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. Now that the COVID-19 vaccine has been given in this country I am anxiously awaiting the notification that some doses are headed this way. They can't come soon enough for me! Please make sure that you have returned all of the requested information to your department head or Maxcey or both.

The number of cases identified in the state was up again yesterday. Please be careful in all of your interactions with anyone with which you don't live.

As of 9:00 this morning there were 73,725,319 cases in the world. Yesterday there were 73,011,773. There have been 1,639,061 deaths. Yesterday there had been 1,624,819 deaths.

In the United States there are now 16,725,319 positive cases and 303,948 deaths. Yesterday there were 16,522,123 cases and 300,723 deaths. There were 203,196 new cases diagnosed in the U.S. yesterday and 3,225 deaths.

In Nebraska there are now 150,861 cases and there have been 1,438 deaths. Yesterday there had been 149,344 positive cases and 1,418 deaths. 1,517 new confirmed cases have been identified since yesterday and 519 of the new cases were in Douglas County. We now have had 485 confirmed cases in Nemaha County, 140 in Pawnee County, 478 in Richardson County, 401 in Johnson County and 893 in Otoe County. These are the numbers of cases in each county as reported by the Southeast District Health Department. 47,761 of the Nebraska cases are in Douglas County. There have now been 5,359 confirmed cases in Hall County, 2,271 cases in Dawson County and 3,360 cases in Dakota County.   There are now 1,655 cases in Gage County and 20,001 cases in Lancaster County.

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

Source: https://coronavirus.jhu.edu/map.html ; www.sedhd.org