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1 new case and no recent deaths related to COVID-19 reported

WINDOW ROCK, Ariz. – On Sunday, the Navajo Department of Health, in coordination with the Navajo Epidemiology Center and the Navajo Area Indian Health Service, reported one new COVID-19 positive case for the Navajo Nation and no recent deaths. The total number of deaths remains 1,346 as previously reported. A full report will be available on Monday.

On Saturday, the state of Arizona reported 385 new cases, Utah reported 249, and New Mexico will report its weekend cases on Monday.

“Happy Father’s Day to all of the fathers and grandfathers across the Navajo Nation. We wish you all a safe and joyful time with your family and loved ones. With our Nation’s high rate of vaccinations, we are optimistic that we won’t see a spike in new infections due to the holiday, but we must remain diligent and keep pushing back on this virus. Community immunity is our goal, so please get vaccinated if you haven’t already,” said Navajo Nation President Jonathan Nez.

Health care facilities across the Navajo Nation continue to administer COVID-19 vaccines during drive-thru events or by appointment. If you would like to receive the vaccine, please contact your health care provider for more information for your Service Unit.

“We are in this fight against COVID-19 together, so keep taking precautions and stay safe where ever you go. We have to get more of our people vaccinated to reach community immunity and we have to keep supporting one another. Be safe and keep praying for our communities and our frontline workers,” said Vice President Myron Lizer.

For more information, including helpful prevention tips, and resources to help stop the spread of COVID-19, visit the Navajo Department of Health's COVID-19 website: <http://www.ndoh.navajo-nsn.gov/COVID-19>. For COVID-19 related questions and information, call (928) 871-7014.

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