CHIME Model v1.1.2

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Summary

An implementation of the University of Pennsylvania's COVID-19 Hospital Impact Model for Epidemics (CHIME) for use in ArcGIS Pro 2.3 or later. This tool leverages SIR (Susceptible, Infected, Recovered) modeling to assist hospitals, cities, and regions with capacity planning around COVID-19 by providing estimates of daily new admissions and current inpatient hospitalizations (census), ICU admissions, and patients requiring ventilation.
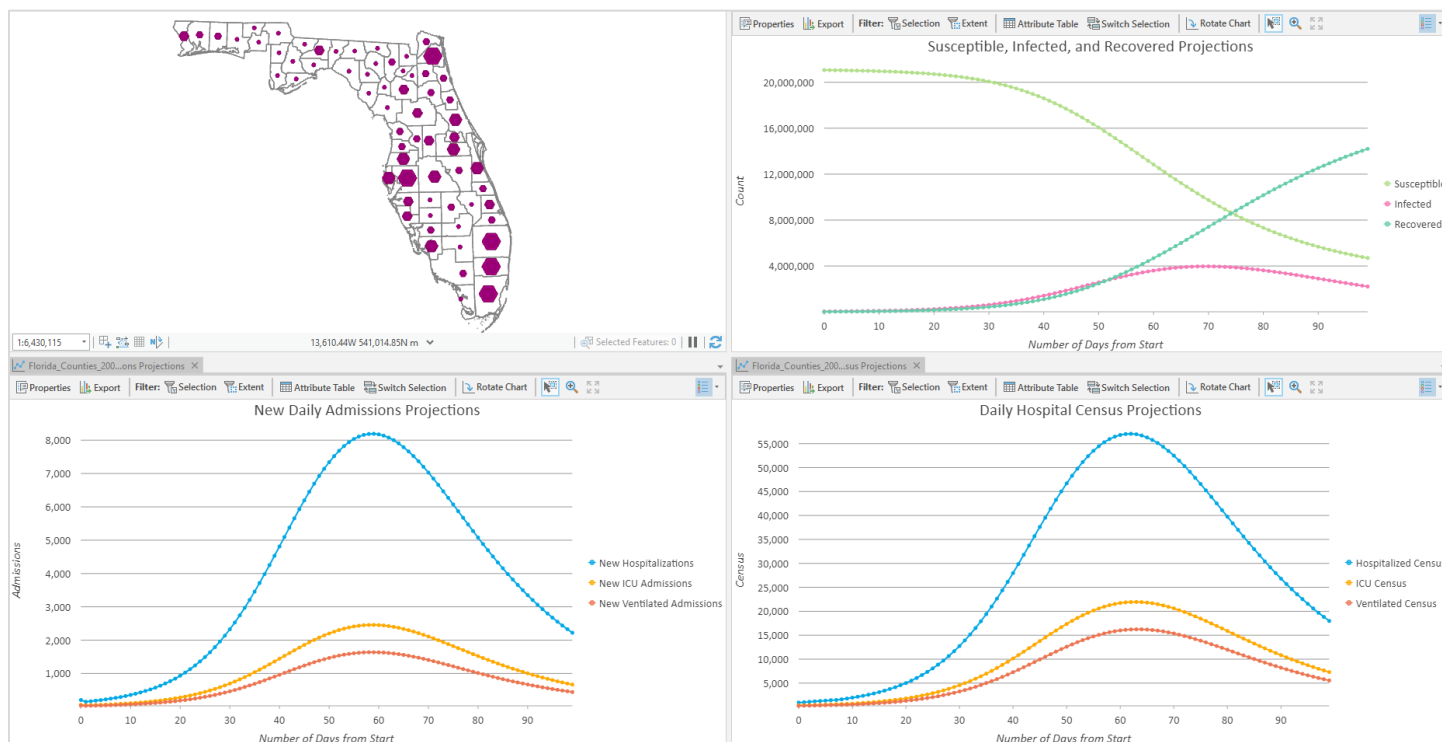
Version 2 of this tool is based on CHIME v1.1.2 (2020-04-01). Learn more about how CHIME works

This tool requires ArcGIS Pro 2.3 (or more recent) in order to run.

Watch a video about how this tool can help model COVID-19.

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Illustration

Potential Applications

- A hospital systems administrator needs a simple model to project the number of patients the hospitals in the network will need to accommodate in the next 90 days due to COVID-19. You know the population served by each hospital and the number of patients that are currently hospitalized with COVID-19 in each facility. Using your hospital point layer, you run the tool using the **Constant Model Parameters**, making the assumption that all hospital populations have similar social distancing and hospitalization patterns.

- A hospital systems administrator needs to model how differences in the behaviors and population will impact the hospitalization patterns across the hospital network for the next 30 days. For each hospital catchment area, you use the total population for the hospital network catchment area and the market share of the hospital to calculate a new field representing the patient population for each catchment area. Using this polygon layer, you run the tool using the **Field-Based Model Parameters** and the patient population to model the different hospitalizations expected at each hospital in the network.
- An aid agency wants to predict where and when resources will be required in the counties you serve. You know the population and number currently hospitalized in each county. You run the tool using your county polygon data with a combination of the **Field-Based Model Parameters** where you have the data for how these vary between counties, and use the **Constant Model Parameters** when you want to use a fixed model parameter for all counties.

- A county wants to understand how interventions may impact hospital availability within the county. You create a county polygon layer with different fields that reflect possible scenarios regarding COVID-19 doubling time and social distancing. You run the tool with this data and use the **Additional Outputs for Visualization** parameters to add the field representing the number of beds data to your results to help with decision-making.

Best Practices and Usage Information

- This tool accepts either points or polygons. These features may correspond to specific hospital locations, hospital catchment areas, or counties.

- For each feature in the **Input Feature Class,** and for each of the **Number of Days to Project,** the tool provides an estimate of daily new hospitalization admissions, new ICU admissions, new ventilated hospitalizations, as well as the daily hospital census, daily ICU census, and the ventilated hospitalization census.

- The tool contains model parameters that can either be designated as fields (spatially-varying) or constants. If a field input is set for a variable, the corresponding constant value input for that parameter will display **Set as Field.** Field input always overrides constant input during execution and UI population.

    Note: If you would like to change the input value for a model parameter from a specified field back to a constant, you need to first delete the value provided for the input field before you can define the new constant input value.

- The **Population Field** should reflect the population assigned to each record in the **Input Feature Class** whether that represents a hospital, catchment area, or an administrative boundary.

- In order to get the most accurate predictions, it is not recommended to subset your data for input to the **Population** parameter (such as only including the population from ages 6 to 8 years old or 65+) as COVID-19 can be spread from all subsets.

- You may predict a minimum of 30 days and up to a maximum of 365 days. However, it is suggested to use a shorter time period, such as less than 100 days, for more accurate projections.

- The tool contains a **Social Distancing** parameter to estimate how much social contact is reduced in each catchment area compared to no social distancing at all. Penn Medicine Predictive Healthcare provide [further guidance](#) on how the parameter can be estimated in the context of common policies such as school closures and case isolation.

- If you do not have population data for your catchment or hospital area, you can use the [Enrich](#) tool to get Esri population data or use the [Summarize Within](#) tool or the [Tabulate Intersection](#) tool with the **Sum Fields** parameter to apportion the county data you do have to your catchment or hospital areas.

- The output of this tool includes a feature class symbolized by the daily hospitalization census which can be [time-enabled](#) following the steps below. Informational messages and interactive charts are also provided.

- When bed capacity is not reached, the capacity date fields for hospitalizations, ICU, and ventilators will be populated with the date 1/1/1900 as a placeholder.

- While a parameter to include market share is provided in UPenn's CHIME model to calculate a population served for a hospital, it is not included in this tool as this tool calculates models for multiple locations and areal units such as counties or hospital networks. For hospital data, the **Population Field** should represent the patient population for the hospital, considering that some of the population within the catchment of a hospital may be served by other hospitals. If the **Population Field** does not represent the patient population for each hospital, use the **Calculate Field** tool to multiply the total population in the region by the proportion of patients that are served by the hospital. This calculation is needed as under-the-hood, this tool defaults to 100% market share.

- Features missing data for any of the input variables will be dropped from the analysis and will not appear in the output. It is suggested to inspect your data for null values before running the tool. The [Fill Missing Values](#) tool can be used to replace missing values with estimated values.

