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Free COVID-19 community-based testing opportunity in Cass County, Missouri

CASS COUNTY, MO (June 9, 2020) – In an effort to expand COVID-19 testing into areas where access has been a barrier, two free COVID-19 community-based testing events are scheduled to take place in Cass County on June 11th and 12th. The testing will take place at Raymore-Peculiar High School (20801 S School Rd, Peculiar, Missouri) from 7:00 am to 7:00 pm both days. The community-based testing in Cass County will be operated by the Missouri Department of Health and Senior Services (DHSS) and Missouri National Guard in coordination with the Cass County Health Department, West Peculiar Fire Protection District, Raymore-Peculiar School District, Cass County Sheriff's Office, and Peculiar United Methodist Church.

Missouri residency is the only requirement; individuals do not have to live in the county in which they are tested, and they do not have to be experiencing symptoms. Any Missouri residents who wish to be tested with a nasal swab to see if they have an active COVID-19 infection can do so at the specified site at no cost to the individual.

Due to expected high demand, appointments are required and can now be made online on the DHSS registration site. Those without access to online registration can call the Missouri COVID-19 hotline for registration assistance at 877-435-8411. If appointment times are available, on-site registration may be allowed and will need to be completed on the participant's own phone or device.

Those who would like to be tested can register for the site nearest them at health.mo.gov/communitytest. More information can be found at health.mo.gov/coronavirus.

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