

Klamath County Public Health

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Klamath County reports 7 new cases of COVID-19

KLAMATH FALLS, Ore. – Klamath County Public Health (KCPH) officials report seven new cases of COVID-19. The local case count is 2,798.

This week’s total is seven. The reporting week runs from Sunday through Saturday.

“There have been many questions this week about changing risk levels. Last week was a movement week and Klamath County did not have the metrics to move to another category,” said KCPH Director Jennifer Little. “This week is a warning week. We will know after Saturday whether the county will be eligible for movement next week. It is too early to speculate about the case count at the close of the week.”

For more information about risk levels and the metrics Klamath County needs to meet for movement, visit <http://publichealth.klamathcounty.org/1114/Klamath-County-COVID-19-risk-level>.

To protect yourself:

- Keep your distance by maintaining six feet of social or physical distancing between yourself and others.
- Wash your hands frequently with soap and water for at least 20 seconds, utilizing hand sanitizer when washing facilities are not available.
- Sanitize surfaces that are often touched.
- Avoid gatherings of any size where social or physical distancing is not possible.

To protect others around you:

- Cover coughs and sneezes.
- Stay home when sick.
- Wear a clean mask in public spaces, including outdoors when six feet of social distance cannot be maintained.

Sex	Cases	Deaths
Male	1,278	26
Female	1,520	28
Unknown	—	—
Total	2,798	54

Age group	Cases	Deaths
0-14	182	—
15-19	164	—
20-29	544	—
30-39	431	—
40-49	432	1
50-59	375	3
60-69	355	8
70-79	216	13
80 and over	99	29
Not available	—	—
Total	2,798	54