**TO:** All Nemaha County Hospital Team Members

**FROM:** Marty Fattig

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**RE:** Daily COVID-19 Update

Good morning and thanks for reading this update. Today the number of COVID-19 cases in the United States reached more than two million and shows no signs of slowing down. In fact, the rate of growth increased a bit from over 18 thousand new cases yesterday to over 20 thousand new cases today. I think part of this increase is due to states opening up to more activities but I also think it may be due to the protests that are still ongoing.

I noticed yesterday that the number of new cases in Nebraska dropped below the trend line for the first time since May 15th. I didn’t want to point it out yesterday in case it went back up today but the number of new cases today was below the trend line again. If it weren’t for Douglas County, Nebraska would be in pretty good control.

As of 9:00 this morning there were 7,409,132 cases in the world. Yesterday there were 7,264,866 cases. There have been 417,174 deaths. Yesterday there had been 411,879 deaths.

In the United States there are now 2,000,600 positive cases, 112,924 deaths and 21,467,820 people that have been tested. Yesterday there were 1,979,893 cases, 112,006 deaths and 21,048,183 people that had been tested. 380,156 of the US cases are in New York. Yesterday there were 379,482 cases there.

In Nebraska there are now 16,058 cases and there have been 191 deaths. Yesterday there had been 15,918 positive cases and 189 deaths. That makes 140 new confirmed cases identified since yesterday and 81 of the new cases are in Douglas County. 125,162 people have been tested in the state. Yesterday 122,692 people had been tested. We now have had four confirmed cases in Nemaha County, five in Richardson County, six in Johnson County and eleven in Otoe County. These are the numbers of cases in each county as reported by the Southeast District Health Department. 5,245 of the Nebraska cases are in Douglas County. There have now been 1,553 confirmed cases in Hall County, 844 cases in Dawson County and 1,717 cases in Dakota County. There are now 45 cases in Gage County and 1,393 cases in Lancaster County. There have been 1,319 people tested in the Southeast District Health Department area with 26 positive cases.

Thanks for all you do every day! Remember, be kind!