

Tuesday, March 24, 2020 Cherokee County Daily Briefing Notes

As of the time of this email, Cherokee County still has two confirmed COVID-19 cases, both of whom remain quarantined at their homes.

During our 1:00 p.m. phone conference with the Kansas Department of Emergency Management, the following was discussed:

Adjunct Major Tafanelli stated they are working with traditional and non-traditional suppliers of PPE, both within the U.S. and abroad, as is every other state, making adequate supplies continuously difficult to procure. However, they are continuing to work towards filling local agency supply requests as best they can. He also reiterated the State of Kansas is NOT requiring any type of letter or documentation for travel. Even if a statewide "Stay at Home" order is issued, travel documentation will not be required for intrastate travel.

Locally, we discussed various "Stay at Home" orders and reviewed numerous from various counties across the state. Governor Kelly stated yesterday, March 23, 2020, she would be issuing a new Executive Order today with guidelines that any county who chooses to issue a "Stay at Home" order, will be required to follow. I am attaching two of Governor Kelly's Executive Orders. EO

Below you will find the daily KDHE Brief / numbers by county. You will note Crawford County's 2 positive cases are still not reflected. They were tested at a private lab and the Kansas Department wants to confirm them at their own lab.

I also had a video conference with the Executive Board of the Kansas Sheriff's Association along with the Secretary of the Kansas Department of Corrections to work towards limiting inmate movement

As always, if you need anything or have questions, please let me know.

Thanks,

Sheriff David Groves