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PCHD News Release
PCHD to Begin Free Community Testing for COVID-19

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Pike County, IL – The Pike County Health Department (PCHD) continues to offer **FREE DRIVE-THRU COVID-19 testing** at the Pike-Scott Farm Bureau located at 1301 E Washington St. in Pittsfield. Testing will be offered Monday – Thursday from 9:00 am – 1:00 pm.

Please note that this testing is NOT a rapid test. Tests will result in 2-3 days. Participants will be notified by email of test results. If the participant does not have an email address, PCHD will call with **POSITIVE** results only.

Follow posted signage to enter the testing site. Testing will be drive-thru. Please stay in your car. PCHD staff will gather necessary information for testing and oversee self-collection of the COVID-19 test. Results of the test will be available approximately 48-72 hours from test date.

PCHD also provides free COVID-19 vaccinations and booster shots. Clinics will be every Thursday in December, 1:30 – 4:30 pm at the health department. Please go to www.pikecountyil.org for more information.

The best way to prevent contracting COVID-19 continues to be socially distancing yourself, washing your hands, masking, and getting a COVID-19 vaccination per CDC recommendations.

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