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Grant County Emergency Operations Center

COVID-19 Response / Planning

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The Grant County Health Department has reported **8 confirmed cases of COVID-19** in Grant County

The Indiana State Department of Health (ISDH) has identified 2,159 total presumptive positive cases of COVID-19 and 49 deaths and 13,373 tests in the state since Friday, March 6.

In response to those who have offered to donate, the Community Foundation of Grant County has established a "Grant County Emergency Management Agency Pass-through Fund" as a way to support the Grant County EMA in supplying personnel protective equipment and needed materials in combatting COVID-19. This fund will purchase the necessary protective equipment and needed materials to protect our first responders and healthcare workers on the front lines of combatting COVID-19 in Grant County, Indiana.

The Web address to donate is; <https://givetogrant.org/gcema/>

The President announced on Sunday the Federal Government is extending to April 30th time period for social distancing guidelines to continue. Indiana is now facing over 2,000 confirmed case and 49 deaths as the expected spike in cases is still a week or two away. This is very difficult to predict and still our best course of action is social distancing.

If you have health questions related to the COVID-19 virus MGH has a specific call number rather than calling the Emergency Department. The number is 765-660-6999.

Respectfully,

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