AD AIR COUNTY HITS 287 COVID-19 CASES

Kirksville, MO 9/8/2020 – Over the Labor Day weekend, 17 new cases of COVID-19 were confirmed among Adair County residents.

On Saturday, September 5, eight cases were confirmed among females ages 21 and 20, and males ages 21, 25, 30, 19, 20 and 22. Four cases confirmed on September 6 were females ages 25, 16 and 21, and a 30-year-old male. Five cases confirmed on Labor Day was a 21-year-old females and males ages 19, 15, 40 and 49.

Nine of weekend cases involved the higher education sector and one the K-12 Adair County schools sector. One case was related to travel and the rest were the result of community spread. Seven cases involved households with other positive cases. In the seven-day period from September 1 through September 7, a total of 55 positive cases were confirmed.

Today, another three cases of COVID-19 were confirmed which brings the year-to-date total to 287. Today’s cases involve a males ages 65, 22 and 19. Two are in the higher education sector.

Currently, 51 cases are active, 236 have left isolation, and no county residents are hospitalized at Northeast Regional Medical Center. The Adair County Health Department has completed 1,284 contact-tracing calls.

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