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Rock Island County Health Department reports 2 new cases of COVID-19

The Rock Island County Health Department reports two new COVID-19 cases, bringing the total number to 686. Currently, eight patients are hospitalized.

The new cases are:

- A man in his 30s who is isolating at home
- A man in his 20s who is isolating at home

No additional information regarding these cases is available due to federal privacy laws.

“We have been seeing lower COVID-19 case counts for more than a week,” said Nita Ludwig, administrator of the Rock Island County Health Department. “We are cautiously optimistic, but we urge all Quad Citians to stay vigilant and keep following social distancing, face covering and hand-washing guidance to reduce the number of new infections.”

Remember, you control how you respond to COVID-19:

- Stay home as much as possible and especially when ill
- Keep at least 6 feet between you and anyone else
- Wash your hands frequently with soap and water for at least 20 seconds or use hand sanitizer
- Cover coughs and sneezes with a tissue or into your elbow
- Wear a face covering when you must go out for essential supplies

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