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We received this information this afternoon:

COVID-19 Positive Patients in Calhoun County

Male, 35-40 years old, isolating at home and then hospitalized.
Female, 35-40 years old, isolating at home.
Female, 40-45 years old, isolating at home, then hospitalized, then discharged.
Female, 40-45 years old, isolating at home.
Male, 50-55 years old, isolating at home.
Female, 70-75 years old, isolating at home.
Female, 80-85 years old, isolating at home and then hospitalized.

TAKE STEPS TO PROTECT YOURSELF AND OTHERS

We want people to think about how their actions can put others at risk.

People should only leave their house for essential activities, which include getting medical supplies, going to the doctor, going to work if you are considered an essential employee or getting groceries.

Voluntary compliance is our goal.

As Governor Abbott stated in the Executive Order he issued in accordance with Federal Guidelines to Mitigate Spread of COVID-19 in Texas on March 19, 2020, "the more that people reduce their public contact, the sooner COVID-19 will be contained."

Wash hands often for 20 seconds and encourage others to do the same.
If no soap and water are available, use hand sanitizer with at least 60% alcohol.
Cover coughs and sneezes with a tissue, then throw the tissue away.
Avoid touching your eyes, nose, and mouth with unwashed hands.
Disinfect surfaces, buttons, handles, knobs, and other places touched often.
Avoid close contact with people who are sick.
Practice social distancing. This includes avoiding crowds and minimizing physical contact.
Avoid social gatherings of any kind BUT if it is absolutely NECESSARY it must be limited to 10 people or less
Stay home if you are sick
Stay home. Stay Safe. Limit outings.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Richard H. Meyer", written in a cursive style.

Richard H. Meyer
Calhoun County Judge