

COVID-19 UPDATES 3-28-2020

In an effort to keep Delaware's medical community current on the latest information regarding the coronavirus crisis, the Medical Society of Delaware is sharing the following:

DPH Announces 49 Additional COVID-19 Cases - 3 New Deaths

According to the Delaware Division of Public Health (DPH) Delaware has three additional fatalities related to COVID-19. In total, five Delawareans have died due to complications from COVID-19. The most recent deaths involve a 76-year-old male from New Castle County who was not hospitalized; a 74-year-old Kent County male who was hospitalized; and a 77-year-old Kent County male who was hospitalized. All three individuals had underlying health conditions. Delaware now has 214 COVID-19 cases, 130 are from New Castle County, 25 are from Kent County, and 59 are from Sussex County. Read more.

DHSS Announces Six COVID-19 Cases at Assisted-Living Facility in Wilmington

Six residents of a memory care unit of HarborChase of Wilmington have tested positive for COVID-19, including five who are now hospitalized. There are current 36 residents in that unit. The source of the virus is under investigation. Read more.

Delaware Medical Journal Looking for COVID-19 Case Studies

From Peter Rocca, MD - Delaware Medical Journal Editor-in-Chief:

Our community is facing a health crisis the likes of which it has not seen since the flu pandemic of 1918. The Delaware medical community needs to hear from its colleagues about their experience. We at the DMJ encourage you to submit for publication any information about the evaluation and management of COVID-19 that you believe is clinically relevant and helpful to other Delaware physicians. We realize that the current crisis is placing extra pressure on your time which may restrict your ability to put pen to paper. The way out of this crisis, however, is by working together. To that end, the DMJ staff hopes you will be able to find the time to help educate your fellow clinicians. Thank you for your consideration. Read Instructions to Authors.

For more information and resources regarding COVID-19, MSD has created a coronavirus resource page on our website. View resource page.

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