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Erie County reports 29 new positive cases of COVID-19; cumulative case total is 17,645; 2 additional deaths

Erie, PA – County Executive Kathy Dahlkemper and Erie County Department of Health announce 29 new positive cases of COVID-19 have been reported in Erie County as of 11:59 p.m. on March 7. Two additional deaths were reported over the weekend.

Data from the weekend:

Day	Positive cases reported
11:59 p.m. on March 5	27
11:59 p.m. on March 6	19

The total cumulative cases of COVID-19 in Erie County is 17,645, with 444 total deaths (reported in NEDSS).

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

All residents are reminded to wear a mask that covers their nose and mouth when near anyone who does not live inside their home, keep a 6-foot distance from others, stay home as much as possible – and definitely when feeling ill, wash hands frequently, and limit activities outside of their homes.

The next press briefing will take place Wednesday, March 10, at 3 p.m.

All questions related to COVID-19 should be directed to Erie County Department of Health at 814-451-6700 or ecdhinfo@eriecountypa.gov.

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