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Rock Island County reports 2 additional deaths; 145 new cases of COVID-19

The Rock Island County Health Department is reporting two additional deaths from COVID-19: a man in his 60s who died in a long-term care facility and a woman in her 70s who died at home. The number of deaths in the county from this virus is now 125. Currently, 72 patients are in Rock Island County hospitals with COVID-19.

"We send our sincere condolences to the loved ones of these residents, said Janet Hill, chief operating officer, Rock Island County Health Department.

In addition, the health department reports 145 additional cases. The total number is now 7,394.

The new cases are:

- 1 woman in her 90s
- 4 women in their 70s
- 22 women in their 60s
- 14 women in their 50s
- 12 women in their 40s
- 16 women in their 30s
- 11 women in their 20s
- 4 women in their teens
- 3 girls in their teens
- 2 girls younger than 13
- 1 man in his 80s
- 6 men in their 70s
- 9 men in their 60s
- 3 men in their 50s
- 7 men in their 40s
- 10 men in their 30s
- 13 men in their 20s
- 2 men in their teens
- 1 boy in his teens
- 4 boys younger than 13

No additional information regarding these cases is available due to federal privacy laws.

We all must continue to do our part to prevent further spread of COVID-19 by following these guidelines:

- Stay home: Leave for only essential items and services
- Mask up: Wear a face covering every day and every time you leave your home
- Wash up: Wash your hands with soap and water for at least 20 seconds
- Back up: Keep at least 6 feet between you and anyone else at all times