

Press Release

Purchase District Health Department

November 14-15, 2020

Purchase District Health Department Confirms Additional cases of Coronavirus (COVID-19)

The Purchase District Health Department has received notification of the cases listed below:

COUNTY	AGE	SEX
Ballard	46	М
Ballard	28	F
Ballard	51	F
Ballard	72	М
Ballard	33	F
Carlisle	40	F
Carlisle	40	F
Carlisle	26	F
Carlisle	31	М
Carlisle	23	М
Carlisle	38	М
Carlisle	29	F
Carlisle	40	М
Carlisle	10	М
Fulton	22	М
Hickman	27	М
Hickman	53	F
McCracken	7 months	F
McCracken	25	F
McCracken	84	F
McCracken	87	F
McCracken	43	F
McCracken	62	F
McCracken	44	М
McCracken	70	М

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McCracken	30	М
McCracken	61	F
McCracken	43	F
McCracken	56	F
McCracken	39	F
McCracken	60	М
McCracken	51	М
McCracken	62	М
McCracken	46	М
McCracken	67	F
McCracken	44	F
McCracken	63	М
McCracken	35	F
McCracken	62	F
McCracken	56	М
McCracken	55	F
McCracken	57	F
McCracken	42	F
McCracken	26	F
McCracken	38	М
McCracken	47	М
McCracken	40	F
McCracken	76	F
McCracken	81	F
McCracken	80	F
McCracken	87	F
McCracken	95	М
McCracken	48	М
McCracken	45	М
McCracken	43	М
McCracken	46	М
McCracken	49	F
McCracken	29	М
McCracken	30	F
McCracken	51	F
McCracken	65	М
McCracken	49	F
McCracken	35	М

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McCracken 71 F	
McCracken 17 F	
McCracken 46 F	
McCracken 7 F	
McCracken 4 F	
Ballard 13 F	
Ballard 21 M	
Ballard 43 M	
Ballard 54 M	
Carlisle 15 M	
Carlisle 76 M	
Carlisle 15 M	
Carlisle 37 F	
Carlisle 67 M	
Carisle 61 F	
Carlisle 62 M	
Fulton 2 F	
Hickman 14 M	
McCracken 11 M	
McCracken 7 F	
McCracken 17 F	
McCracken 24 F	
McCracken 30 F	
McCracken 70 M	
McCracken 17 M	
McCracken 6 F	_
McCracken 16 M	
McCracken 17 F	
McCracken 30 F	
McCracken 91 M	
McCracken 57 F	

McCracken	50	М
McCracken	34	F
McCracken	92	М
McCracken	46	М
McCracken	65	М
McCracken	40	М
McCracken	32	F
McCracken	28	F
McCracken	20	М
McCracken	30	F
McCracken	32	М
McCracken	45	М
McCracken	28	М
McCracken	24	М
McCracken	43	F
McCracken	63	F
McCracken	63	М
McCracken	45	F
McCracken	28	F
McCracken	67	F
McCracken	47	F
McCracken	42	F
McCracken	19	F
McCracken	55	М
McCracken	62	М
McCracken	38	М
McCracken	33	F
McCracken	65	М
McCracken	61	F
McCracken	60	М
McCracken	36	F
McCracken	41	F
McCracken	42	F
McCracken	36	F
McCracken	60	F
McCracken	46	F
McCracken	31	М
McCracken	35	F

McCracken	24	М
McCracken	70	М
McCracken	40	М
McCracken	32	F
McCracken	58	М
McCracken	65	М
McCracken	63	М
McCracken	32	F
McCracken	63	М
McCracken	24	М
McCracken	18	М
McCracken	49	F
McCracken	26	М
McCracken	50	F

Additional details about these individuals cannot be provided because of medical privacy laws.

