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## **Cayuga County COVID-19 Situational Update as of 4:15pm**

### **New Cases – 4 new cases**

- A female in her fifties living inside the City of Auburn
- A female in her fifties living outside the City of Auburn
- A male in his fifties living outside the City of Auburn
- A male in his twenties living outside the City of Auburn

The Health Department investigates all COVID-19 cases in Cayuga County and identifies and notifies all close contacts. Contact tracing is on-going. As part of our contact tracing investigation, we identified one of the new cases to be an employee at the Auburn Lowe's located at 299 Grant Ave. We are working with the Lowe's management staff to notify employees.

Members of the public who shopped at the Auburn Lowe's on Sunday, May 3, 2020 from 11:45am – 8:45pm., should monitor themselves for symptoms of COVID -19 such as fever, cough and/or difficulty breathing for 14 days after the potential exposure.

If symptoms do develop, stay home and call your doctor for further guidance about testing. If you are elderly, have underlying medical conditions, or are immunocompromised, call your doctor early even if your illness is mild. In an emergency call 911.

If you do not have a healthcare provider please contact the Cayuga County Health Department at 315-253-1560.

We remind the public that it is still important to practice social distancing staying more than 6 feet apart from others, limiting the number of trips out to stores, and more importantly only sending one member from your household out to do the shopping. When out in public wear a cloth face covering and continue to wash your hands often, cover coughs and sneezes, disinfect surfaces, and stay informed.

### **Mandatory Quarantine/ Isolation**

17 in Mandatory Quarantine

6 in Mandatory Isolation

### **Hospitalized patients**

No hospitalized Cayuga County residents at this time.



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**Confirmed Cases – total year to date**

There have been a total of 58 confirmed cases of COVID-19 in Cayuga County.

**Discharges- total year to date**

There have been 51 individuals discharged from Mandatory Isolation.

**Deaths**

One death related to COVID-19 in our county.

**Test Results Received –**

Number of test results received since testing began in early March – **1,179** as of today.

- This information includes all testing of Cayuga County residents by physicians, healthcare facilities and licensed clinical laboratories.

**Results pending –**

As of today, we are awaiting the results of 46 tests that were performed on Cayuga County residents by the Cayuga County Health Department, physicians, health care facilities and licensed clinical laboratories.

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