

Today's COVID-19 update (March 25, 2020 @ 3:40 pm)

AT THE TIME OF THIS POSTING DAVIESS COUNTY HAS NO PRESUMPTIVE OR CONFIRMED POSITIVE CASES OF COVID-19.

All non-essential businesses are closed at the direction of Governor Holcomb's Executive Order 20-08.

All non-essential activities are cancelled at the direction of Governor Holcomb's Executive Order 20-08.

All public and private gatherings are prohibited (unless directly exempted by the Order) at the direction of Governor Holcomb's Executive Order 20-08.

The Daviess County Health Department directs all businesses as follows:

We direct all local businesses to the recommendations in Governor Holcomb's Executive Order 20-08 from March 23, 2020 for the definition of essential businesses/essential services. The Order provides an extensive list of services/activities that are permitted. We ask all businesses to look through the list and find the section that applies to you. We are relying on your management to carefully evaluate your business to determine if you qualify under the definition of essential business/service. This applies to ALL businesses, large and small. If you cannot justify that your business is providing an essential service, then you should not be operating under the guidance of the Governor's Executive Order. The Indiana State Department of Health has established a Critical Industries Hotline at 877-820-0890 or by emailing covidresponse@iedc.in.gov for assistance in determining essential business/services. The Hotline is open 9 am – 6 pm.

Daviess County Health Department will continue to utilize the guidance from Governor Holcomb, the Indiana State Department of Health and the CDC to determine the best possible responses to the COVID-19 crisis that our country is currently facing. We urge all Daviess County residents to stay home, wash your hands frequently and continue to practice social distancing!!!