

## Lassen COVID-19: Incident Command



## Press Release FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

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SUBJECT: Lassen County Reports 3 Non-Residents Test Positive for COVID-19

The Lassen County Public Health Department is reporting that they have identified an individual that had previously tested positive in their home County, has traveled to Lassen County to visit family. This person traveled with family members. This family was immediately placed on quarantine and tested locally. 3 members of the family have tested positive.

All family members and contacts are quarantined at this time. They are not residents of Lassen County, and even though they have been tested here their cases will not count towards Lassen County's case numbers when reporting to the State.

Lassen County Public Health's main focus is the safety of our community. While we are being extra cautious, every person has a role to play. It is critical that every person follow the Public Health Officer's guidance

- Avoid other groups
- Enjoy activities individually or in small household groups.
- Exercise and recreate close to home
- Minimize contact with others
- Use good personal protective measures
- Wash your hands and use hand sanitizer often
- Maintain physical distancing of 6 feet
- Cover mouths with an elbow or tissue when you cough or sneeze.

For additional information and updates, please visit our website at www.lassencares.org and the LassenCares Facebook page. If you have any questions regarding COVID-19, please call the Lassen County COVID-19 call center at (530) 251-8100 Monday through Friday 8:00 a.m. to 5:00 p.m.