

The scatter plot displays the annual number of COVID-19 cases in the United States. The x-axis is labeled 'Year' and ranges from 2000 to 2023. The y-axis is labeled 'Number of cases' and ranges from 0 to 100,000. The data points show a period of low case counts from 2000 to 2019, followed by a rapid increase starting in 2020. The number of cases peaks in early 2022 at approximately 95,000 and then shows a downward trend, ending at around 25,000 cases in 2023.

