



COVID-19 Guidance

How is the COVID-19 virus spreading in our Community?

- Contact tracing data shows the virus is being spread mostly by small family gatherings such as parties being held at home. During these gatherings, the individuals are generally spending time with each other while eating and drinking. Eating and drinking with anyone outside your home and not physically distancing poses a high risk for contracting the virus.
- Funerals or wakes continue to be an area of concern with individuals stating they are attending either meetings for the preparation of the service or attending the service or more than often it's both.

What can you do to protect yourself and your family?

- Public Place Exposure: Unless absolutely necessary, avoid places where ventilation may be poor.
- Outdoor Events: Avoid places where more than 15 people are gathering and you are not able to physically distance.
- Indoor events: Places with poor ventilation, pose more risk than outdoor events.

Funeral Guidelines & Contract Tracing:

Abide by the funeral guidelines which can be found on the GRHC.ORG/HUB or at your local District Service Center.

Contact tracing conducted by the GRIC Tribal Health Department has proven that funeral attendance has directly increased positive COVID-19 cases.

Prevention Measures:

- Wear a face mask
- Physical distance
- Wash your hands
- Stay home when sick
- Get tested
- Get vaccinated

IT IS ALL OF OUR RESPONSIBILITY TO KEEP EACH OTHER SAFE, EVEN THOSE THAT WORK FOR THE COMMUNITY, LIKE THE EMPLOYEES OF THE COMMUNITY SERVICE DEPARTMENT WHO ARE ESSENTIAL DURING BURIAL SERVICE.