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April 26, 2020 Erie County, Ohio Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) update

Please see the following charts for a current status report on the number of Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID-19) cases in Erie County, Ohio as of April 26, 2020. Please note: the decrease in the number of probable cases is due to those individuals receiving negative laboratory test results for COVID-19.

Total number of cases of COVID-19 in Erie County, Ohio	47
Total number of laboratory-confirmed cases	43
Total number of probable cases	4
Total number of COVID-19 deaths in Erie County, Ohio	3
Total number of laboratory-confirmed deaths	3
Total number of probable deaths	0

Total number of hospitalized patients at Firelands for various reasons	99
Total number of COVID-19 positive patients being treated at Firelands	3
Total number of COVID-19 positive patients discharged from Firelands	10
Total number of COVID-19 positive patient deaths at Firelands	1
Total number of employees within Firelands Regional Health System facilities **who have tested positive** for COVID-19	18
Total number of employees at Firelands Regional Medical Center (hospital-based) who are positive for COVID-19	3
Total number of employees within Firelands Regional Health System who have recovered per CDC guidelines	3

The Erie County Health Department and Firelands Regional Health System continue to work closely to identify and test potential cases. For up-to-date local information, visit the Erie County COVID-19 Dashboard at CovidErieOhio.com. For questions about COVID-19, call the Erie County COVID-19 Information Center at 567-867-3243.

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