



## Pottawatomie County Community Update

THURSDAY, September 24, 2020-

Your safety, health, and security is our **top** priority.

	State of Kansas	Pottawatomie County
Total positive COVID-19 cases	55,226 (+1,267)	238 (+15) = 37 Active (+5); 201 Recovered (+10) 9 Pending
Total COVID-19 hospitalizations	2,766 (+60)	<b>0</b> <b>Current known PT Co. hospitalizations</b>
COVID-19 related deaths	621 (+21)	0
Total Tests	492,281 (+7,590)	2,988 (+61)

Numbers in parentheses indicates the difference since the last report; numbers are updated Mondays, Wednesdays, and Fridays. For a daily case summary, visit <https://www.coronavirus.kdheks.gov/160/COVID-19-in-Kansas>  
Hospitalizations, if we have any, are for any Pottawatomie County citizen hospitalized due to Covid, regardless of where that hospital is located.

Last week we shared information from KDHE indicating the feedback they had received regarding sharing the locations of identified clusters indicated some concerns. KDHE temporarily stopped updating the cluster information. Yesterday KDHE determined they will release information on COVID-19 clusters, locations every Wednesday. Cluster locations are identified as those with five or more cases “with symptom-onset dates in the last 14 days”.

KDHE is still accepting applications for the Hero Relief Program. This fund provides financial assistance for essential workers, such as: Health Care and Emergency Services; First Responders; Agriculture and Food Production; Government Workers (includes Military); Education Workers; Child Care Providers; Frontline Behavior Health & Social Service Workers; Home Visitors Providing Local Services (Parents as Teachers, Early Head Start); Long-Term Services and Support; Transportation and Logistic Services; and others. For a full list of those who may qualify, the application process, and more information, please visit <http://ksherorelief.com/>.

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