

**Johnson County Emergency Management**  
**Media Release**  
**March 19, 2020**

- Johnson County Healthcare Center remains at 2 persons tested and both were negative.
- Currently there are 17 confirmed cases of COVID-19 and 0 deaths in Wyoming.
- The confirmed cases reported by the EOC are based on Wyoming Department of Health reporting.
- **It is important for people to maintain social distancing at this time.**
  - Please avoid groups of 10 or more people
  - Avoid congregate settings
  - Maintain a distance of 6 ft between persons
  - No hugs
  - No handshakes
- Johnson County Healthcare Center posted a video to their website explaining the importance of social distancing.
- At the direction of the County Health Officer, the County will be temporarily closing the Kaycee and Buffalo libraries to the public through April 6. Staff are available 9-5 Mon-Fri accessible by phone, 684-5546.
- The YMCA has suspended operations at this time and will reevaluate on April 6, 2020.
- The operation center is working with several stakeholders in the community to gather resource needs, such as equipment and personnel.
- Buffalo City Hall is closed to the public. They can be reached at **307-684-5566**.
- All non essential court proceedings have been suspended. Please call **307-684-7271**.
- Buffalo Urgent Care is continuing to see patients and will screen COVID-19 symptoms. Please call **307-278-0280** with any questions.
- The EOC is conducting strategic planning with the Johnson County Healthcare Center to set up a Respiratory Virus Evaluation Center.

EOC releases will be published daily as needed.

For the most current information, please visit [www.johnsoncountywyoming.org/covid-19](http://www.johnsoncountywyoming.org/covid-19).

There has been a COVID-19 response email set up for Johnson County;

[jcwycovid19eoc@gmail.com](mailto:jcwycovid19eoc@gmail.com) For further questions, please contact the Johnson County

Emergency Operations Center at **307-425-6560**.