

## Media Information:

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## Yellowstone County Reports COVID-19 Related Death

**Billings, MT** – RiverStone Health, Yellowstone County's public health department, reports another Yellowstone County resident has died due to COVID-19 related illness.

On Friday, August 28, a man in his 90s passed away in a Yellowstone County hospital.

This most recent death is reflected on the Saturday, August 29 state COVID-19 tracking map.

To protect the privacy of the deceased and his family, RiverStone Health will not release further information.

"This morning a family woke up without a husband, father, grandfather, brother or uncle for the first time due to COVID-19. I offer sincere condolences to the family and friends of the deceased and hope their grief lessens over time," said John Felton, Yellowstone County Health Officer and RiverStone Health President and CEO.

To date, 2,012 Yellowstone County residents have been infected with COVID-19 and 43 have died.

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