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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: New Covid-19 Cases

(Macon County, MO) Macon County Health Department announces 2 new positive COVID-19 cases. Macon County's total is now 45 cases with 13 active cases of which 3 are hospitalized.

Macon County is a host to several events this summer that will bring in people from out of county and perhaps out of state. It is vital to inform people not to attend if not feeling well. Event organizers should manage social distancing as best as possible; have hand hygiene available; and, encourage event staff and visitors to wear masks. If you plan to attend a summer event, practice social distancing and wear a face mask for your protection as well as others.

Taking precautions now is especially important with schools planning to open in August. Minimal active cases and minimal community spread will better support successful and safe school openings.

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