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JCDHE confirms one case of Norovirus

JOHNSON COUNTY, KANSAS (Feb. 6, 2016) – The Johnson County Department of Health and Environment has received confirmation of one positive case of norovirus associated with the investigation at Buffalo Wild Wings at the end of January. Additional results are pending lab confirmation. There have been no further reports of illness.

“There are these types of illness are common this time of year,” said Lougene Marsh, JCDHE’s director. “The best thing you can do is wash your hands properly and stay home when you are sick to prevent the spread of these types of illness.”

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About Johnson County, Kansas

Located in the southwestern quadrant of the Kansas City Metropolitan Region, Johnson County, Kansas is a community of choice with a current population of more than 560,000, making it the most populated of the 105 counties in Kansas, but traditionally having the lowest mill levy in the state. For more information visit the county’s website at www.jocogov.org.