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**Johnson County Department of Health and Environment  
surveys population about coronavirus symptoms**

JOHNSON COUNTY, KAN. (April 7, 2020) – Johnson County Department of Health and Environment (JCHDE) is asking Johnson County residents to complete a short survey in order to understand how many people in Johnson County have or do not have symptoms of coronavirus (COVID-19). The survey will be available starting Tuesday, April 7<sup>th</sup> at 10 a.m. and will close on Friday, April 10<sup>th</sup> at 10 a.m. Survey link: [Population Health Survey](#)

This short survey asks about your symptoms or lack of symptoms, demographic and contact information. The survey should be completed for every member of the household. The information is confidential and will only be used by JCDHE to determine how COVID-19 is spreading in the community. You will be asked to do this same survey several more times in the next few weeks in order to compare results.

“Please fill out the survey accurately and completely. Completing the survey is voluntary, but we ask that as many people as possible participate to get a good picture of how the coronavirus is spreading in the community”, states Dr. Sanmi Areola, JCDHE director.

If the public has questions about the survey they can call the Johnson County Community Hotline at 913-715-2819, Monday-Friday, 8 a.m. to 5 p.m. or visit [www.cdc.gov/COVID19](http://www.cdc.gov/COVID19) or [www.jocogov.org/coronavirus](http://www.jocogov.org/coronavirus) or <https://govstatus.egov.com/coronavirus> for more information about COVID-19.

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