

Media Information:

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Yellowstone County Reports COVID-19 Related Death

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

On Friday, September 25, a man in his 60s passed away in a Yellowstone County hospital.

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

This most recent death is reflected on the Sunday, September 27 state COVID-19 tracking map.

"The loss of a loved one is never easy and I hope the deceased's family and friends will find comfort in cherished memories," said John Felton, Yellowstone County Health Officer, President and CEO of RiverStone Health.

"So far we've lost 18 Yellowstone County residents this month due to COVID-19. That is one person every day and a half and matches the number of lives lost in August to this tragic disease. In August 1,046 residents became infected with COVID-19 and 1,113 have become infected this month. With several days left in September, we are definitely trending worse than last month," said Felton.

To date, 3,206 Yellowstone County residents have been infected with COVID-19 and 64 have died.

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