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Delta, Colorado, May 1, 2020 – Delta County Daily Update

UPDATED Testing Information: Delta County Health Department is reporting 2 additional cases, bringing our total to 46:

- Female, in her 60's, self-isolating at home
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23 individuals have tested positive; 23 individuals have been in close contact with an individual who tested positive, and have experienced COVID-19 symptoms. Additional information: 22 individuals have recovered, and 1 death has been reported.

To date, 395 tests have been administered in Delta County; 58 tests are pending.

UPDATE from the County:

The Delta County Call Center will close on Friday, May 1, at 5:00p.m. Individuals seeking information can continue to call 970-874-2172 to speak to the Delta County Health Department.

Delta County Board of Commissioners extended their Emergency Declaration to May 31, 2020, which allows them to keep the Emergency Operations Center active, as well as to continue to request reimbursements from the Federal Government.

Colorado Symptom Tracker

The State health department launched a symptom tracker survey as part of statewide COVID-19 tracking. The symptom tracker will appear on the "[Do you have symptoms?](#)" webpage on the COVID-19 website. Data from the tracker will provide local public health agencies with data for their coverage area. This could help public health officials understand when outbreaks are occurring in given locations and, in some cases, follow up with certain individuals who may need additional support. Knowing about potential outbreaks more immediately can help inform decisions to take action at the local level. Delta County Residents are encouraged to call the Delta County Health Department at 970-874-2172 if they need assistance in filling out the symptom tracker; they are available Monday – Friday from 8:00 am – 5:00 pm.

Delta County Business Recovery Center

To help facilitate the reopening process for businesses in Delta County, and to adhere to requirements set out in Governor Polis' "Safer at Home" Executive Order and State Public Health Orders, all businesses that haven't been open must complete and submit the **Checklist for Business/Facility Reopening**. *Approval of this form is not required to open your business.* A copy will be kept on file by the Health Department to demonstrate you are in compliance with CDPHE health requirements.

Guidelines for how you reopen your business can be found at <http://deltacounty.com/694/Business-Guidance>.

Information on Delta County's COVID Business Recovery Support Loan Fund can be found on Delta County's website at: <http://deltacounty.com/DocumentCenter/View/11641/Delta-County-Business-Loan-Fund-Packet>

Mental Health Assistance:

- Center for Mental Health: 970-252-6220 or text "Talk" to 38255
- A KIDZ Clinic: 970-874-2753 or Text: 970-901-0445
- Families Plus: 970-874-0464 or Text: 970-433-6835
- Colorado Crisis Hotline: 844-493-TALK (8255) or Text "Talk" to 38255

Delta County Resources:

- www.deltacounty.com/COVID-19
- deltahospital.org/getpage.php?ame=Novel_Coronavirus_%28COVID-19%29
- <https://covid19.colorado.gov/>
- cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html