



## Curry County Public Health Administrator

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For Immediate Release

On 12/02/2020 Curry County Public Health (CCPH) received notification of seven new cases of COVID-19; all seven cases were reported by Curry Health Network and have been confirmed by Curry County's contracted Health Officer after receiving the lab results.

CCPH is reaching out to the individuals to make sure they are isolating and monitoring symptoms. All cases are South Curry County residents.

CCPH is currently investigating the cases through contact tracing to identify any possible contacts and exposures relevant to the cases and will reach out to anyone suspected of exposure to COVID-19 in these cases.

As of December 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2020, the total verified number of positive cases for Curry County residents since the start of the pandemic is 153, with 2 deaths. Active cases currently for Curry County are 44 after adding the positive cases today.

Please remember, it is important that we all follow the OHA and CDC guidelines and Governor's directives about social distancing, wearing facial coverings in public buildings and protecting yourselves by staying home to slow the spread and save lives. CCPH will continue to keep the public informed with all the information we can in order to keep our citizens safe.

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