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(Macon County, MO) – The Macon County Health Department announces six new cases of COVID-19 in the county. Two are female under 20, one is male 20-29, one is female 40-49 and two are male 50-59. Three cases are community spread and three cases were contracted out of the county. These are cases confirmed since Friday’s press release with contact investigations conducted throughout the weekend.

At the time of this press release, the following reflects cases of COVID-19 in the county:

- 104 positive cases
- 11 active positive cases
- 1 hospitalized (included in the active positive case count)
- 93 released from isolation

The state of Missouri added 1,042 cases of COVID-19 in the last 24 hours, which brings the state to 84,697 cases.

Help keep our community healthy by taking preventative actions to contain and stop the spread of COVID-19 in Macon County. Continue to practice social distancing, keeping 6 feet between those not in your household. Continue to wear a mask that covers the mouth and nose, especially when social distancing is not available. Always practice good hand hygiene, washing hands frequently and using hand sanitizer when soap and water are not available.

For more information about COVID-19 in Macon County, visit our website at maconmohealth.org.

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