



## MONTGOMERY COUNTY HEALTH DEPARTMENT HOME HEALTH AGENCY

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### **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE – March 26, 2020**

#### **Montgomery County Health Department announces second case of COVID-19**

Montgomery County, MO – The Montgomery County Health Department has confirmed its second positive case of COVID-19 in Montgomery County.

All contacts from the case on 3/25/20 have been notified. All self-quarantine measures and recommendations were followed. We ask that our community be respectful of the privacy of those affected by COVID-19.

The second laboratory confirmed case is currently under investigation and we will continue to contact those identified to be at risk. As before, the patient's identity will remain confidential; therefore, we will not be releasing any personal information about this case.

It is apparent that COVID-19 is in our community and the Montgomery County Health Department wants to encourage everyone to follow our recommendations of social distancing and measures to prevent the spread of disease. The Montgomery County Health Department is taking necessary precautions to keep our patients and community safe and will continue to diligently monitor the COVID-19 situation and follow CDC guidelines to help protect the public health and limit spread of this infection.

If you have questions, please consult a factual source, such as [www.health.mo.gov/coronavirus](http://www.health.mo.gov/coronavirus) or [www.CDC.gov](http://www.CDC.gov). The community can also call MDHSS 24-hour hotline (877)435-8411 or Montgomery County Health Department to address questions or concerns related to COVID-19.