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MONROE COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

Monroe County Health Department Latest Update on COVID-19 Response

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Update on (COVID-19 Cases) in Monroe County:

- The number of confirmed positive cases of COVID-19 in Monroe County is currently twenty-four (24);

Other Testing Updates:

- In the State of Michigan, there are 2,856 positive cases of COVID-19. Data on the number of positive cases by County in the State of Michigan can be found at: www.michigan.gov/coronavirus

“Today’s message continues to stress the importance of social distancing to slow the spread of COVID-19. We all need to do our part to mitigate transmission of COVID-19 virus. Travel should be for essential services only, such as grocery shopping, filling prescription medications or other activity necessary for sustaining life. Otherwise, stay home, stay safe, stop the spread,” said Ms. Kim Comerzan, Health Officer at the Monroe County Health Department.

Hotlines for Information:

Monroe County Hotline Number: 734-243-8600

8:30 A.M. through 4:30 P.M. Monday through Friday

Public Health Public Professionals are staffing the County Hotline. Call volumes are high so please be patient as these calls are answered to provide the best guidance to our citizens.

Michigan Department of Health and Human Services hotline number: 1-888-535-6136

8:00 A.M. through 5:00 P. M., Daily