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## PRESS RELEASE

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### Subject: **Coles County Health Department COVID-19 Case Count Updates:**

(Charleston), IL - Coles County Health Department, (CCHD) is reporting additional laboratory confirmed COVID-19 cases. Our total confirmed COVID-19 laboratory case count for Coles County as of September 4, 2021, is **Six-Thousand, Nine-Hundred and Eighty, Six-Thousand, Five-Hundred and Thirty-One** recovered **One-Hundred and Five** deceased, and **Three-Hundred and Forty-Four** recovering.

#### Case Data:

August 30, 2021:	<b>63</b> new cases
August 31, 2021:	<b>49</b> new cases
September 1, 2021:	<b>56</b> new cases
September 2, 2021:	<b>43</b> new cases
September 3, 2021:	<b>64</b> new cases
September 4, 2021:	<b>33</b> new cases

Coles County Health Department is currently experiencing a high volume of COVID-19 positive cases and phone calls. If you have been notified your COVID-19 test result is positive, stay home and isolate. If you need medical care call your provider, go to the nearest ER, or call 911. Coles County Health Department contact tracers will call when we receive your test results in our electronic reporting system. We are currently monitoring over 500 close contacts in addition to our 344 positive cases. Thank you for your understanding and cooperation.

**Wear a mask, Social Distance greater than 6 feet, Wash your hands, COVID-19 vaccinations are widely available through your provider, pharmacies, and local health department.**