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Possible COVID-19 Exposure Locations Announced

District Health Department No. 2 (DHD2) would like to alert the general public of a possible COVID-19 exposure location. The only time DHD2 will alert the public to specific location(s) where an individual who has tested positive has been is when the contact-tracing team are unable to contact all of the individuals who may have been present (for example: larger facilities). DHD2 wants to make the public aware of location(s) that may have allowed for low risk exposure, therefore, making individual identification difficult. Individuals who were present at the listed **Oscoda, MI** location(s), at the designated time, have the potential for exposure:

- Oscoda Area High School Graduation/Commencement Ceremony on June 28, 2020 from 12:00 p.m. – 3:00 p.m.

Individuals should monitor for symptoms consistent with COVID-19. If they do not develop symptoms within 14 days of these dates, there is nothing to be done. Those that develop symptoms within 14 days of these dates should contact their doctor and consider COVID-19 testing.

While this news may be unnerving for some, it is why we continue to urge residents to:

- Wear a mask when in public
- Maintain social distancing
- Wash your hands frequently for at least 20 seconds
- Avoid touching your face
- Disinfect commonly touched surfaces

Denise Bryan, Health Officer at DHD2 states, “Situations like this emphasize the importance of social distancing and wearing a face covering in public settings, even outdoors when social distancing is difficult to maintain, to help prevent the spread of COVID-19 to others. Cloth face coverings are most likely to reduce the spread of COVID-19 when they are widely used by people in public settings.”