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THE FLORIDA DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH IN PASCO COUNTY HAS INVESTIGATED 100% OF REPORTED COVID-19 CASES

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PASCO COUNTY, Fla. – The Florida Department of Health in Pasco County (DOH-Pasco) has investigated 100% of all reported confirmed COVID-19 cases in Pasco County as of Monday June 1, 2020. This is a significant accomplishment, as it allows DOH-Pasco epidemiologists to identify contacts and implement control measures in a timely manner.

As of this week, Pasco County has tested over 14,400 people for COVID-19, and DOH-Pasco appreciates both their employees and community partners who have worked so hard to reach this milestone. Along with providing testing and other services related to COVID-19, DOH-Pasco continues to assist clients who participate in DOH programs and services while practicing social distancing; in March and April, nearly $1.2 million in WIC benefits were redeemed in Pasco County.

In addition to testing, Pasco County partners continue to reach out to help those in need during the COVID-19 Safer At Home Executive Order. Pasco County Senior Services has served over 50,000 meals to people in need since March 16, 2020.

Pasco County Senior Services is a division of the Pasco County Community Services Department, which offers congregate and home-delivered meals to individuals who are age 60 or over, frail and home-bound. For more information on Pasco County Senior Services, visit https://www.pascocountyfl.net/366/Senior-Services.

DOH-Pasco continues to work diligently to help stop the spread of COVID-19 through testing, contact tracing, information and education throughout the community.

For more information on COVID-19 in Florida, visit www.floridahealth.gov/covid-19, email covid-19@flhealth.gov or call (866) 779-6121.

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