Installation

The tool is available as a Python Toolbox (.pyt), which can be opened and used in the same manner as [geoprocessing tools](#) within ArcGIS Pro.

To install:

1. Download the Geoprocessing tool zip file.

2. [Unzip the file](#) to a location in your local system.
   Note: The location must be accessible as a folder connection for ArcGIS Pro.

3. Open ArcGIS Pro, create a new project, and [create a folder connection](#) to your unzipped folder location.

4. From ArcGIS Pro's **Catalog** pane, open the folder and expand the **COVID-19 Modeling Toolbox.pyt** python toolbox.
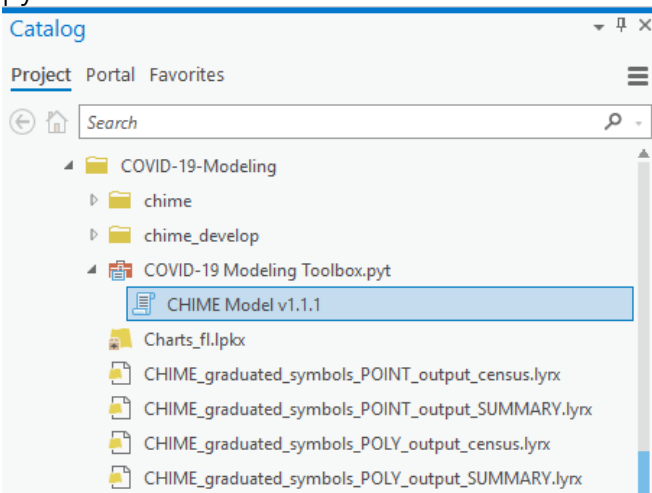
5. Open the **CHIME Model v1.1.2** tool.
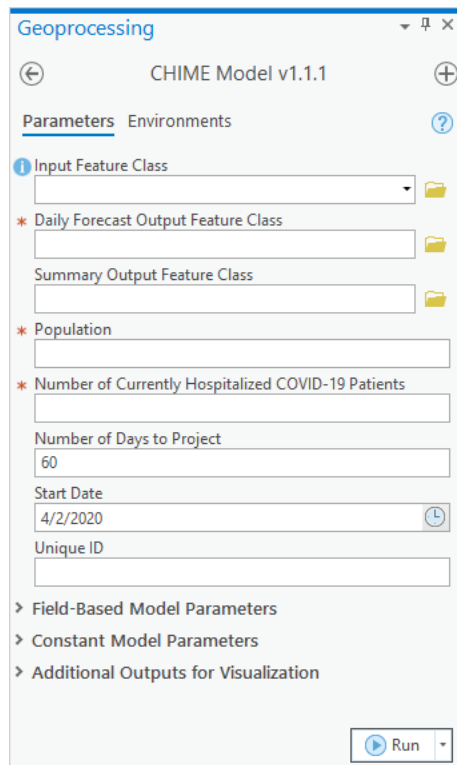
Parameters

The tool uses parameters that describe the healthcare system being analyzed as well as the spread and contact information for the disease. Spread and contact input information can be specified in one of two ways: either as fields in the **Input Feature Class** or as constant values.

Parameter	Explanation	Data Type
0	Input Feature Class (in_fc) (Required)	The feature class containing information for each hospital, hospital catchment area, or county to be analyzed.	Feature Layer
1	Daily Forecast Output Feature Class (out_fc) (Required)	The output feature class to receive the results for each day's estimated hospital demand.	Feature Class
2	Population (pop_field) (Required)	The field representing the total population size of the catchment region of your hospital(s) or the total population size in each county. This is the initial S (Susceptible) input in the SIR model. This will affect projections for the number of infected people as well as the numbers requiring hospitalization, intensive care (ICU), and ventilation. If the field contains decimals, the value will be rounded to the nearest whole number.	Field
4	Number of Currently Hospitalized COVID-19 Patients Field (hosp_field) (Required)	The field representing the number of patients currently hospitalized with COVID-19 at the input hospital locations or catchment areas. This number is used along with population and Hospitalization % to estimate the total number of infected individuals.	Field
5	Doubling Time in Days (Up to Today) (doubling_time_field) (Optional)	The field representing the number of days required for the number of infected individuals to double. Doubling rate is meant to apply as an infection growth rate without interventions.	Field
6	Social Distancing % (Reduction in Social Contact) (social_dist_perc_field) (Optional)	The field representing the estimate of how much social contact is reduced in each catchment area compared to no social distancing at all. This parameter allows users to explore how reduction in transmission via social distancing, reduced interpersonal contact and other methods (e.g. hand washing, increased disinfection of surfaces, etc.) might slow the rate of new infections. While it is currently unclear how much any given policy might affect social contact (e.g. school closures or remote work), this	Field

		parameter lets you see how projections change with percentage reductions in social contact.	
7	Hospitalization % (Total Infections) (hosp_rate_perc_field) (Optional)	The field representing the percentage of all infected cases which will need hospitalization.	Field
		This percentage, along with the number of Hospitalized COVID-19 Patients and the total population are used to calculate the Estimated # of Currently Infected Individuals.	
		See Verity et al. which suggests that around 5% of infected people need hospitalization, while also supplying an age adjustment methodology should you want to calibrate it to your own population.	
		Note: There is a large amount of uncertainty surrounding this figure as hospitalization requirements might vary between regions.	
8	ICU % (Total Infections) (icu_perc_field) (Optional)	The field representing the percentage of all infected cases which will need to be treated in an ICU.	Field
9	Ventilated % (Total Infections) (vent_perc_field) (Optional)	The field representing the percentage of all infected cases which will need mechanical ventilation.	Field
10	Average Hospital Length of Stay (Days) (hosp_stay_len_field) (Optional)	The field representing the average number of days spent in the hospital for ICU COVID-19 patients.	Field
		This is inclusive of all hospitalized COVID-19 patients, regardless of the highest level of care they receive.	
		If the field contains decimals, the value will be rounded to the nearest whole number.	
11	Average Days in ICU (icu_stay_len_field) (Optional)	The field representing the average number of days of ICU treatment needed for ICU COVID-19 patients.	Field
		This includes both vented and non-vented patients.	
		If the field contains decimals, the value will be rounded to the nearest whole number.	

12	Average Days on Ventilator (vent_stay_len_field) (Optional)	The field representing the average number of days with ventilation needed for COVID-19 patients.	Field
		If the field contains decimals, the value will be rounded to the nearest whole number.	
14	Infectious Days (inf_days_field) (Optional)	The field representing the number of days a person can infect another person (regardless of whether the infected person is symptomatic or asymptomatic).	Field
		This represents gamma (γ) in the SIR model.	
15	Number of Days to Project (num_days) (Required)	The number of days to include in the output analysis.	Long
16	Start Date (start_date) (Required)	The date used to represent a start point for calculating projections for number of hospitalizations, ICU admissions, and patients requiring ventilation.	Date
17	Doubling Time in Days (Up to Today) (doubling_time) (Required)	The number of days required for the number of infected individuals to double before the current date. Doubling rate is meant to apply as an infection growth rate without interventions.	String
18	Social Distancing % (Reduction in Social Contact Going Forward) (social_distancing_perc) (Required)	The estimate of how much social contact is reduced in each catchment area compared to no social distancing at all. This parameter allows users to explore how reduction in transmission via social distancing or reduced interpersonal contact and other methods such as hand-washing, increased disinfection of surfaces, etc. might slow the rate of new infections.	String
		While it is currently unclear how much any given policy might affect social contact such as school closures or remote work, this parameter lets you see how projections change with percentage reductions in social contact.	
19	Hospitalization % (Total Infections) (hosp_rate_perc) (Required)	The percentage of all infected cases which will need hospitalization.	String
		This percentage, along with the number of Hospitalized COVID-19 Patients, and the population inform the estimated number	

		of currently infected individuals in the output.	
		See Verity et al. which suggests that around 5% of infected people need hospitalization, while also supplying an age adjustment methodology should you want to calibrate it to your own population.	
		Note: There is a large amount of uncertainty surrounding this figure as hospitalization requirements might vary between regions.	
20	ICU % (Total Infections) (icu_perc) (Required)	The percentage of all infected cases which will need to be treated in an ICU.	String
21	Ventilated % (Total Infections) (vent_perc) (Required)	The percentage of all infected cases which will need mechanical ventilation.	String
22	Average Hospital Length of Stay (Days) (hosp_stay_len) (Required)	The average number of days COVID-19 patients have needed to stay in a hospital. If the value provided contains decimals, the value will be rounded to the nearest whole number.	String
23	Average Days in ICU (icu_stay_len) (Required)	The average number of days COVID-19 patients have needed ICU care. If the value provided contains decimals, the value will be rounded to the nearest whole number.	String
24	Average Days on Ventilator (vent_stay_len) (Required)	The average number of days with ventilation needed for COVID-19 patients. If the value provided contains decimals, the value will be rounded to the nearest whole number.	String
26	Infectious Days (inf_days) (Optional)	The field representing the number of days a person can infect another person (regardless of whether the infected person is symptomatic or asymptomatic). This represents gamma (γ) in the SIR model.	String
27	Total Bed Capacity (lic_bed_field) (Optional)	The total number of regular hospital beds available.	Field

