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### **Eleven New COVID-19 Cases in Douglas County**

The Douglas County Health Department received preliminary test results on Monday that confirmed 11 additional cases of COVID-19 in the county. That brings the total number of cases in Douglas County to 159.

These latest cases include five women and six men ranging in age from 37 to 77. Four of them acquired COVID-19 via community spread and two had contact with a known case. Five cases remain under investigation.

There has been a fourth death in Douglas County related to COVID-19. This individual was a woman in her 70s with multiple comorbidities.

The Health Department stresses the need for everyone to practice social distancing, especially in public parks and youth team sports practices. Social distancing remains the most effective way to stop the spread of this disease.

Please be aware of the COVID-19 symptoms, which may include a fever, cough, sore throat, severe fatigue or difficulty breathing. In most cases a person will have more than one of these symptoms. Anyone who has COVID-19 symptoms or develops symptoms should contact their health care provider and tell them how you are feeling and any possible history of exposure. Please call ahead before you go to the doctor's office or an emergency room.

DCHD's information line remains open at (402) 444-3400 to anyone with general questions about COVID-19. The number is answered daily from 8:30 a.m. until 4 p.m. Nebraska DHHS has a COVID-19 information line open from 8 a.m.-8 p.m. daily at (402) 552-6645. Any calls outside those hours are handled by the United Way's 2-1-1 Resource Hotline.

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