

TO: All Nemaha County Hospital Team Members

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RE: Daily COVID-19 Update

Good morning and thanks for reading this update. As we head into the fall season, it is very important that we do our best to slow the spread of the coronavirus. Fall is the time we experience illnesses caused by other respiratory viruses so not having a rise in COVID-19 cases as well as respiratory diseases caused by other viruses is very important. Also, this is a holiday weekend. Please do what you know is right. Wash your hands, maintain proper social distancing, especially when indoors, and wear a mask. We can have an enjoyable holiday weekend and still do the right thing.

As of 9:00 this morning there were 26,344,473 cases in the world. Yesterday there were 26,065,382. There have been 869,569 deaths. Yesterday there had been 863,826 deaths.

In the United States there are now 6,151,391 positive cases, 186,806 deaths and 80,381,085 people that have been tested. Yesterday there were 6,115,638 cases, 185,756 deaths and 79,646,008 people that had been tested. There were 35,753 new cases diagnosed in the U.S. yesterday and 1,050 deaths.

In Nebraska there are now 35,469 cases and there have been 404 deaths. Yesterday there had been 34,995 positive cases and 399 deaths. 474 new confirmed cases have been identified since yesterday and 112 of the new cases were in Douglas County. 368,965 people have been tested in the state. Yesterday 365,641 people had been tested. We now have had eighty-nine confirmed cases in Nemaha County, twelve in Pawnee County, forty in Richardson County, twenty-five in Johnson County and 122 in Otoe County. These are the numbers of cases in each county as reported by the Southeast District Health Department. 13,783 of the Nebraska cases are in Douglas County. There have now been 1,875 confirmed cases in Hall County, 1,016 cases in Dawson County and 2,033 cases in Dakota County. There are now 139 cases in Gage County and 4,313 cases in Lancaster County.

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