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To: Employees
Subject: Daily Coronavirus Update - UPDATES HIGHLIGHTED IN YELLOW

Please note that the original update was recalled, please review the daily update below. Thank you

Wednesday April 29th, 2020 – Coronavirus Update **Please note anything highlighted in yellow is new information**

Goal 1: Keep employees healthy and safe

- A. COVID-19 Return to Work Policy has been updated with the following:
 - a. **You must notify your supervisor immediately with the following:**
 - i. If you present to work with a fever or develop a fever throughout the day
 - ii. If you develop the following symptoms: fever, shortness of breath, cough, headache, chills, sore throat, new loss of taste or smell, and muscle pain
 - iii. If you or a household member have been exposed to someone that is being tested for COVID-19
- B. Please pick up a surgical mask as you enter the building each morning. Cloth masks should be saved for when you are outside the building.
- C. Not sure which PPE to don for certain appointments/procedures? Let this help guide you.
 - a. For Medical:
 - i. Testing possible COVID-19 patients: Hair Cap, Face shield, N95 mask, surgical mask, gown, gloves, and shoe covers.
 - ii. Completing labs or injections: Face shield, surgical mask, gown, and gloves

Goal 2: Keep possible COVID-19 patients from spreading illness to the community

- A. When calling patients regarding negative COVID-19 test results. Please address if there symptoms are getting better, the same, or worsening. If patient states there symptoms are the same or getting worse please notify the provider and an appointment may be needed.
 - a. COVID-19 test sensitivity is not 100%. It is important to address their symptoms and determine if further action is needed.

Goal 3: Continue to provide high quality of care to our patients and our communities patients by using science to guide prevention, testing, and treatment

- A. Number of patients seen today during the community testing hours:
 - a. Marshal: No Community Testing Today
 - b. Sedalia: 11 individuals tested
 - c. Versailles: 4 individuals tested
 - d. Warsaw: No Community Testing Today
- B. Katy Trail is assisting Saline County Health Department with Community testing on Tuesday and Wednesday.
- C. Clinical Staff please know how important it is that you contact the Health Department letting them know that you received a positive COVID-19 test and the Communicable Disease Form must be faxed to them.

Goal 4: Contribute to the community efforts to address the crisis

- A. Handing out food boxes to Katy Trail patients that we test for COVID-19 and are quarantined
- B. Reaching out to food pantries in other counties and seeing how we can assist them
- C. Participating daily in the Incident Command Meeting
- D. Katy Trail Community Health will no longer be providing courier services to Saint Luke's in Lee's Summit per BRHC request.
- E. The rental car will be used for all courier services to the outlying clinics for GeneTrait pickup.

Goal 5: Assure our financial security in order to sustain our services

- A. Small Business Loan – Katy Trail has been approved.
- B. Applied for the FCC telehealth grant
- C. Received CARES Emergency funds
- D. KTCH is billing for both telehealth and telephone visits

Goal 6: Plan for the new future of KTCH

- A. Continuing with EHR implementation. Expected go-live date with ECW will be October 1st.
- B. Population Health approach to virtual visits – Working on a process.
 - a. Currently, case managers are reaching out to high-risk patients that need a follow up appointment and to ensure they have the resources they need. Also, there are two active PDSA's that were put into place. One PDSA is reaching out to patients that are due for a colon cancer screening. Staff are delivering a goodie bag that contains a roll of toilet paper and a FIT Test. What better time to capture these patients while they are in the comfort of their home! The second PDSA is reaching out to our uncontrolled hypertension patients. For those that have uncontrolled hypertension and need to be monitored more closely, staff are delivering blood pressure cuffs to their home.

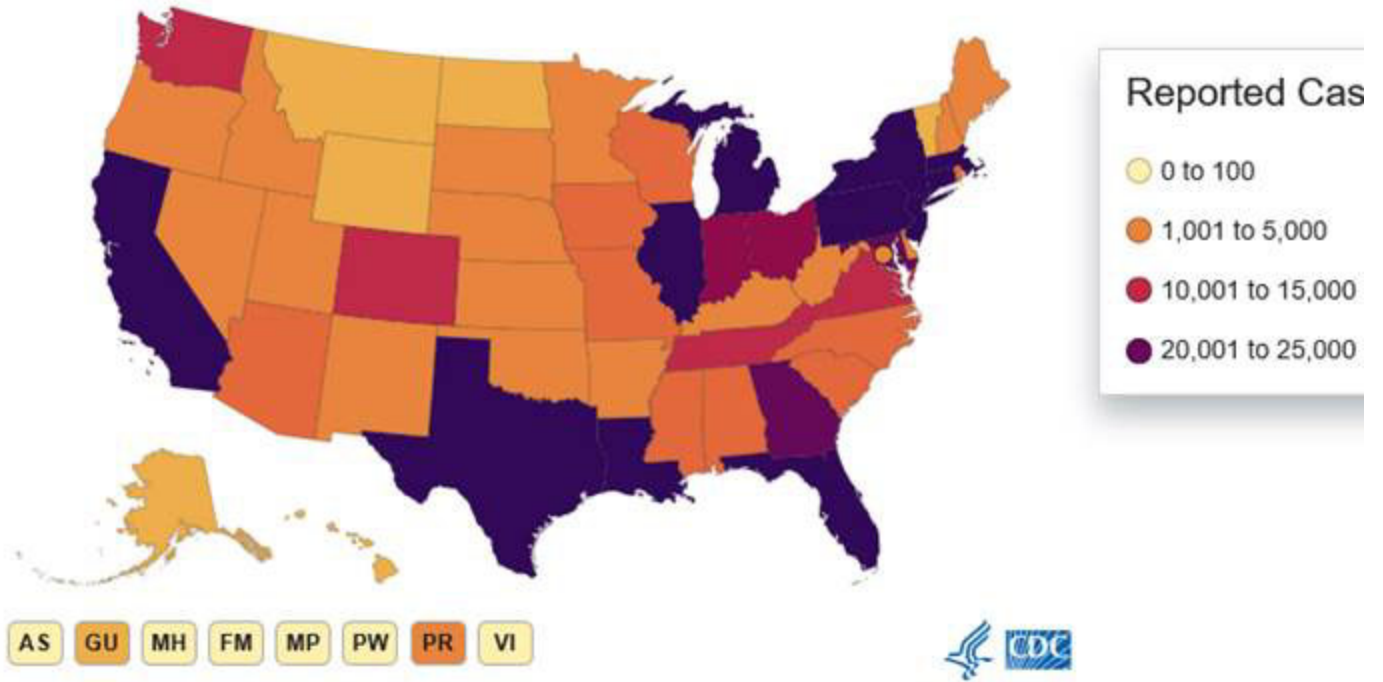
Oral Health Update from Dr. Vandevender and Mendy:

To our providers:

Standing Items:

- 1. Cases Reported in U.S.**
 - a. As of today, there has been a total of 1,005,147 COVID-19 cases in the United States. Please see map below of states reporting COVID-19 cases.
- 2. In Missouri:**
 - a. 7,425 positive COVID-19 cases
 - i. Benton County – 4 positive case
 - ii. Morgan County – 3 positive case
 - iii. Pettis County – 34 positive case
 - iv. Saline County – 182 positive case

19 states report more than 10,000 cases of COVID-19.



Thank you,
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