

**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 14<sup>th</sup>, announcing that there have been eleven additional cases of COVID-19 discovered in the district. Four of the cases were in Nemaha County, Five were in Otoe County and two were in Richardson County. The total number of cases in each county in the district are listed below.

Progress is being made on establishing a Test Nebraska collection site here at Nemaha County Hospital. Three other hospitals in Southeast Nebraska will also be Test Nebraska sites and we will be collecting tests on different days giving the residents of this area options of locations to get tested during the week. For a schedule of where testing is being conducted in the area, refer to the Southeast District Health Department web site.

As of 9:00 this morning there were 21,715,048 cases in the world. Yesterday there were 21,481,464. There have been 775,989 deaths. Yesterday there had been 771,532 deaths.

In the United States there are now 5,406,625 positive cases, 170,065 deaths and 67,203,219 people that have been tested. Yesterday there were 5,361,742 cases, 169,489 deaths and 66,420,691 people that had been tested. There were 44,883 new cases diagnosed in the U.S. yesterday and 576 deaths.

In Nebraska there are now 30,372 cases and there have been 361 deaths. Yesterday there had been 30,241 positive cases and 361 deaths. 131 new confirmed cases have been identified since yesterday and 30 of the new cases were in Douglas County. It appears that the mask mandate in Omaha is working as it is in Lincoln. 320,876 people have been tested in the state. Yesterday 317,683 people had been tested. We now have had forty-five confirmed cases in Nemaha County, nine in Pawnee County, twenty-seven in Richardson County, fourteen in Johnson County and fifty-nine in Otoe County. These are the numbers of cases in each county as reported by the Southeast District Health Department. 12,065 of the Nebraska cases are in Douglas County. There have now been 1,770 confirmed cases in Hall County, 977 cases in Dawson County and 1,943 cases in Dakota County. There are now 97 cases in Gage County and 3,446 cases in Lancaster County. There have been 154 positive cases and one death in the Southeast District Health Department area.

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

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