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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: COVID-19 Update.

(Macon County, MO) – The Macon County Health Department announces one new case of COVID-19 in the county. Visit our website for a more detailed information about COVID-19 in our county at maconmohealth.org

Following is a summary of cases in Macon County at the time of this press release –

- 58 positive cases
- 7 active positive cases
- 1 active hospitalized (included in the active positive case count)
- 51 released from isolation

The Macon County Health Department follows CDC guidelines for releasing an individual from isolation. A person who is positive with COVID-19 must meet three criteria in order to be released from isolation: be fever free without fever reducing medication for 24 hours, been at least 10 days since isolation began and symptoms have been improved. Individuals are released by the health department when all three criteria have been met.

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