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TO: Grant County healthcare providers, infection control staff, supervisory nursing staff, clinic management, school nurses.

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Fourth Grant County Resident Death from Coronavirus (COVID-19)

Grant County, WA – Grant County Health District was notified on May 18, 2020 that a hospitalized male in his 50s from Grand Coulee passed away due to complications from COVID-19. This death brings the total Grant County COVID-19-related deaths to four (4).

Our hearts are with his family and friends. On behalf of Unified Command, our staff, Health Officer, and Board of Health, we are so sorry for your loss.

Today four cases of confirmed COVID-19 were reported to GCHD and the one case reported on Sunday, May 17, 2020 was reassigned to another county where that patient now resides, bringing the total in Grant County to 193.

For detailed information on Grant County COVID-19 related statistics, visit www.granthealth.org.

Please continue practice all possible measures to avoid infection or spread of this disease including:

- Staying home except for essential trips for things like groceries or doctor appointments,
- Physical Distancing of 6 feet,
- Wearing mask when going into public, and
- Washing your hands when you get home.

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