



# North Central District Health Department

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**North Central District Health Department regrettably announces first death in Shelby County due to complications from the Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19). Two additional cases in Shelby County and one case in Spencer County.**

Shelby County, KY – Shelby has had its first COVID-19 related death in an elderly female with underlying medical conditions, our hearts and prayers go out to the family and friends.

Two patients from Shelby County have tested positive for the COVID-19 virus; both adult females are currently in self-isolation at home. Another adult female in Spencer County has also been lab confirmed positive for the virus.

“With steadily increasing number of cases and the beautiful weather forecasted for this weekend, it is imperative that everyone participate in social distancing and stay home if you can. If we do not, the number of cases will only continue to grow.”, said Roanya Rice, Public Health Director of NCDHD

#### **District Cases by County:**

- Henry – 1
- Shelby – 12
- Spencer – 3
- Trimble – 0

\*Numbers are reported by zip code which may cause some number movement between counties.

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