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COVID-19 Update Friday, April 24, 2020

The following updated, cumulative data reflects COVID-19 related deaths for Lehigh County residents, that have been reported to our office. The Lehigh County Coroner's Office offers this information to educate and inform the residents of Lehigh County on the effects of the COVID-19 pandemic and its impact to our community.

Municipality of Residence	Deaths
Allentown	19
Bethlehem	7
Heidelberg Township	1
Lower Macungie Township	23
South Whitehall Township	17
Upper Macungie Township	2
Upper Saucon Township	1
Whitehall Township	5
Total Lehigh County Residents	75

The average age of these 75 residents was 79.01 years old. 53% of the residents were male and 47% were female. This data includes test confirmed positive and presumed positive cases, as determined by the medical certifier.

The staff of the Lehigh County Coroner's Office continues to serve the residents of Lehigh County 24 hours a day, 7 days a week throughout this pandemic. Our staff continues to investigate deaths of those individuals who die within the County and serve their families. For the month of April, we have seen a greater than 43% increase in the number of investigations from this same time period in 2019.

We wish our most sincere condolences to the families affected as well thoughts of strength and healing to our entire Lehigh County community.

Respectfully,

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