

TO: All Nemaha County Hospital Team Members

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RE: Daily COVID-19 Update

Good morning and thanks for reading this update. The number of new cases of COVID-19 identified in Nebraska continues to decline. There were 120 new cases identified on Saturday and 102 identified yesterday. Even with the decline in cases, the mayor of Lincoln has issued an order requiring masks in all public buildings in the city.

The Southeast District Health Department issued a press release late Friday saying that five more cases have been found in the district. Three of these cases were from Otoe County and two were from Nemaha County. The total number of cases identified in each county in the district is listed below.

New cases continue to rise in many states across the nation at an alarming rate. If you are thinking of traveling out of state be cautious of where you go.

As of 9:00 this morning there were 14,530,563 cases in the world. Yesterday there were 14,313,657 cases. There have been 606,741 deaths. Yesterday there had been 602,777 deaths.

In the United States there are now 3,773,832 positive cases, 140,536 deaths and 45,734,327 people that have been tested. Yesterday there were 3,712,491 cases, 140,120 deaths and 44,965,504 people that had been tested. There were 61,341 new cases diagnosed in the U.S. yesterday. 12,500 of the new cases were discovered in Florida

In Nebraska there are now 22,583 cases and there have been 301 deaths. Yesterday there had been 22,481 positive cases and 301 deaths. That makes 102 new confirmed cases identified since yesterday and 40 of the new cases were in Douglas County. 232,401 people have been tested in the state. Yesterday 231,151 people had been tested. We now have had seven confirmed cases in Nemaha County, one in Pawnee County, ten in Richardson County, eight in Johnson County and thirty-one in Otoe County. These are the numbers of cases in each county as reported by the Southeast District Health Department. 8,610 of the Nebraska cases are in Douglas County. There have now been 1,646 confirmed cases in Hall County, 883 cases in Dawson County and 1,872 cases in Dakota County. There are now 70 cases in Gage County and 2,414 cases in Lancaster County. There have been 57 positive cases and one death in the Southeast District Health Department area.

Source: <https://coronavirus.jhu.edu/map.html>