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**DUBOIS HEALTH DEPARTMENT CONFIRMS**  
**3rd COVID-19 DEATH**

**“It is with tremendous sorrow that I share the news of the loss of our third COVID-19 related death in a Dubois County resident,” said Dr. Ted Wafart, Dubois County Health Officer. “We at the Dubois County Health Department send our sincere condolences to friends and family of this individual.”**

**The individual did have underlying medical conditions. No further information about the patient will be released due to privacy laws. We appreciate the community’s show of respect regarding the loss of one of our own citizens.**

**Please remember the best way to protect yourself and the rest of our community is to wash your hands often, avoid touching your face, avoid close contact with people who are sick, stay home when you’re sick, cover your cough or sneeze, and clean and disinfect frequently touched objects and surfaces. Don’t forget it is very important to wear a cloth face mask when out in public and continue to social distance.**

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