

## So Much... So Close!

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## FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

## 9 Confirmed Cases of COVID-19 Identified in Calhoun County

Memorial Medical Center in conjunction with Calhoun County and Calhoun County Texas Emergency Management is reporting the ninth positive test result for COVID-19 in the area. The patient is a resident of Calhoun County and is currently isolating at home. We believe this to be person-to-person spread, but this will be confirmed by the Texas Department of State Health Services. Employers, family members, and other close contacts will be notified and monitored by the Texas Department of State Health Services.

At this point, we know that there is community spread of COVID-19 in our area. With community spread, all areas of the county are considered a possible source of exposure. Please comply with City and County orders. Everyone should be staying at home as much as possible, practicing social distancing when it is necessary to be out of the home, and practicing the hygiene measures that have been discussed previously.