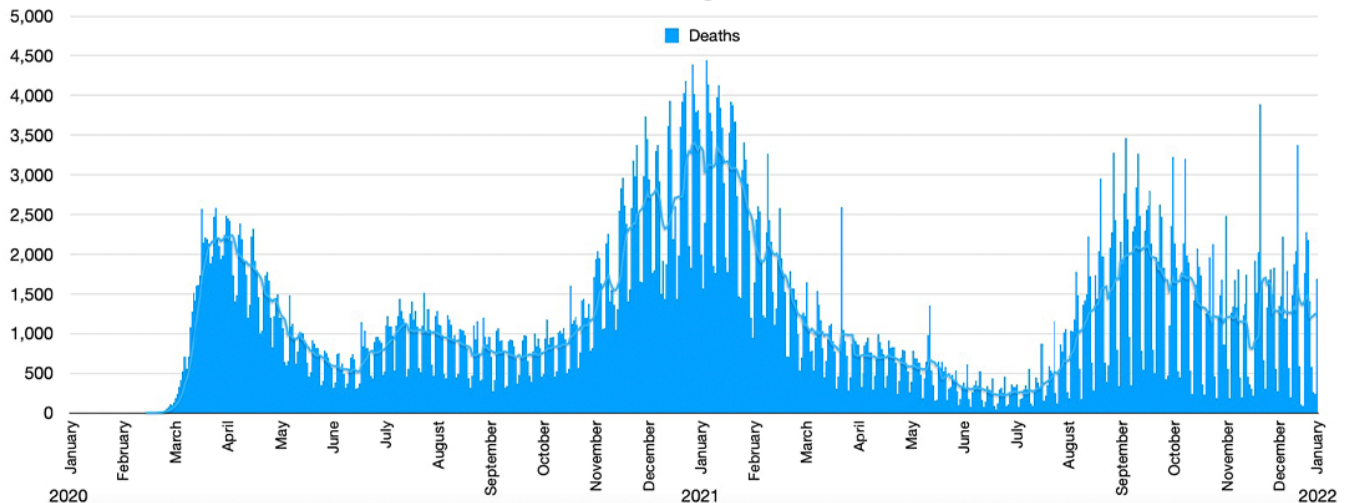


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WORKER COVID DEATHS ARE NOT BEING TRACKED

COVID-19 Daily New Deaths



No government agency has tracked worker deaths and infections caused by COVID transmission on the job. According to a May 2021 AFL-CIO report, “[W]orkplace infection and outbreak information is limited because there is no national surveillance system.... Despite the massive toll of COVID-19 on working people and the critical role of workplace exposures, [the Bureau of Labor Statistics] currently does not have a plan for counting and reporting workplace COVID-19 fatalities.”

[AFL-CIO, Death on the Job: The Toll of Neglect, 2021, May 4, 2021](#)

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