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Rock Island County Health Department reports 27 new cases of COVID-19

The Rock Island County Health Department reports 27 new COVID-19 cases, bringing the total number to 1,618. Currently, 11 patients are hospitalized in Rock Island County. The number of deaths stands at 31.

The new cases are all isolating at home:

- Two men in their 70s
- A man in his 60s
- Four men in their 50s
- Two men in their 40s
- Three men in their 20s
- Two boys younger than 5
- A woman in her 80s
- A woman in her 70s
- Two women in their 60s
- Two women in their 50s
- Four women in their 40s
- A woman in her 30s
- Two girls in their teens

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

We continue to see younger people affected by COVID-19. It is vital that we slow the spread of this virus, especially with school rapidly approaching. We must all do our part every day by:

- Washing 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 whether it is required or not
- Avoid large gatherings