

**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. The Southeast District Health Department issued a press release on Friday, August 7<sup>th</sup>, announcing that there have been eight more cases of COVID-19 discovered in the district. Four of the cases were in Nemaha County, one was in Otoe County and three were in Richardson County. The total number of cases in each county in the district are listed below.

The Omaha Public Schools announced on Friday that they will be having only virtual classes and that all fall sports have been canceled. It is sounding like the college football season will be canceled very soon. It appears that people are discovering that there is just no way to have these large events and keep people safe.

As of 9:00 this morning there were 19,895,082 cases in the world. Yesterday there were 19,670,853. There have been 731,993 deaths. Yesterday there had been 727,579 deaths.

In the United States there are now 5,045,645 positive cases, 162,950 deaths and 61,792,571 people that have been tested. Yesterday there were 4,998,802 cases, 162,430 deaths and 61,080,587 people that had been tested. There were 46,843 new cases diagnosed in the U.S. yesterday and 520 deaths, which is the lowest number of deaths recorded in some time.

In Nebraska there are now 28,432 cases and there have been 345 deaths. Yesterday there had been 28,245 positive cases and 345 deaths. 187 new confirmed cases have been identified since yesterday and 80 of the new cases were in Douglas County. 299,674 people have been tested in the state. Yesterday 297,538 people had been tested. We now have had twenty-eight confirmed cases in Nemaha County, nine in Pawnee County, twenty-three in Richardson County, thirteen in Johnson County and forty-three in Otoe County. These are the numbers of cases in each county as reported by the Southeast District Health Department. 11,270 of the Nebraska cases are in Douglas County. There have now been 1,741 confirmed cases in Hall County, 959 cases in Dawson County and 1,924 cases in Dakota County. There are now 89 cases in Gage County and 3,292 cases in Lancaster County. There have been 116 positive cases and one death in the Southeast District Health Department area.

Thanks for all you do for us! Be kind to each other!

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