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[Columbus, NE] – East-Central District Health Department (ECDHD) has confirmed an additional case of COVID-19 within its jurisdiction in Platte County. This brings the total number of cases in the ECDHD four-county service area to 13.

The initial investigation has revealed no apparent travel or contact with a known sick contact and appears to be community acquired. One household member also has symptoms and is being treated as a probable case. All household members have been quarantined.

In total, the cumulative County counts are as follows, with probable cases in parentheses:

- Boone 0 (0 probable)
- Colfax 4 (4 probable)
- Nance 1 (1 probable)
- Platte 8 (4 probable)

The ages of confirmed and probable range from 9 to 83 years of age.

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