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Delta, Colorado, April 22, 2020 – Delta County Daily Update

UPDATED Testing Information: Delta County Health Department is reporting no new cases today; our case count remains at 25, with 5 individuals having recovered:

- 14 individuals have tested positive.
- 11 individuals have been in close contact with an individual who tested positive, and have experienced COVID-19 symptoms.

To date, 210 tests have been administered at Delta County Memorial Hospital; not all tests are performed at Delta County Memorial Hospital.

County Updates:

Delta County Board of Commissioners, along with the Board of Health, will meet on Friday, April 24, to sign Delta County's Reopening Plan. Per Governor Polis' Stay at Home order lifting on Monday, April 27, and keeping within the guidelines being set forth by the State, Delta County businesses will have a staggered open starting next week. Guidelines and protocols will be forthcoming.

Business Recovery Center Update:

Delta County's Covid-19 Business Loan Fund is now available. For information please visit:

<http://deltacounty.com/DocumentCenter/View/11641/Delta-County-Business-Loan-Fund-Packet>

Additionally, weekly industry calls have been consolidated, for more information please visit:

<https://www.facebook.com/groups/COVID.Delta.Montrose.Biz/>

State Updates:

The State health department launched a pilot version of symptom tracker survey as part of statewide COVID-19 tracking. The symptom tracker will appear on the ["Do you have symptoms?" webpage](#) on the COVID-19 website. Data from the tracker will provide local public health agencies with data for their coverage area. This could help public health officials understand when outbreaks are occurring in given locations and, in some cases, follow up with certain individuals who may need additional support. Knowing about potential outbreaks more immediately can help inform decisions to take action at the local level. Delta County Residents are encouraged to call the Delta County Call Center at 970-874-2172 if they need assistance in filling out the symptom tracker; they are available Monday – Friday from 8:00 am – 5:00 pm.

Delta County Resources:

- www.deltacounty.com/COVID-19
- deltahospital.org/getpage.php?ame=Novel_Coronavirus_%28COVID-19%29
- <https://covid19.colorado.gov/>
- cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/index.html