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Press Release
COVID-19 Death in Gallatin County

The Gallatin City-County Health Department is saddened to announce that one more Gallatin County resident has passed away from complications due to COVID-19.

This person was a female in her 70s who passed away at a hospital the week of April 25. The Gallatin City-County Health Department received the official death certificate yesterday that attributed her death to COVID-19.

This latest death makes for a total of 63 COVID-related deaths in Gallatin County. Data on statewide numbers reported by the Montana Department of Public Health and Human Services can be found here.

"The Health Department sends our condolences to this woman's family and friends," said Matt Kelley, Gallatin City-County Health Department Health Officer. "While cases are going down, COVID-19 is still active in our communities in Gallatin County. We continue to recommend that people use precautions. Get your vaccine as soon as you're able. Social distance and avoid crowds when possible. Wear face coverings in public if you haven't been fully vaccinated. Wash your hands thoroughly and frequently, and stay home when you're sick."

Out of respect for the woman's family, no further details will be released.

The Gallatin City-County Health Department Call Center is open five days a week, Monday through Friday from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. to answer questions about COVID-19. Any calls received after business hours will be returned the following business day. You can reach the Call Center by phone at 406-548-0123.

The most accurate local source of information remains the GCCHD website. Find information on COVID-19 vaccines in Gallatin County here.

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