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## PERSONAL HEALTH DIVISION

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**For Immediate Release**

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### **The Benzie-Leelanau District Health Department COVID-19 Update**

Today there were no new cases of COVID-19 identified in Leelanau County or in Benzie County.

“We are pleased that we are seeing a reduction in the number of reported cases of COVID-19, and will evaluate over the next week or so to determine if this is related to a true reduction in cases or the challenges many have faced in obtaining a COVID-19 diagnostic test”, stated Michelle Klein, Director of Personal Health. “We urge everyone to continue taking measures that have shown to reduce transmission – wear a mask, maintain social distancing, avoid large gatherings, and stay home when ill”

As of 4:00pm, the Benzie-Leelanau District Health Department is reporting:

- Positive COVID-19 cases in the following counties: Benzie– 24, Leelanau– 55
- Recovered COVID-19 cases in the following counties: Benzie– 5, Leelanau– 12
- Hospitalized: 10 total; 2 current
- Confirmed COVID-19 deaths in the following counties: Benzie – 1

The State of Michigan has reported 75,947 cases and 6,148 deaths.

Visit our [COVID-19 Data Dashboard](#) for the latest local information including recovered data and contact tracing. Michigan Department of Health and Human Service Dashboard: [Dashboard](#). Additional and updated information can be found on our [Website](#) and [Facebook](#). If you have COVID-19 related question, fill out a quick [survey](#), email questions to [hotline@bldhd.org](mailto:hotline@bldhd.org), or call our public information line at 231-882-2197.

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