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TO: **All Media Sources**
FROM: **Theresa K. Moore, Supervising Public Health Educator/Public Information Officer**
RE: **Positive Cases: Do They Have Symptoms?**
DATE: **October 22, 2020**

The following is a news release on positive cases and whether or not they have symptoms. Please release this information as soon as possible. Thank you for your assistance and cooperation. If you have any questions or need more information, please send the request in writing to me at mooretk@alleganyco.com or by fax at 585-268-9264.

News Release: Positive Cases: Do They Have Symptoms?

The Allegany County Department of Health (ACDOH) has been reviewing Allegany County positive COVID-19 cases to see if they have symptoms at the time they tested positive. Here is what we found for our most recent positive cases:

Case #247 is a male with a headache, stuffy nose, and cough. He had contact with a known positive case.
Case #248 is a female with no symptoms, and she had contact with a known positive case.
Case # 249 is a female with a fever, shortness of breath, and fatigue. She had contact with a known positive case.
Case #250 is a male with cough and tired. He had no contact with a known positive case.
Case #251 is a female with loss of taste and smell and diarrhea. She had no contact with a known positive case.
Case #252 is a female with slight fever, slight cough, and body aches. She had no contact with a known positive case.
Case #253 is a female with no symptoms, and she had contact with a known positive case.
Case #254 is a female with no symptoms, and she had contact with a known positive case.
Case #255 is a female with no symptoms, and she had contact with a known positive case.
Case #256 is a female with no symptoms, and she had contact to a known positive case.
Case #257 is a male with no symptoms, and he had contact to a known positive case.
Case #258 is a female with no symptoms, and she had contact to a known positive case.
Case #259 is a female with body aches and chills. She had contact to a known positive case.
Case #260 is a female with no symptoms, and she had contact with a known positive case.
Case #261 is a male with a sore throat and fatigue. He had contact to a known positive case.
Case #262 is a female with no symptoms, and she had contact with a known positive case.
Case #263 is a male with no symptoms, and he had contact with a known positive case.
Case #264 is a male with no symptoms, and he had contact with a known positive case.
Case #265 is a female with no symptoms, and she had contact with a known positive case.

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Case #266 is a female with no symptoms, and she had contact with a known positive case.
Case #267 is a female with no symptoms, and she had contact with a known positive case.
Case#268 is a female with no symptoms, and she had contact with a known positive case.

People with COVID-19 symptoms have had a wide range of symptoms. These symptoms can range from mild to severe. Some of the cases the ACDOH staff have talked to could not believe they tested positive for COVID-19 since they had no symptoms at all. The ACDOH is asking residents to continue to monitor themselves for symptoms, stay home from work or school, and call your healthcare provider if you do not see improvement in symptoms.

For more information about positive cases in Allegany County check out these websites:

- www.alleganyco.com for daily statistics for Allegany County
- https://schoolcovidreportcard.health.ny.gov/#/home for school COVID report cards
- https://www.alfredstate.edu/covid-19 statistics for Alfred State College
- https://www.alfred.edu/coronavirus-update/cases.cfm statistics for Alfred University
- https://www.houghton.edu/coronavirus statistics for Houghton College

If you or a member of your family are having any symptoms of COVID-19, please call your healthcare provider or the Allegany County Department of Health at 585-268-9250 to arrange testing locally.

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