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### COVID-19 Community Based Testing Continues in Trinity County

**Trinity County** – Over the last two weeks, Trinity County Health and Human Services (HHS) Public Health Branch (PHB) and its partners from the California Department of Public Health (CDPH) Testing Task Force and Verily Life Sciences have successfully conducted COVID-19 Testing in the areas of Hayfork, Weaverville, and Willow Creek, resulting in the testing of 187 individuals. To continue to ensure broad testing access for all Trinity County residents, two (2) drive-thru testing sites will be conducted this week according to the following schedule:

- Wednesday, June 17<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 am – 2:00 pm at Trinity County Fair Grounds, 6000 Hwy 3, Hayfork
- Thursday, June 18<sup>th</sup>, 10:00 am – 3:00 pm at Big Rock Day Use Area, 2383-2405 Trinity River Hwy, Willow Creek

Individuals can now complete the online registration process, which includes creating a Google (“Gmail”) email account, completing the screening form and a short health insurance attestation. Verily will bill insurance for those that have healthcare coverage, there is no cost to the individual for testing whether or not they have health insurance. Once completed, individuals can make an appointment online using the Baseline COVID-19 Program appointment scheduling system found on our [trinitycounty.org](http://trinitycounty.org) website or at [www.projectbaseline.com/COVID19](http://www.projectbaseline.com/COVID19). Appointments are available for scheduling three (3) days prior to the scheduled drive-thru site. After scheduling your appointment, please take the time to view the video titled “5 Steps to Getting Tested Through Baseline’s COVID-19 Testing Program”, so that you are aware of how the testing process works. This video can be found at [www.trinitycounty.org/mobile-test](http://www.trinitycounty.org/mobile-test)



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This is a free testing service, and its purpose is to protect the public health and safety of our communities by allowing for increased surveillance of disease activity in Trinity County and ensure broad access to testing for all of our residents in Trinity County. Eligibility for free testing is as follows:

- persons must be 18 years of age or older
- must electronically complete the Screening Form
- Sign the COVID-19 Public Health Authorization form and Lab consent.

All client information is kept confidential under the law.

For those who do not have online access, or who need help completing the registration process, please contact the Mobile Testing Trinity County PHB Help Line at (530) 623-8235 and someone will return your call within 24 hours to assist you in completing registration and scheduling an appointment.