

Brady/McCulloch County Local Emergency Planning Committee

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On April 9, 2020, McCulloch County LEPC received confirmation of a second positive result for a case of the COVID-19 virus (2019-nCoV, previously known as novel coronavirus) in McCulloch County.

Patient 2: Teenage female, exposure to known patient

Patient 1: Man in his 40's, no known exposure or travel

At this time no additional information is available regarding the patients.

The McCulloch County LEPC would like to stress the importance of social distancing and minimizing any activities or work not deemed essential by Governor Abbott to prevent any further spread of COVID-19 within the community. LEPC would like to advise individuals against leaving their homes unless absolutely necessary. Please do not have large gatherings with individuals that live outside of your home, even with Easter occurring this weekend. Make sure that only one individual from inside the home is traveling to essential stores when at all possible. It is recommended that individuals wear masks when available when traveling outside their homes.

If you are experiencing symptoms of COVID-19, such as fever, cough, and difficulty breathing, please contact your medical provider to see if you need to be tested.

The City of Brady, McCulloch County, Heart of Texas Healthcare System, Texas Department of State and Health Services, and the Center for Disease Control and Prevention are closely working together to provide the community with the best health practices.

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