		If the field contains decimals, the value will be rounded to the nearest whole number.	
28	Total Ventilator Capacity (staffed_vent_field) (Optional)	The total number of ventilators available. If the field contains decimals, the value will be rounded to the nearest whole number.	Field
29	Total ICU Bed Capacity (icu_beds_field) (Optional)	The total number of beds in the ICU. If the field contains decimals, the value will be rounded to the nearest whole number.	Field
30	Additional Output Variable(s) (additional_fields) (Optional)	Additional fields can be appended to the **Summary Output Feature Class**.	[Field]
31	Unique ID (unique_id) (Optional)	The field from the input feature class representing unique IDs for each feature.	Field
32	Summary Output Feature Class (out_fc2d) (Optional)	This optional summary feature class includes information on input model parameters as well as peak dates and over capacity dates for hospitalized, ICU and ventilated census	Feature Class

Running the Tool from Python

Like other geoprocessing tools, you may execute this tool via Python by using ArcPy. Since this tool is imported separately from other geoprocessing in ArcGIS Pro, an additional step is required to first import the toolbox. To do this, first run:

```
arcpy.ImportToolbox(r"YOUR PATH\COVID-19-Modeling\COVID-19 Modeling Toolbox.pyt")
```

Then execute the tool via ArcPy by using the following syntax:

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arcpy.covid19.CHIME(in_fc, out_fc, pop_field, {known_infections}, hosp_field, {doubling_time_field},
{hosp_rate_perc_field}, {icu_perc_field}, {vent_perc_field}, {hosp_stay_len_field},
{icu_stay_len_field}, {vent_stay_len_field}, {hosp_market_share_field}, {inf_days_field}, num_days,
start_date, doubling_time, social_distancing_perc, hosp_rate_perc, icu_perc, vent_perc,
hosp_stay_len, icu_stay_len, vent_stay_len, {hosp_market_share}, {inf_days}, {lic_bed_field},
{staffed_vent_field}, {icu_beds_field}, {additional_fields}, {unique_id}, {out_fc2d})
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Interpreting the Outputs

The tool provides a **Daily Forecast Output Feature Class** with fields and accompanying charts pertaining to each day's estimates for new daily admissions, and a census of inpatient hospitalizations, ICU admissions, and patients requiring ventilation, as well as each day's projected total susceptible, infected, and recovered in the provided population. The default symbology of this layer is the projected hospitalization census by day.

The geometry of the output features will match the geometry of its inputs; for example, if using a feature class of hospital points, the output will be points, and if using a feature class of county polygons, the output will be county boundaries.
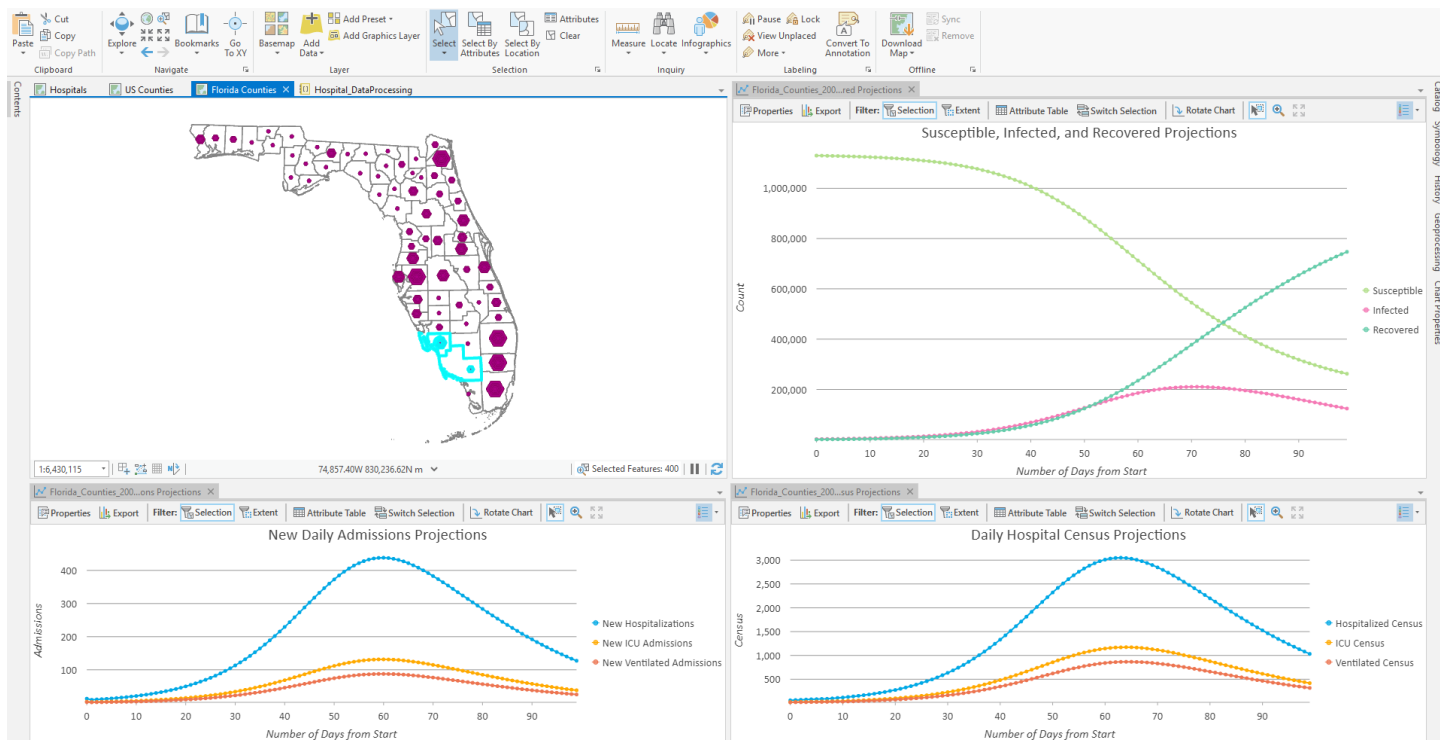
Chart Outputs

Three charts are created to visualize the outputs of the CHIME model: **New Daily Admissions Projections**, **Daily Hospital Census Projections**, and **Susceptible, Infected, and Recovered Projections**

