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## Lincoln County COVID-19 Exposure at Outboards Bar & Grill

Lincoln County Health Department (LCHD) reports a COVID-19 exposure at Outboards Bar & Grill in Tomahawk. Several individuals who have tested positive for COVID-19 were at the establishment during a time they were contagious and possibly spreading the virus.

Individuals who were at Outboards Bar & Grill on Tuesday, September 15 from 6-8 pm who did not practice physical distancing may have been exposed to COVID-19.

If you feel you may have been exposed, monitor yourself for symptoms and stay home as much as possible for 14 days after the last date you were exposed. If you must leave your home, wear a face covering, maintain at least 6 feet of physical distance from others, and practice good hand hygiene. Individuals in need of additional guidance can complete the WI COVID-19 Screening Tool <https://www.wihealthconnect.com/> at no cost. A trained medical professional will follow up with you to review your results and answer your questions.

Anyone who develops symptoms should contact their healthcare provider about being tested. Symptoms of COVID-19 include fever, chills, cough, shortness of breath, loss of taste or smell, sore throat, fatigue, body/muscle aches, diarrhea, vomiting and nausea.

LCHD is collaborating with the Wisconsin National Guard to provide free COVID-19 testing on Thursday, October 1, 2020 from 10 am to 6 pm at Sara Park in Tomahawk. Pre-registration will be available within 24 hours of the event at <http://register.covidconnect.wi.gov>.

LCHD encourages the public to monitor our COVID-19 Outbreaks and Exposures webpage <https://co.lincoln.wi.us/health/page/covid-19-outbreaks-and-exposures>. LCHD updates this page with places identified in Lincoln County, through disease investigations, in which a high risk exposure to COVID-19 may have occurred. Appearance on this list does not necessarily mean the establishment did something wrong nor does it mean the establishment should be closed.

LCHD will continue to update our Facebook page Monday - Friday, with current COVID-19 case counts. This is a rapidly evolving situation. For the latest information about COVID-19 in Lincoln County visit: <https://co.lincoln.wi.us/covid19> or follow us on Facebook. You can also visit the [CDC's website](#) or the [DHS website](#).

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