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the health of our community

ONEIDA COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT

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ONEIDA COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT CONFIRMS NINETEENTH CASE OF COVID-19 AND ANNOUNCES THEY WILL NO LONGER BE ISSUING PRESS RELEASES FOR EVERY INDIVIDUAL WHO TESTS POSITIVE

Oneida County Health Department (OCHD) has received notification a nineteenth person in Oneida County has been diagnosed with novel coronavirus (COVID-19). The individual is in their 70's and is not a close contact with someone who has previously tested positive for COVID-19. This individual has no history of travel outside of the community. The individual is self-isolated and no significant risks of the public getting COVID-19 related to this individual have been identified. County health officials are contacting others with whom the individual who tested positive had close contact with.

Moving forward, OCHD will no longer be issuing individual press releases for all new positive cases of COVID-19. Case count information can be found on our COVID-19 Data webpage located at <https://oneida-county-covid-19-update-ochdwi.hub.arcgis.com/> and on our Facebook page: <facebook.com/OneidaCountyHealthDepartment/>.

The Oneida County Health Department continues to encourage everyone to stay home as much as possible, practice physical distancing, good hand hygiene, enhanced cleaning practices, and utilize cloth face coverings when physical distancing is difficult to do.

If you are experiencing symptoms of COVID-19 or have been in contact with someone who has tested positive for COVID-19, please contact your medical provider to be tested.

This is a rapidly evolving situation. This is what we know now, and information may change. To read the latest information about COVID-19 check the Oneida County Health Department website (oneidacountypublichealth.org) or Facebook page (<facebook.com/OneidaCountyHealthDepartment/>), the Department of Health Services (DHS) website (<https://www.dhs.wisconsin.gov/covid-19/index.htm>) and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) website (<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html>).

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