For Immediate Release  
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Possible COVID-19 Public Exposure Sites

District Health Department No. 4 (DHD4) would like to alert the public of a possible COVID-19 exposure in our area. The only time DHD4 will alert the public to specific locations where an individual who has tested positive has been is when the contact-tracing team are unable to contact all of the individuals who may have been present (for example: public facilities/venues or larger gatherings). DHD4 wants to make the public aware of locations that may have allowed for exposure, therefore, making individual identification difficult.

Individuals who were present at the listed location, at the designated time, have the potential for exposure:

- September 11, 2020
  - Northwood Lodge, 2390 S Straits Hwy, Indian River, MI late evening

- September 12, 2020
  - Northwood Lodge, 2390 S Straits Hwy, Indian River, MI until 12:00 pm (Noon)

These individuals should monitor for symptoms consistent with COVID-19 for 14 days from exposure date. If they do not develop symptoms within 14 days of these dates, there is nothing to be done. Those that develop symptoms within 14 days of these dates should contact their doctor and consider COVID-19 testing.

Individuals who were present at the listed location(s), at the designated time, have the potential for exposure:

- September 12, 2020
  - Wedding at Cross in the Woods, 7078 M-68, Indian River, MI from 1:00-2:00 pm
  - Reception at Hillman Community Center, 24220 Veterans Memorial Hwy, Hillman, MI from 6:00-11:30 pm

The individuals who attended the wedding and/or reception are asked to call District Health Department No. 4 at 989-358-7904 to report any illness, to get tested as soon as possible and self-quarantine at home through Sept. 26. If they do not develop symptoms within 14 days of these dates, there is nothing to be done. Those that develop symptoms within 14 days of these dates should contact their doctor and consider COVID-19 testing.

Drive thru COVID-19 testing is available, Sept. 16, from 9:00 am to 1:00 pm at City of Cheboygan Ice Rink, 480 Cleveland Ave., Cheboygan, MI 49721. Additional testing locations call Alcona Health Center at (989) 356-4049, Ext. 3832 or Thunder Bay Community Health Services at (989) 733-6827.

DHD4 continues to urge residents and visitors to:

- Stay Home if you are sick!
- Wear a mask in public spaces, as required by the Governor’s Executive Order
• Maintain social distancing – at least 6 feet
• Avoiding large gatherings
• Wash your hands frequently for at least 20 seconds
• Avoid touching your face
• Disinfect commonly touched surfaces

DHD4 would like to remind people that, right now, large gatherings are one of the major ways COVID-19 is being spread. COVID-19 remains a concern in our communities and everyone must do their part to mitigate further spread. Keeping cases low in our area is especially important in keeping our businesses and schools open.

For the latest COVID-19 information, visit our website at www.dhd4.org/covid19.