



**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE – 07/01/2020**

**Laclede County Health Department Announces  
Three New Laboratory Confirmed Positive COVID-19 Case(s)  
Case #32, #33, #34**

LACLEDE COUNTY, MO – The Laclede County Health Department has received notification of three (3) additional positive laboratory confirmed case(s) of COVID-19 in Laclede County. Our total is now thirty-three (33) cases to date; thirteen (13) currently being monitored, and twenty (20) considered recovered. **A case previously reported (Case #26) has now been identified as a resident of another county, and monitoring has been transferred to that county.** Our agency will not be releasing personal information, to protect the individuals' identity. Recommended testing of identified close contacts and quarantine/isolation steps have been taken to reduce community spread, as well as daily monitoring of all active cases.

Through case investigation(s), locations of possible exposure during infectious period are as follows:

- Case #32 – Unknown positive exposure.
  - June 23<sup>rd</sup> (Approximately 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM) – Walmart / Lebanon
  - June 24<sup>th</sup> (Approximately 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM) – Walmart / Lebanon
  - June 25<sup>th</sup> (Approximately 10:00-10:15 AM) – Martin's 1-STOP (306 N. Jefferson Avenue) / Lebanon
  - June 25<sup>th</sup> (Approximately 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM) – Walmart / Lebanon
  - June 26<sup>th</sup> (Afternoon Timeframe) – Dollar General (449 E. MO-32) / Lebanon
  - June 26<sup>th</sup> (Approximately 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM) – Walmart / Lebanon
  - June 27<sup>th</sup> (Morning Timeframe) – Conoco Convenience Store / Camdenton
  - June 27<sup>th</sup> (Approximately 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM) – Walmart / Lebanon
  - June 27<sup>th</sup> (Afternoon Timeframe) – ALDI / Lebanon
  - June 28<sup>th</sup> (Approximately 9:00 – 11:45 AM) – Lebanon First Assembly / Lebanon
  - June 28<sup>th</sup> (Approximately 12:00 – 12:30 PM) – Walmart / Lebanon
  - June 29<sup>th</sup> (Approximately 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM) – Walmart / Lebanon
  - June 29<sup>th</sup> (Afternoon Timeframe) – Dollar Tree / Lebanon
  - June 30<sup>th</sup> (Approximately 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM) – Walmart / Lebanon
  - June 30<sup>th</sup> (Approximately 12:00 – 2:00 PM) – Dollar Tree / Lebanon
  - June 30<sup>th</sup> (Approximately 12:00 – 2:00 PM) – Dollar General (1511 W. Elm Street) / Lebanon
  - July 1<sup>st</sup> (Morning Timeframe) – Laclede County Record / Lebanon
    - Symptomatic / Not Wearing Mask

- Case #33 – Household contact to previously reported case.
  - No public exposure. Individual is/was quarantined at home during infectious timeframe.
    - Not Symptomatic
  
- Case #34– Exposure at Camp Niangua (Youth Camp)
  - June 22<sup>nd</sup>-26<sup>th</sup> – Camp Niangua / Niangua
  - June 26<sup>th</sup> (Approximately 11:30 AM – 12:30 PM) – Denny’s / Lebanon
  - June 28<sup>th</sup> (Approximately 11:45 AM – 12:45 PM) – Walmart / Lebanon
    - Infectious / Not symptomatic / Not Wearing Mask

Employees/customers/attendees who may have been possibly exposed during these dates/timeframes should monitor for COVID-19 symptoms for 14 days from the date of exposure. Symptoms of COVID-19 illness may include: fever, cough, shortness of breath/difficulty breathing, chills, muscle pain, headache, sore throat, new loss of taste or smell. Anyone with concerns about this possible exposure, or anyone with symptoms are advised to contact their healthcare provider for further directions.

Protection for yourself and others include: proper/frequent handwashing, cleaning frequently used surfaces, staying at home when you are sick, avoiding contact with people who are sick, coughing/sneezing into tissues, wearing a mask when in public, not gathering in large groups, and maintaining a six (6) foot distance between yourself and another person.