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Carteret County COVID-19 Confirmed COVID-19 Death Reported Press Release #110

Carteret County, NC – The Carteret County Health Department regrets to inform that the County received a report of a confirmed COVID-19 death of a Carteret County resident. The resident was in their 70's with a preexisting health condition and died from complications associated with the COVID-19 virus. To protect the privacy of the family, no further information about the resident will be released.

“On behalf of the Health Department, we extend our condolences to the family and loved ones of this resident,” stated Consolidated Human Services Director, Cindy Holman. “Residents are encouraged to continue to practice the 3W's to lower the chances of contracting COVID-19; wear masks when around others, wait six feet apart from others, and wash your hands often.”

Individuals in Group 1, Group 2 (65 and older) and Group 3 (essential workers) can call 252-728-8550 (option 2) to schedule a vaccination appointment for an available time at one of the County's vaccination clinics.

If you need more information about each Group of the NCDHHS vaccination plan, please visit <https://covid19.ncdhhs.gov/vaccines>.

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