New Daily Admissions Projections

Daily Hospital Census Projections

Susceptible, Infected, and Recovered Projections
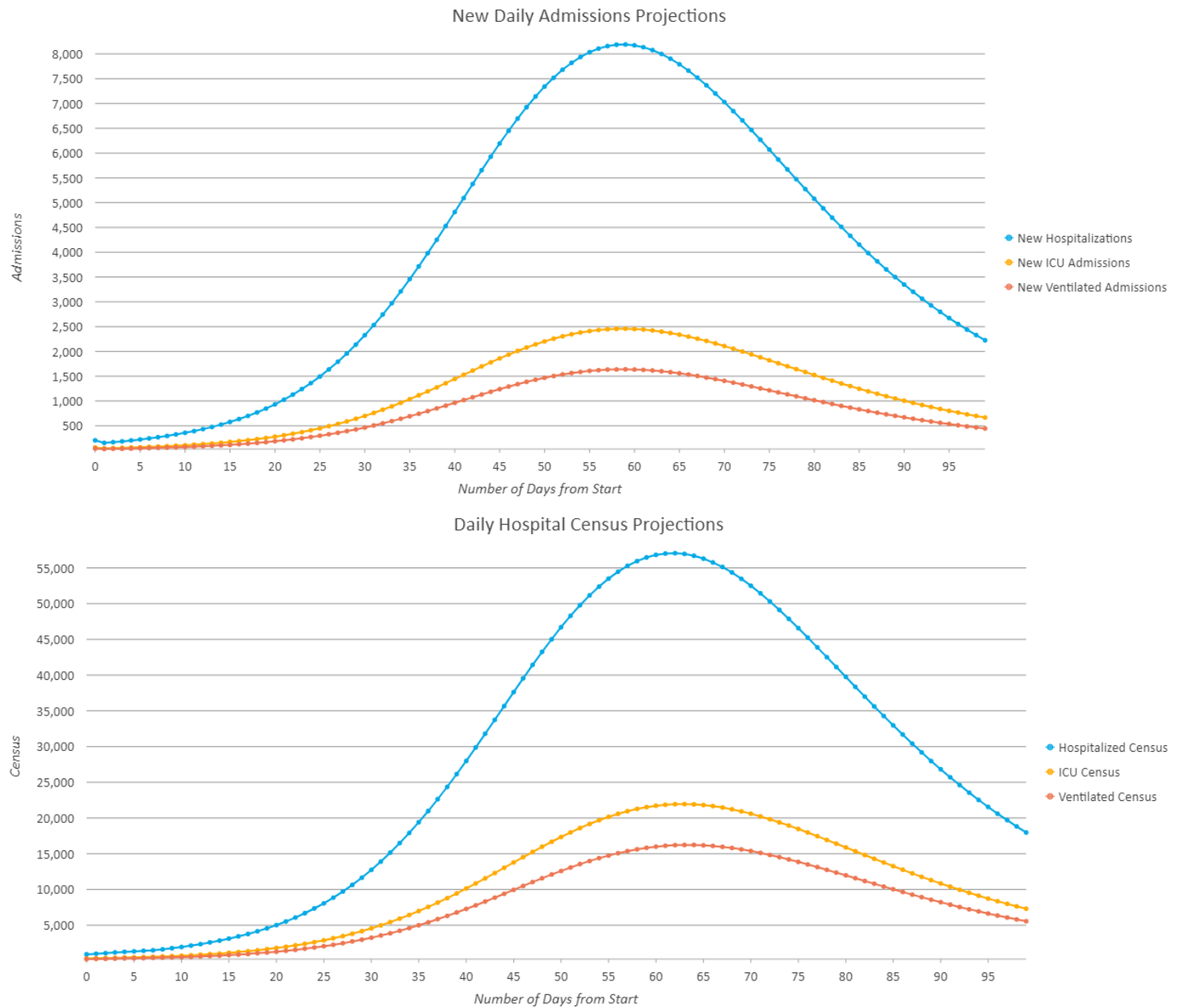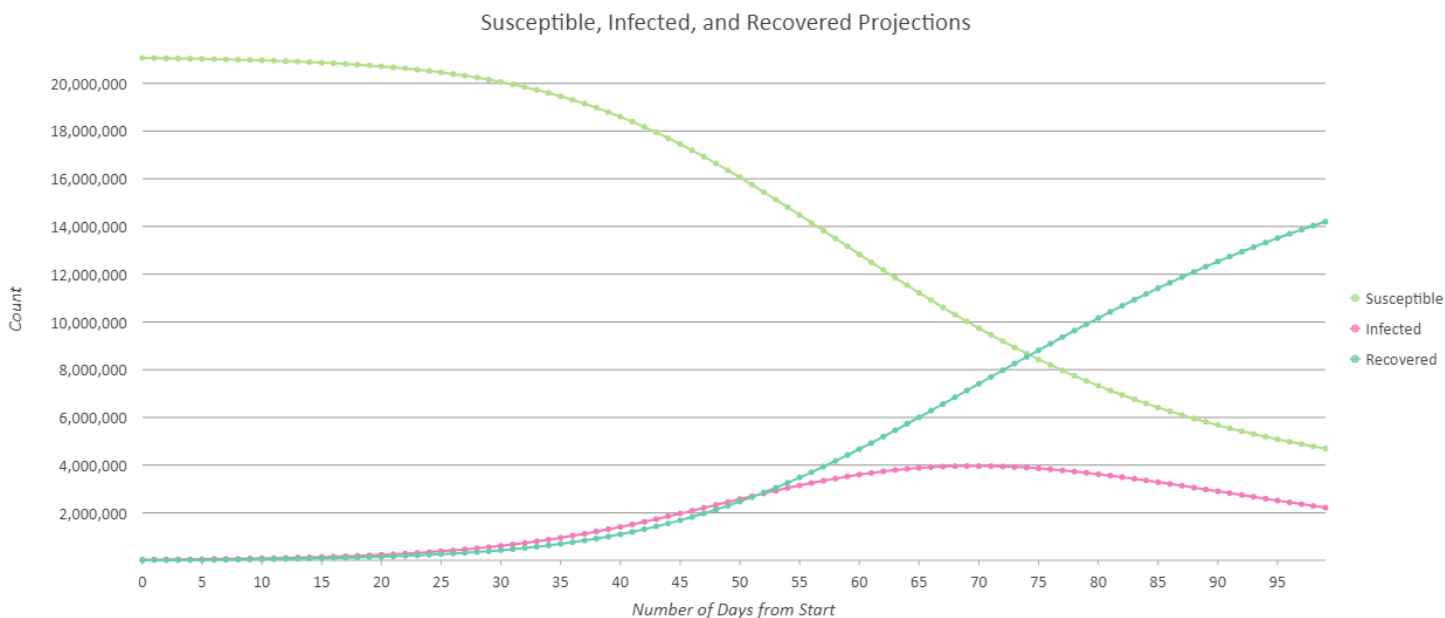
A useful approach to explore and visualize CHIME model projections for individual features in your data is to enable **Filter by Selection** in your chart. Once enabled, you may select features and the corresponding charts will reflect projections for each selected hospital, catchment area, or administrative boundary.

Note: If comparing chart outputs across different models, it is recommended to lock the Y-axis of the charts.

Setting the Daily Forecast Output Feature Class as a Time Enabled Layer

The **Daily Forecast Output Feature Class** can be configured as a time-enabled layer by performing the following steps:

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1. Double-click the output layer in the **Contents** pane to open the **Layer Properties** dialog box.
2. Click the **Time** tab.
3. For **Layer Time**, select **Each feature has a single time field** from the dropdown.
4. Make sure the **Time Field** is pointing to the **date** field.
5. Click **Calculate**.
6. Click **OK**.

Once this is set, the **Map** pane will display a [time slider](#).

Daily Forecast Output Feature Class Fields

Field Alias (Field Name)	Explanation
Day (day)	The incremental day of the forecast.
Date (date)	The date of the forecast.
New Hospitalizations (new_hosp)	Projected new hospitalizations for the forecast day.
New ICU Admissions (new_icu)	Projected new ICU admissions for the forecast day.
New Ventilated Admissions (new_vent)	Projected new patients requiring ventilation for the forecast day.
Hospitalized Census (cen_hosp)	Census of hospitalizations for the forecast day.
ICU Census (cen_icu)	Census of ICU admissions for the forecast day.
Ventilated Census (cen_vent)	Census of patients requiring ventilation for the forecast day.
Susceptible (susceptible)	Projection of total susceptible in the population for the forecast day.
Infected (infected)	Projection of total infected in the population for the forecast day.
Recovered (recovered)	Projection of total recovered in the population for the forecast day.

Summary Feature Class Output Fields

In addition to the **Daily Forecast Output Feature Class**, the tool can also provide a **Summary Output Feature Class** containing a summary of each feature's peak values for the census of inpatient hospitalizations, ICU admissions, and patients requiring ventilation.

If fields for the **Additional Outputs for Visualization** parameters for **Total Bed Capacity**, **Total Ventilator Capacity**, and **Total ICU Bed Capacity** were provided, the tool will also calculate metrics for the maximum difference between projected needs and available resources, including the maximum difference as a total,

as a percent, the day and date in which the highest difference occurred, and the amount of days in which total projected needs exceeded available resources.

Note: If bed, ventilator, and/or ICU capacity is not surpassed by projected needs, a value of 1/1/1900 will be populated as a placeholder for the date fields.

The symbology of this output feature class reflects the peak census of inpatient hospitalizations and the geometry of the output features will match the geometry of its inputs (in a similar fashion to the **Daily Forecast Output Feature Class**.

