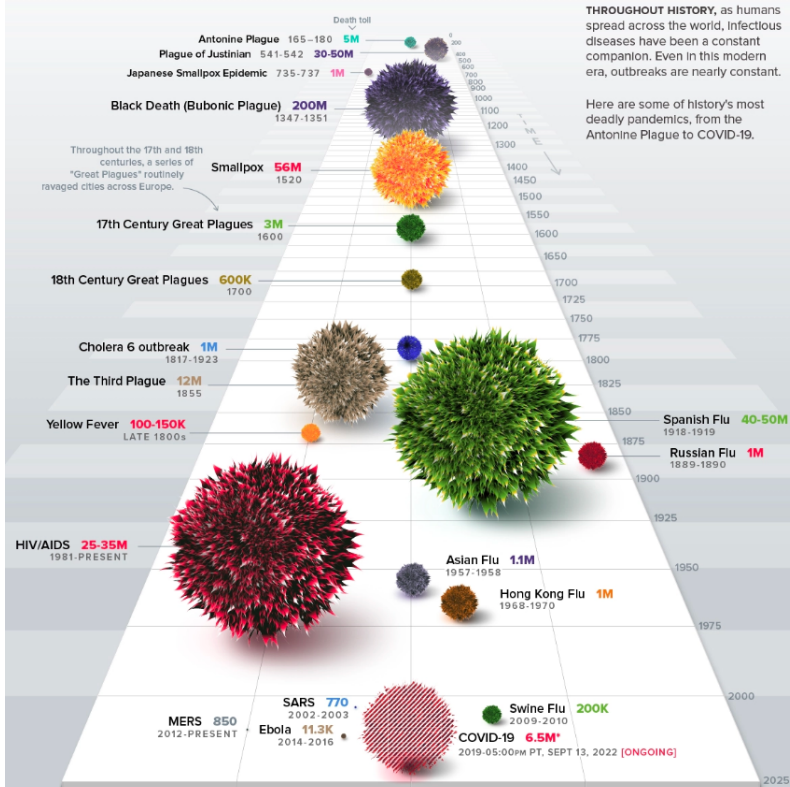
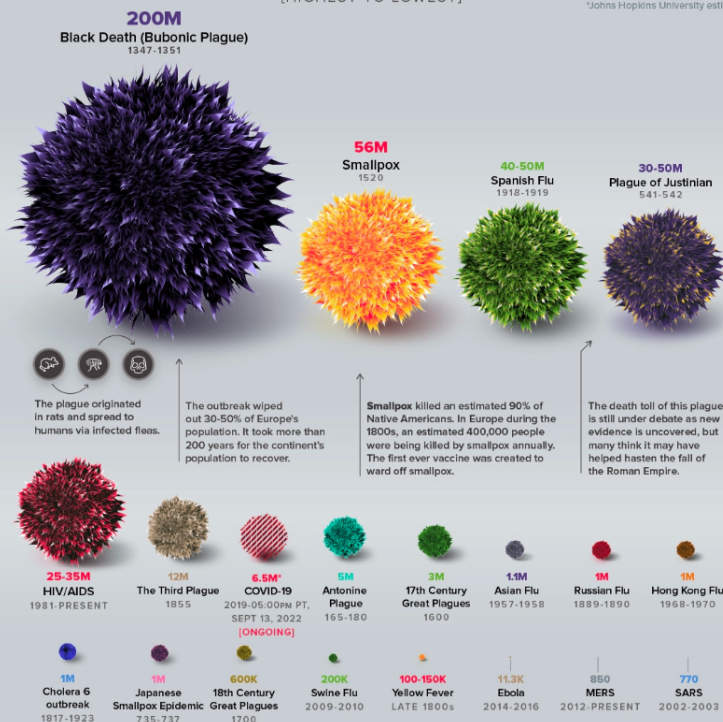


# HISTORY OF PANDEMICS

PAN-DEM-IC (of a disease) prevalent over a whole country or the world.



## DEATH TOLL [HIGHEST TO LOWEST]



\*Johns Hopkins University estimates

Infectious illnesses have dispersed over the planet along with humanity. Although not every epidemic reaches the pandemic level as COVID-19 has, outbreaks nevertheless occur often in the current period (Lepan). In this data visualization, The pandemics depicted in the graphic, which range from the COVID-19 outbreak to the Antonine Plague, are some of the worst in recorded history. The visualization used the data from CDC, WHO, BBC, etc. One thing I found this visualization interesting is that it not only presents the numbers of each pandemic, but also uses the size of its virus to represent the numbers. The bigger the virus on the visualization, the bigger the number it represents, which gives readers/ audience a better understanding of the size differences.

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