

There Are 4 New Cases of COVID-19 2 in Lake Havasu City Area; 1 in Kingman; 1 in Bullhead City Total Reaches 100

MOHAVE COUNTY, AZ (April 27, 2020) The Mohave County Health Department (MCDPH) Nursing staff was notified of four positive COVID cases in Mohave County. The contact investigations have been initiated with each case.

The first case is an individual in the Lake Havasu City service area, in the 55-64 age range, who is hospitalized. The person is not a travel-related case or epidemiologically linked to another confirmed case. The second case is in the Kingman service area, in the 20-44 year age range, is in isolation and recovering at home and is epi-linked to another case. Case three of the four is in the Bullhead City service area, is in the 55-64 year age range, is in isolation, recovering at home and is epi-linked to another case. The final case, the 100th confirmed positive, is a person in the Lake Havasu City service area, 65 +, is in isolation and recovering at home, and is epi-linked to another case.

The county total now 100, includes 4 deaths.

There are now 29 positive confirmed cases in the Lake Havasu City area, including three deaths, 60 in Kingman, with one death and 11 in Bullhead City

Please keep in mind that the best ways to prevent the spread of COVID-19 are:

To keep your Social Distancing – At least 6 Feet apart! Stay at home if at all possible.

- o Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds. If soap and water are not available, use an alcohol-based hand sanitizer.
- o Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth with unwashed hands.
- o Avoid close contact with people who are sick.
- o Stay home when you are sick, or if you are a not an essential employee.
- o Cover your cough or sneeze with a tissue, then immediately throw the tissue in the trash.
- o Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces.

COVID-19 spreads through the air when an infected person coughs or sneezes. Symptoms are thought to appear within two to 14 days after exposure and consist of fever, cough, runny nose,

and difficulty breathing. For people with mild illness, individuals are asked to stay home, drink plenty of fluids, and get rest. For people with more severe symptoms, such as shortness of breath, individuals are advised to seek healthcare, using telemedicine where available. For more information about the COVID-19 response in Arizona, go online to: https://azdhs.gov/

For more detailed information about COVID-19 in Mohave County, please visit https://covid-19-mohave.hub.arcgis.com/.