Summary Output Feature Class Fields

Field Alias (Field Name)	Explanation
Peak Hospitalized Census (pk_hsp)	The highest number in the census of hospitalizations during the forecast.
Peak Day for Hospitalized Census (pk_day_hsp)	The incremental day containing the highest number in the census of hospitalizations during the forecast.
Peak Date for Hospitalized Census (pk_date_hsp)	The date containing the highest number in the census of hospitalizations during the forecast.
Peak ICU Census (pk_icu)	The highest number in the census of ICU admissions during the forecast.
Peak Day for ICU Census (pk_day_icu)	The incremental day containing the highest number in the census of ICU admissions during the forecast.
Peak Date for ICU Census (pk_date_icu)	The date containing the highest number in the census of ICU admissions during the forecast.
Peak Ventilated Census (pk_icu)	The highest number in the census of patients requiring ventilation during the forecast.
Peak Day for Ventilated Census (pk_day_icu)	The day containing the highest number in the census of patients requiring ventilation admissions during the forecast.
Peak Date for Ventilated Census (pk_date_icu)	The date containing the highest number in the census of patients requiring ventilation during the forecast.
Over Capacity Hospitalized Maximum Number (oc_hos_num)	The maximum difference between projected hospitalizations and available hospital beds during the forecast.
Over Capacity Hospitalized Day (oc_hos_day)	The incremental day containing the maximum difference between projected hospitalizations and available hospital beds during the forecast.

Over Capacity Hospitalized Date (oc_hos_dte)	The date containing the maximum difference between projected hospitalizations and available hospital beds during the forecast.
Over Capacity Hospitalized Maximum Percent (oc_hos_pct)	The maximum difference as a percent between projected hospitalizations and available hospital beds during the forecast.
Over Capacity Hospitalized Number of Days (oc_hos_day)	The number of days in which the feature was projected to have more hospitalizations than available beds.
Over Capacity ICU Maximum Number (oc_hos_num)	The maximum difference between projected ICU admissions and available ICUs during the forecast.
Over Capacity ICU Day (oc_hos_day)	The incremental day containing the maximum difference between projected ICU admissions and available ICUs during the forecast.
Over Capacity ICU Date (oc_hos_dte)	The date containing the maximum difference between projected ICU admissions and available ICUs during the forecast.
Over Capacity ICU Maximum Percent (oc_hos_pct)	The maximum difference as a percent between projected ICU admissions and available ICUs during the forecast.
Over Capacity ICU Number of Days (oc_hos_day)	The number of days in which the feature was projected to have more ICU admissions than available ICUs.
Over Capacity Ventilated Maximum Number (oc_hos_num)	The maximum difference between projected patients requiring ventilation and available ventilators during the forecast.
Over Capacity Ventilated Day (oc_hos_day)	The incremental day containing the maximum difference between projected patients requiring ventilation and available ventilators during the forecast.
Over Capacity Ventilated Date (oc_hos_dte)	The date containing the maximum difference between projected patients requiring ventilation and available ventilators during the forecast.
Over Capacity Ventilated Maximum Percent (oc_hos_pct)	The maximum difference as a percent between projected patients requiring ventilation and available ventilators during the forecast.
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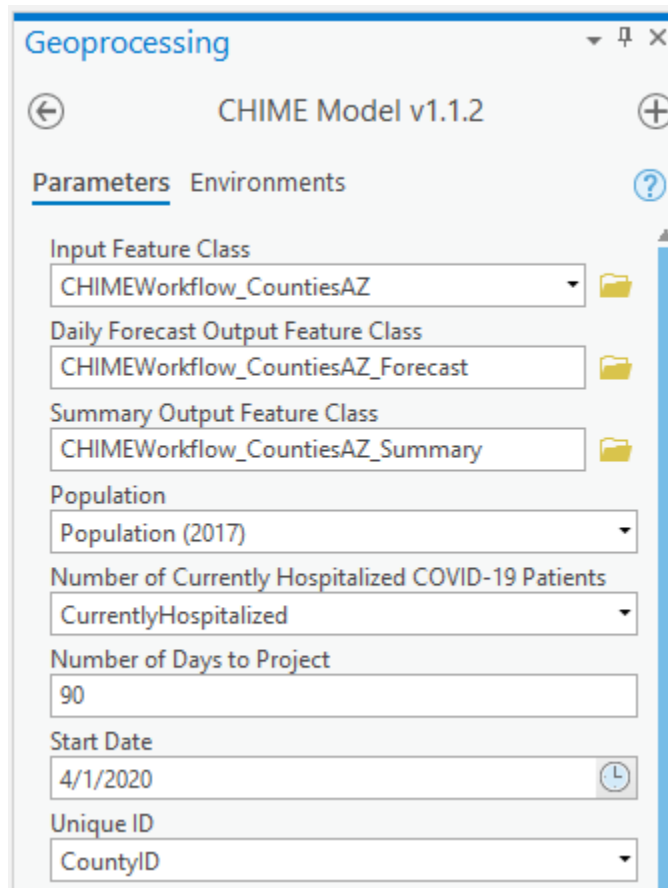
Example Workflow

The following workflow is an example of how to use the tool with county polygon data. Please reference the sample data in the ExampleWorkflows.gdb file geodatabase.

1. Add the data CHIMEWorkflow_CountiesAZ feature class from the ExampleWorkflows.gdb file geodatabase to a map in ArcGIS Pro. The Shape, County Name, State Name, and Population fields were derived from [this layer](#) in the Living Atlas. All other fields in this dataset are artificial data created to demonstrate the functionality of this tool.

    Running CHIME using this tool in ArcGIS Pro allows us to run the model for many locations at once, and to apply different model parameters to each point or polygon (in this case counties), based on different characteristics of each area or location. Look at the attribute table of the Arizona Counties data – you'll notice there are 15 records, one for each county, and that the fields such as DoublingTime and VentilatorLength vary by county.

2. Open the **CHIME Model v.1.1.2** tool. The Installation section of this document above explains the steps to install and open the tool.

3. Populate parameters of the tool as follows.

4. Expand the **Field-Based Model Parameters** section of the tool to populate the parameters as follows:

Note: When applying this tool to your own study area, consult [this article](#) published by Penn Medicine Predictive Healthcare for help estimating the reduction in social contact.

5. Expand the **Constant Model Parameters** section. Note that all the parameters are filled with **Set as Field**. This means that the parameter is being set using the **Field-Based Model Parameters** section. Each parameter is repeated in both sections and can only be defined in one place – the **Field-Based Model Parameters** section takes precedence.

6. Expand the **Additional Outputs for Visualization** section and populate the parameters as follows.

   The **Total Bed Capacity**, **Total Ventilator Capacity** and **Total ICU Bed Capacity** fields are used to calculate over capacity fields in the **Summary Output Feature Class**. The **Additional Output Variable(s)** are appended to the **Summary Output Feature Class**. Useful fields to append may include state or hospital names.

   Note: When applying this tool to your own study area, consider using the Living Atlas USA Hospital Bed data to help understand hospital bed capacity as a resource.

7. Click **Run** in the **Geoprocessing** pane. The tool will create two output feature classes, called CHIMEWorkflow_CountiesAZ_Forecast and CHIMEWorkflow_CountiesAZ_Summary. The layer CHIMEWorkflow_CountiesAZ_Forecast will have three charts – **New Daily Admissions Projections**, **Daily Hospital Census Projections**, and **Susceptible, Infected and Recovered Projections**. The layers should look like the screenshot below.

