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COVID-19 Daily Report Saturday, May 2, 2020

Positive COVID-19 Test Results

We have no positive cases to report today.

Current COVID-19 Case Counts

County	Confirmed Cases	Probable Cases	County Total
Bonneville*	17	10	27
Clark	0	0	0
Custer	2	0	2
Fremont	2	0	2
Jefferson*	4	1	5
Lemhi*	1	0	1
Madison*	7	7	14
Teton*	8	1	9
Totals	41	19	60

*Indicates community transmission of COVID-19.



COVID-19 Q & A of the Day

Question: Are people who are obese more at risk for complications from COVID-19?

Answer: Severe obesity, defined as a body mass index (BMI) of 40 or above, puts people at higher risk for complications from COVID-19. Severe obesity increases the risk of a serious breathing problem called acute respiratory distress syndrome (ARDS), which is a major complication of COVID-19 and can cause difficulties with a doctor's ability to provide respiratory support for seriously ill patients. Also, people living with severe obesity can have multiple serious chronic diseases and underlying health conditions that can increase the risk of severe illness from COVID-19. To calculate your BMI, please click on the following link:
https://www.cdc.gov/healthyweight/assessing/bmi/adult_bmi/english_bmi_calculator/bmi_calculator.html