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Gallatin County COVID-19 Update

As of Thursday, Aug. 13, 2020, at 12 p.m. Gallatin County has 11 new confirmed cases of COVID-19, for a cumulative total of 986. There are 38 confirmed active cases and zero current hospitalizations. There have been a total of 945 people recovered in Gallatin County. Three people have died from COVID-19 complications.

More data can be found on Gallatin City-County Health Department's dashboard on our website [here](#). This dashboard will be updated by 12 p.m. daily. Information on statewide cases continue to be found [here](#).

Please note that local data may differ from data about Gallatin County provided by the state as the Gallatin City-County Health Department may be alerted to additional cases before the state.

A recovered case means that a person who tested positive for COVID-19 has been released from isolation. It's important to note that even when people are released from isolation, many continue to feel the effects of COVID-19 infection long after they are released from isolation.

The Gallatin City-County Health Department calculates the recovered case number as the number of total cases minus any active cases, current hospitalizations and deaths.

It's summer in Montana, which means wildfire season is here. When air quality is poor, staying healthy might be a challenge for those at risk for COVID-19 and wildfire smoke. Here is some information from the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention to help you manage risk:

<https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/php/smoke-faq.html>

The Gallatin City-County Health Department Call Center is open seven days a week from 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. to answer questions about COVID-19. Reach the Call Center by phone at 406-548-0123 or email at callcenter@readygallatin.com.

The most accurate local source of information remains the GCCHD [website](#).

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