The Purchase District Health Department understands that accurate and up to date COVID-19 data is critical. Both individuals and organizations utilize this data to make the most informed decisions to keep people safer through this pandemic. Data that the Purchase District Health Department publishes in the press release is provisional data that hasn't yet gone through rigorous investigation and is subject to change. Due to this, not every aspect of the data will be precise, and the Purchase District Health Department doesn't expect it to be. Therefore, corrections are written on the press release in order to provide comprehensive and transparent data. The Purchase District Health Department wants the data as accurate as possible. The Purchase District Health Department is constantly working with positive cases, contact tracers, EMS, labs, and testing facilities to ensure that the public receives the most recent data available, even if that includes changes.

	Ballard	Carlisle	Fulton	Hickman	McCracken
TOTAL	199	167	246	152	1912
ACTIVE	54	46	16	33	691
HOSPITALIZED	3	0	0	1	28
DECEASED	1	1	8	3	19

While the risk to the general public is low, we are working with the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) and the Kentucky Department for Public Health (KDPH) to identify and contact all

those who may have been exposed. Close contacts will be asked to quarantine and be monitored for signs and symptoms of COVID-19.

The Purchase District Health Department offers these tips:

• Wash your hands often with soap and water, especially after going to the bathroom; before eating; and after blowing your nose, coughing, or sneezing.

- Avoid close contact with people who are sick.
- Avoid touching your eyes, nose and mouth.
- Stay home when you are sick.
- Cover your cough or sneeze with a tissue, then throw the tissue in the trash.

• Clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces using a regular household cleaning spray or wipe.



The Purchase District Health Department is working with best interests of our community with reference to statewide guidance and in consultation with KDPH to promote an efficient, standardized, sustainable system supporting all Kentuckians. By rapidly identifying and isolating new COVID-19 cases, the PDHD maintains a high-yield public health intervention to mitigate unrestrained spread of disease. All new COVID-19 cases will be provided written and/or verbal education related to exposure criteria and they will be asked to notify all family, friends, coworkers, and any others who may meet exposure criteria to self-quarantine for 14 days.

This virus can be spread by respiratory droplets. Symptoms of COVID-19 may include fever, cough, loss of taste, or shortness of breath. Individuals who are experiencing symptoms should first contact their primary care medical provider.



If you are worried or concerned, but otherwise healthy, please see <u>kycovid19.ky.gov</u> for additional information or call the Ky Covid-19 hotline at 1-800-722-5725. Call your medical provider if you develop signs or symptoms of COVID-19. Call the Purchase District Health Department at 270-444-9631 or visit our website <u>www.purchasehealth.org</u> for more information.



Upcoming ECT COVID Testing Schedule

Please visit <u>www.purchasehealth.org</u> for registration.

Monday - Thursday, Nov. 16-19, 2020

 $9{:}00-3{:}00$ McCracken County Health Department

916 Kentucky Avenue, Paducah, KY

Friday, November 20, 2020

9:00 - 1:30 McCracken County Health Department

916 Kentucky Avenue, Paducah, KY

Monday – Tuesday, November 23-24, 2020 9:00 – 3:00 McCracken County Health Department 916 Kentucky Avenue, Paducah, KY

Wednesday, November 25, 2020 9:00-12:00 McCracken County Health Department 916 Kentucky Avenue, Paducah, KY

Thursday-Friday, November 26-27, 2020 Happy Thanksgiving

Monday-Tuesday, Nov.30-Dec. 1, 2020 9:30-2:00 Hickman County Health Clinic 370 South Washington St., Clinton, KY

Wednesday, December 2, 2020 9:30-2:00 Fulton County Health Clinic 350 Browder St., Fulton KY

Thursday, December 3, 2020 9:30-2:00 Fulton County Health Clinic 402 Troy Avenue, Hickman, KY

Friday, December 4, 2020 9:00-1:30 McCracken County Health Department 916 Kentucky Avenue, Paducah, KY

Monday – Tuesday, December 7-8, 2020 9:30-2:00 Ballard County Health Clinic 198 Bluegrass Dr., LaCenter, KY Wednesday- Thursday, December 9-10, 2020 9:30-2:00 Bardwell Baptist Church 323 Highway 51 North, Bardwell, KY