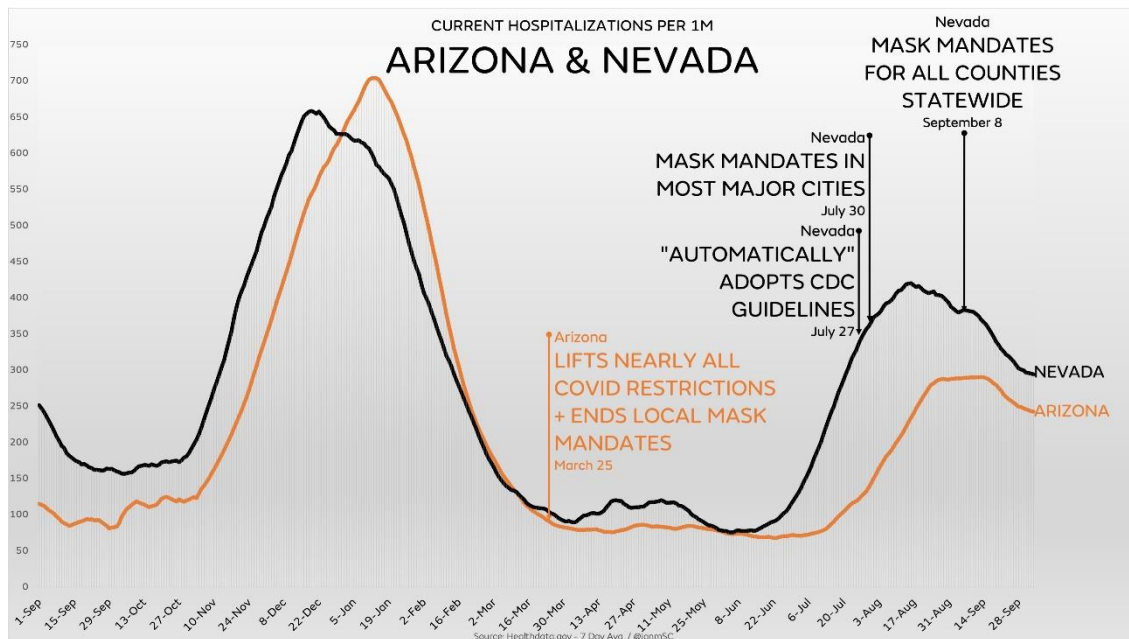


Let's start by checking in with Nevada and Arizona. Nevada brought back its mask mandate on July 27. Neighboring Arizona didn't.

Over two months later, we see the same trajectory in both (what a shock, right?), but with Nevada's numbers worse:



Had these numbers been reversed, you know they would have been blamed on Arizona's relative lack of masks. But as usual, when the numbers come out like this, they're just ignored.