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Rock Island County Health Department reports 51 new cases of COVID-19

The Rock Island County Health Department reports 51 new COVID-19 cases, bringing the total number to 2,189. Thirty of the cases reported today are associated with an outbreak at the East Moline Correctional Center.

Currently, 13 patients are hospitalized. The number of deaths stands at 59.

The new cases are:

- 1 man in his 80s
- 2 men in their 60s
- 5 men in their 50s
- 12 men in their 40s
- 9 men in their 30s
- 9 men in their 20s
- 4 women in their 60s
- 1 woman in her 50s
- 4 women in their 40s
- 3 women in their 20s
- 1 girl younger than 1

No other information is available due to federal privacy laws.

Remember the three “W’s” to slow the spread of COVID-19:

- Wash your hands frequently
- Watch your distance. Keep at least 6 feet between you and anyone else
- Wear a face covering when you must go out

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