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## Erie County reports 1 new positive case of COVID-19; cumulative total is 1,297

Erie, PA – County Executive Kathy Dahlkemper and Erie County Department of Health announce one new positive case of COVID-19 has been reported in Erie County as of 12:01 a.m. on Aug. 24. Since Friday, three new deaths have been reported, and 12 new cases were reported for Saturday and 13 new cases were reported for Sunday.

The total cumulative cases of COVID-19 in Erie County is 1,297, with 1,025 recovered cases, 234 active cases and 38 deaths reported in NEDSS.

This information can be found on the [chart](#) on the “Positive Cases in Erie County” page at [eriecountypa.gov](http://eriecountypa.gov).

The next press briefing on COVID-19 in Erie County will take place Wednesday, Aug. 26, at 3 p.m.

All questions related to COVID-19 should be directed to Erie County Department of Health at 814-451-6700 or [ecdinfo@eriecountypa.gov](mailto:ecdinfo@eriecountypa.gov).

For more information related to COVID-19 including fact sheets, business resources, family resources, videos, translations, guidance and more, visit [eriecountypa.gov](http://eriecountypa.gov) and the social media accounts for Erie County, Pa., and Erie County Department of Health.

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