    The CHIMEWorkflow_CountiesAZ data is shown in this map as black lines, but yours may differ based on your chosen symbology.
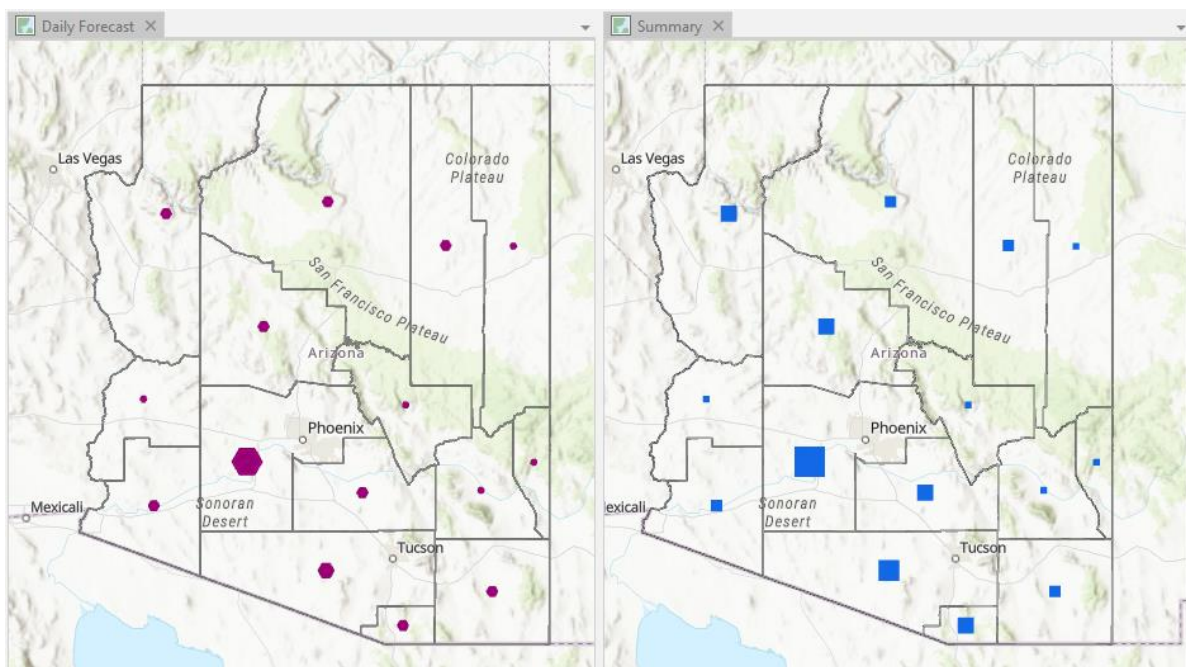
8. Click View Details at the bottom of the Geoprocessing Pane. This opens the Geoprocessing Messages. Scroll down to the Messages section, where you will see a summary of the census and daily hospitalization peaks for all the counties combined.
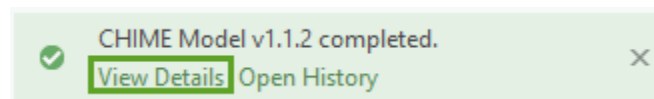
9. Open the attribute table for the layer CHIMEWorkflow_CountiesAZ_Forecast. You'll notice there are 1350 rows – this is the **Number of Days to Project** (90) multiplied by the number of records in the

Input Feature Class (15). This means that for each location on the map, there are 90 coincident polygons - one for each projected day.

10. Right-click the output layer in the **Contents** pane, click **Properties**, then click **Time**. For **Layer Time**, choose **Each feature has a single time field**. Then in the **Time Extent** click **Calculate**. Click **OK** to close the window.
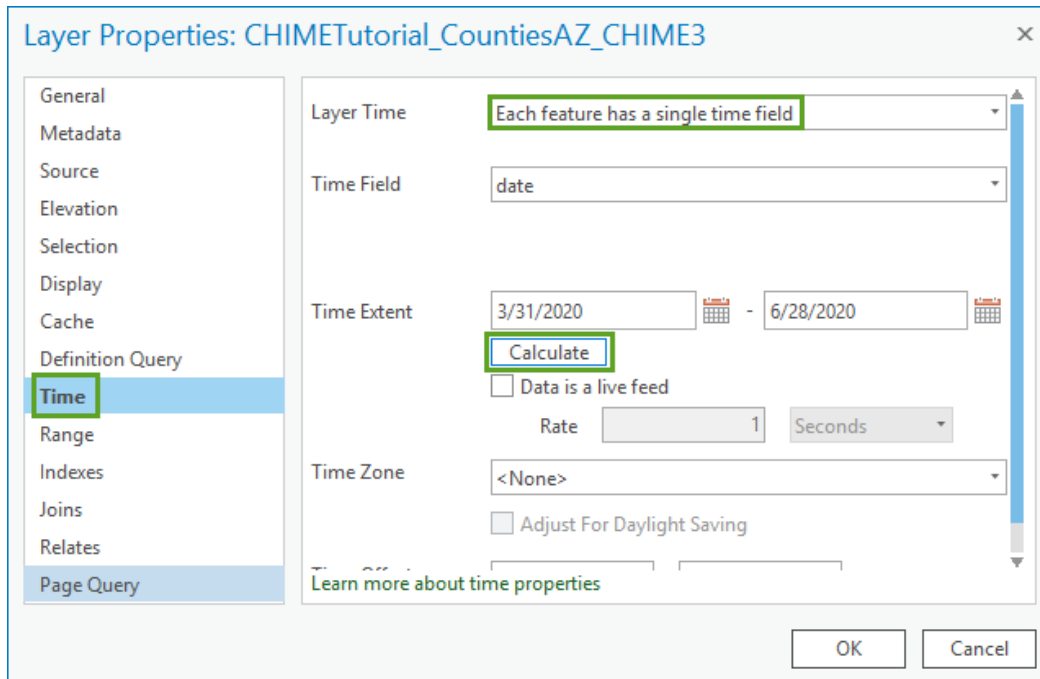
11. The output layer is now time enabled. The time slider should appear on your map. Click play, and the layer will sequence through each day on the map. While this happens, your attribute table will be filtered to only show the records of the current time range.

