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April 3, 2020 – Eighth case of COVID-19 confirmed in Jasper County

The Jasper County Health Department announces their eighth confirmed case of COVID-19 in Jasper County.

To protect the patient's right to privacy, identifying information will not be provided. As part of the regular practice of disease investigation, the Jasper County Health Department will be notifying people who have had contact with the patient. This individual is a person in their 50's who resides in Jasper County. This is not a travel related exposure.

Jasper County Health Department staff are working with the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services to determine any close contacts of this individual who were possibly exposed. If exposed, health officials will provide guidance to these individuals and monitor them closely for the development of symptoms.

For more information, email <u>tmoehr@jaspercountymo.gov</u>, or call (417) 358-3111.

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