Covid-19 rate fell in just one county In October
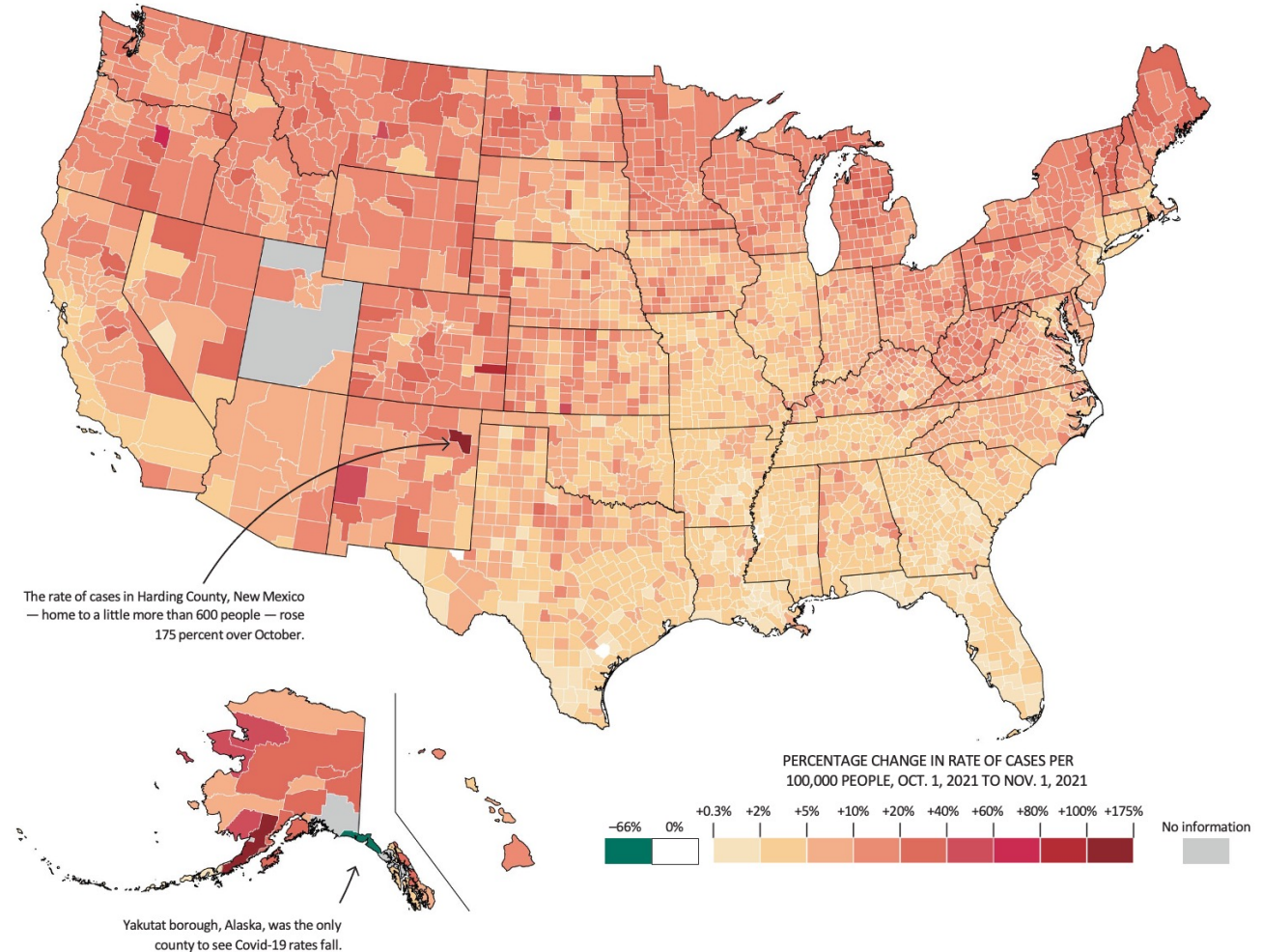
Covid-19 case rates grew in all but a few counties across the U.S. from October to November, a POLITICO analysis of data shows. The data, compiled by Johns Hopkins University, shows Covid-19 case rates per 100,000 people in each county. The rate of cases in Yakutat borough, Alaska (the state is organized into boroughs instead of counties), fell 66% from Oct. 1 to Nov. 1 — though it is only home to about 600 people. Cases in Los Angeles County, the largest county in the country by population, grew 2.3% over the same period, from 14,550 cases to 14,883 cases per 100,000.

The rate of cases in Harding County, New Mexico — home to a little more than 600 people — rose 175 percent over October.

PERCENTAGE CHANGE IN RATE OF CASES PER 100,000 PEOPLE, OCT. 1, 2021 TO NOV. 1, 2021

−66% 0% +0.3% +2% +5% +10% +20% +40% +60% +80% +100% +175%   No information

Yakutat borough, Alaska, was the only county to see Covid-19 rates fall.

Sources: Johns Hopkins University, CDC, U.S. Census Bureau