    You can read more about using time in the ArcGIS Pro documentation on using Temporal data.
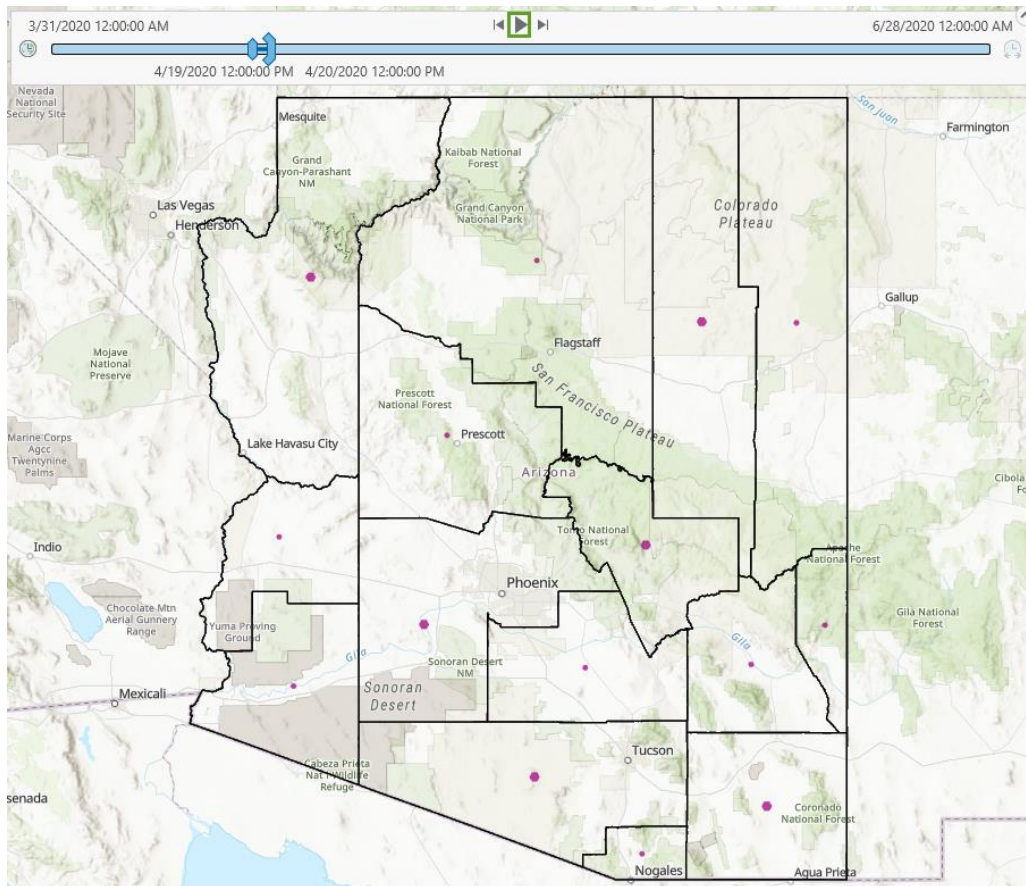
12. Click the **Disable Time** button on the time slider to revert to the full temporal range of the data.
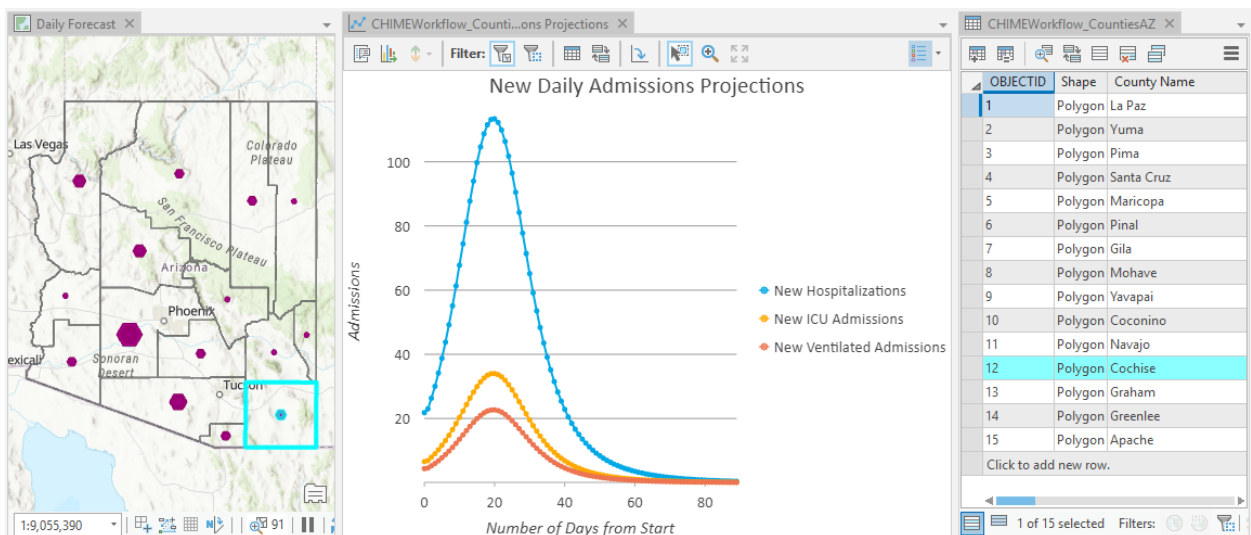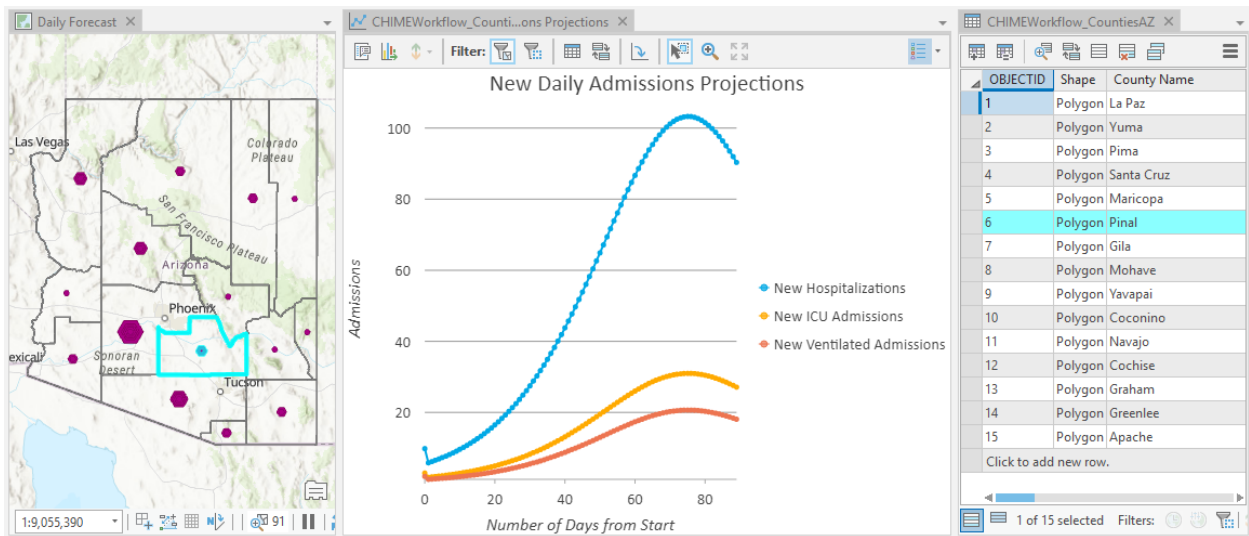

13. Open the chart **New Daily Admissions Projections** created by the tool. This chart shows three series – the number of new patients hospitalized, new patients hospitalized in the ICU, and new patients hospitalized with ventilation on each modeled day.

New Daily Admissions Projections
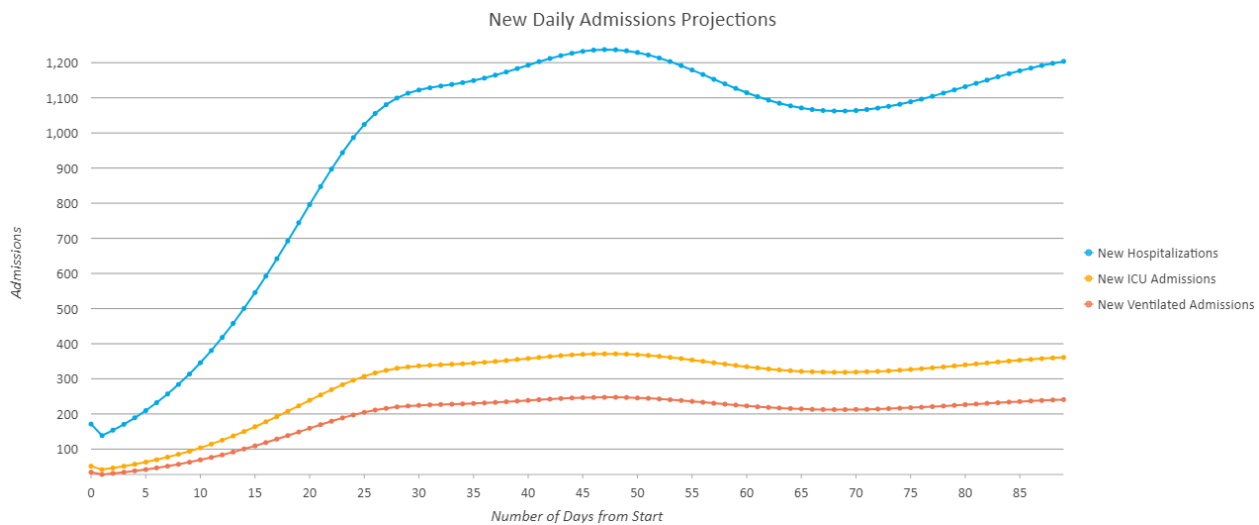
14. The shape of the series in the **New Daily Admissions Projections** chart looks unusual – notice that there appears to be more than one peak in each series. This is because the chart is aggregating the data for all the counties in Arizona. We can view how the chart varies by county by selecting each county on the map.

Click the **Filter by Selection** button at the top of the chart window. The chart will temporarily appear blank. Then use the selection tool to select the coincident polygons in the output feature class for one of the counties on the map. The chart will display only the selected county's values. You can use this method to compare the time series for each county. These charts are shown below for Cochise and Pinal counties. Notice how the peak hospitalization dates differ dramatically between these counties.

