



# Grant County Emergency Management Agency

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Grant County Emergency Operations Center

COVID-19 Response / Planning

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## 0900 Briefing;

The Grant County Health Department has reported 180, confirmed cases of COVID-19 and 17 deaths in Grant County.

The Indiana State Department of Health (ISDH) has identified 26,655 total presumptive positive cases of COVID-19 and 1,550 deaths and 165,448 tests in the state of Indiana.

The Indiana State Department of Health has hired OPTUM serve to operate a free COVID-19 testing site at the YMCA in Marion. The site began testing on Wednesday May 13, 2020 and will continue for at least another week.

The site is open from 8:00 AM to 8:00 PM Monday through Saturday; individuals can register online at <https://lhi.care/covidtesting> or by calling (888) 634-1116.

Individuals who have symptoms of COVID-19 and those who have been exposed and need a test to return to work are encouraged to visit a testing site. Individuals without symptoms who are at high risk because they are over age 65, have diabetes, obesity, high blood pressure or another underlying condition, as well as those who are pregnant or a member of a minority population that's at greater risk for severe illness, also are encouraged to get tested.

Individuals should bring proof of Indiana residency such as a state-issued ID, work ID or utility bill. This testing is free.

## Employment opportunities;

The Marion-Grant County Chamber of Commerce along with the Grant County Economic Growth Council and WorkOne has jointly developed a website to assist anyone looking for work opportunities. The jointly operated website is; <https://www.grantcounty.com/covid19-workforce-recovery-jobs>

If you have health questions related to the COVID-19 virus MGH has a specific call number you can call. The number is 765-660-6999.

Respectfully,

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