



Eastern Idaho Public Health

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COVID-19 Daily Report Monday, May 4, 2020

Positive COVID-19 Test Results

Case #42: We are reporting a positive COVID-19 test result for a male in his 30s in Teton County. This individual was not hospitalized and is recovering at home. Community transmission of COVID-19 is identified as the source of exposure.

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	1	3
Jefferson*	4	1	5
Lemhi*	1	0	1
Madison*	7	7	14
Teton*	9	1	10
Totals	42	20	62



*Indicates community transmission of COVID-19.

COVID-19 – Related Health Information

May is Mental Health Awareness Month and this week, May 3-9, is Children's Mental Health Awareness Week. Access the full Idaho Mental Health Month 2020: Moving Mountains Toolkit at <https://www.empoweridaho.org/mental-health-month/>.

COVID-19 Q & A of the Day

Question: What is contact tracing?

Answer: During an infectious disease outbreak, one of the best tools public health experts have is old-school detective work -- finding each sick person and then figuring out who they recently interacted with as those people are now at an increased risk of getting sick simply because of their interaction with the sick person. The technique, called contact tracing, helps get outbreaks of diseases like COVID-19 under control. Contact tracing can keep new cases of the virus from growing into new outbreaks thus keeping the community safe.