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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

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### **CORONAVIRUS DISEASE (COVID-19)**

### **IDENTIFIED IN MCPHERSON COUNTY**

As of April 7, 2020, McPherson County Health Department will no longer provide public update on the McPherson County Health Department Facebook page. Daily updates will continue to occur but will only be posted on the McPherson County website at <https://www.mcphersoncountyks.us/>.

Please depend on health authorities to provide the most accurate information for McPherson County. If you are experiencing a fever, shortness of breath, or a cough, please call your health care provider. If you do not have a primary health care provider, please call your local hospital.

The Kansas Department of Health and Environment (KDHE) have a mapping feature on their COVID-19 Resource page. The mapping feature includes positive case counts by county, total hospitalizations, total deaths, symptom onset and date diagnosed data, and lab testing rates by county. This resource can be found at <https://govstatus.egov.com/coronavirus> at the top of page, labeled "Map of COVID-19 in Kansas" and is updated daily.

Please continue to stay at home, practice frequent handwashing, cover your cough and sneeze, avoid physical contact such as handshaking, and call your healthcare provider to discuss any illness. We are all in this together.

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