15. Open the chart **Daily Hospital Census Projections**. This chart shows three series of a similar shape to the **New Daily Admissions Projections** chart, but for this chart these pertain to the total number of people hospitalized, in ICU, and on ventilation for each day – otherwise known as the hospital census.
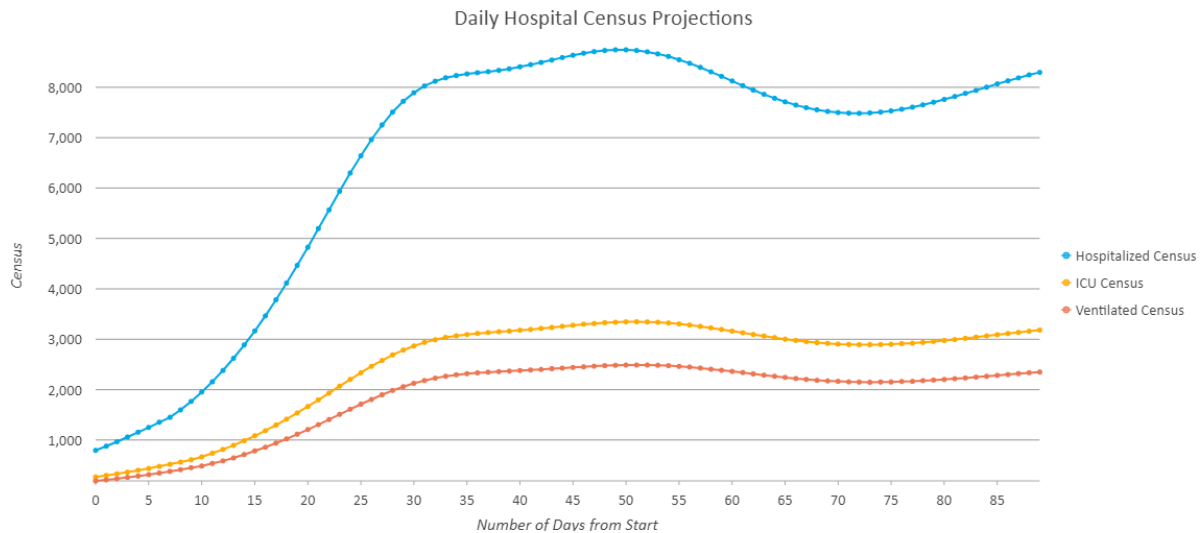
16. Open the chart **Susceptible, Infected and Recovered Projections**. This chart shows the number of susceptible, infected, and recovered individuals in the **Population** for each day.

Susceptible, Infected, and Recovered Projections
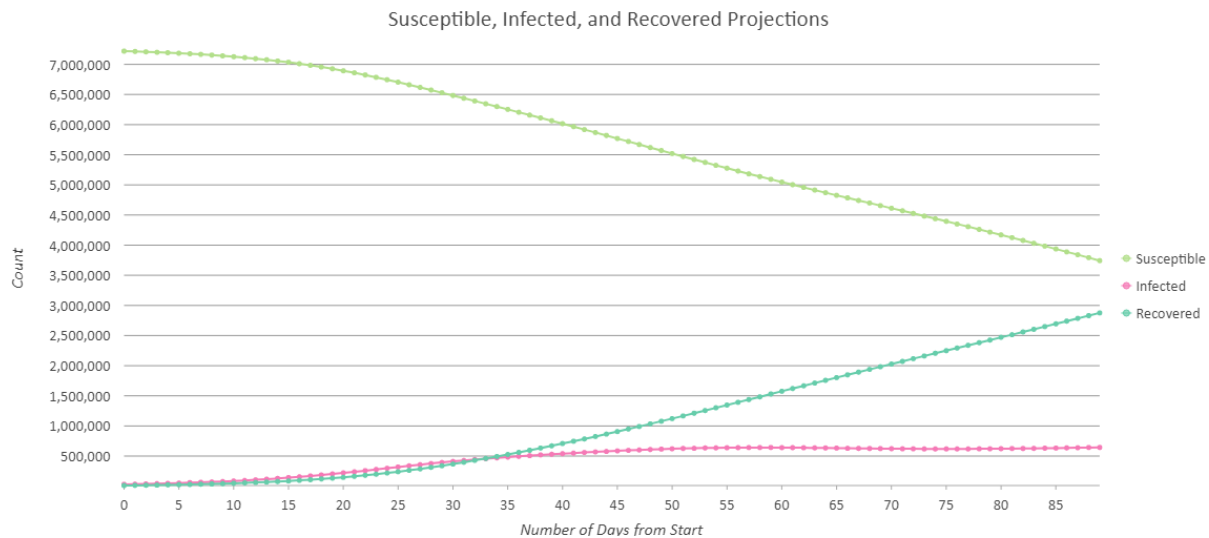
17. Using the same methodology shown in step 14, filter the **Susceptible, Infected, and Recovered Projections** chart by selection to show only Cochise county. You'll see that for this county, the number of susceptible and the number of recovered begin to invert around day 26.
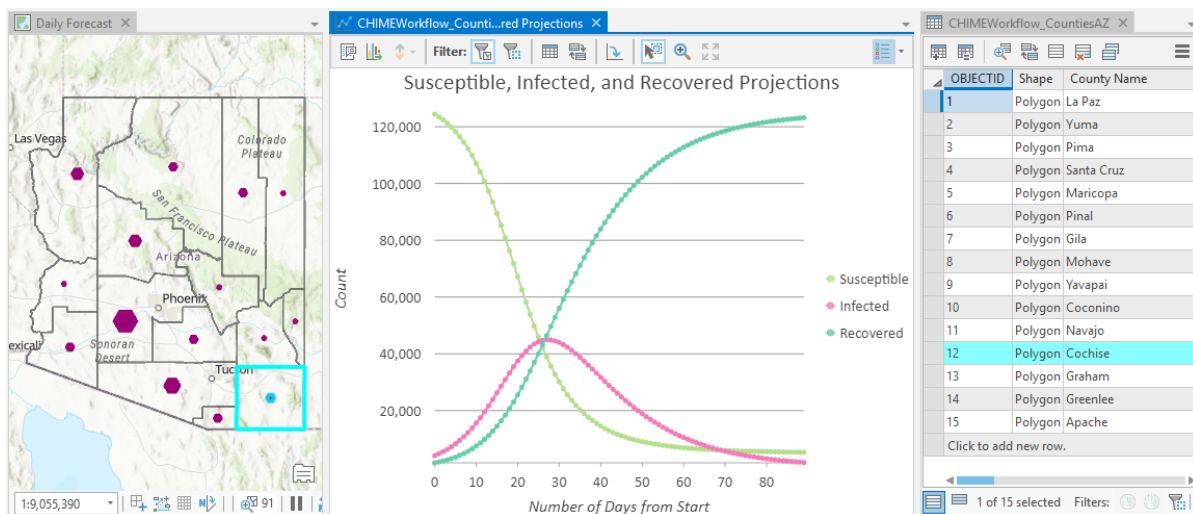
18. Finally, open the attribute table for the layer CHIMEWorkflow_CountiesAZ_Summary. This table helps you understand when the peaks in hospitalization will occur, and when and by how many the hospital beds will be over capacity.

The screenshot below shows Pinal and Cochise county (the same counties from step 14), where you can see that with this fictional data, the peak hospitalization would occur on 6/18/2020 and 4/25/2020, respectively.

NAME	CountyID	Peak Hospitalized Census	Peak Day for Hospitalized Census	Peak Date for Hospitalized Census	Peak ICU Census	Peak Day for ICU Census	Peak Date for ICU Census
Pinal	6	721	78	6/18/2020	278	78	6/18/2020
Cochise	12	982	24	4/25/2020	325	24	4/25/2020

Change Log for Version 2

Changes to the University of Pennsylvania's CHIME model

- Between CHIME v1.1.1 (2020-04-01) and CHIME v1.1.2 (2020-04-01), small differences were made to the model solver. The impacts are minimal when doubling times are close to the default doubling time of 4 days. However, there will be minor changes to new admission, census and susceptible, infected and recovered results. If doubling times are very large (such as multiple weeks), the results may differ significantly in the ArcGIS Pro tool compared to CHIME Model v1.1.1.
- In CHIME v1.1.1, the census results were reported as integers. In CHIME v1.1.2 these are reported as doubles. This means there may be slight variations in the peak day and date for the census in the ArcGIS Pro tool in cases where several sequential days reached the same peak when expressed as integers.

Changes to the ArcGIS Pro CHIME tool

- Updated the tool to the University of Pennsylvania's CHIME v1.1.2 (2020-04-01) model.
- The tool can now accept a variety of date formats and decimal delimiters.
- The tool is now compatible with ArcGIS Pro 2.3 and 2.4. In earlier versions of ArcGIS Pro the tool will fail with an error message explaining this.
- The tool can now be run using ArcPy outside the ArcGIS Pro environment.
- Bug fixes and improved UI validation.
- Enhancements to the geoprocessing messages and popups for the **Summary Output Feature Class**.

Known Issues

- If you are seeing odd results, double check your input tool parameters and ensure they are not equal to or exceeding the **Population** value.
- This tool requires ArcGIS Pro 2.3 or more recent in order to run. ArcGIS Pro 2.5 is recommended for optimal tool performance.

References

- This tool is an implementation of the [CHIME (COVID-19 Hospital Impact Model for Epidemics)](#) App developed by the [Penn Medicine Predictive Healthcare Team](#) along with [Code for Philly](#) and other Partners.
- For questions, comments and support, please visit our [COVID-19 GeoNet community](#).