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FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:

NEW TOTALS: 313 CASES OF COVID-19 IDENTIFIED IN DELAWARE COUNTY; 24 TOTAL DEATHS

DELAWARE COUNTY, IN- The Delaware County Health Department (DCHD) reports Wednesday of no new deaths and 18 additional individuals within Delaware County having tested positive through lab testing for SARS-CoV-2 (the virus that causes COVID-19 infection); bringing the latest totals to 313 confirmed cases and maintaining 24 attributed deaths. 5 of the total cases are hospitalized at this time.

The DCHD continues working closely with the local and state officials to ensure that contacts of the patient are identified and that all infection control protocols are being followed.

The most recently confirmed case being reported since Monday's release includes 1 female over 30, 2 males over 40, 1 female over 50, 4 females over 70, 5 females over 80, 4 males over 80, and 2 females over 90. 15 of these 19 new cases are directly associated with long-term care facilities.

No additional information about any of these patients will be released at this time due to privacy laws.

The Indiana State Department of Health (ISDH) provides statewide updates as new information becomes available. Visit the ISDH website at in.gov/coronavirus for the most up-to-date information on COVID-19 in Indiana.

For updated local information: The Delaware County Emergency Management Agency, in collaboration with the Delaware County GIS Department, have created and are maintaining a central location for local updates. Please visit the Delaware County, Indiana Coronavirus Hub at www.dcema.com.

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