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As of yesterday's report, Greenwood County had 17 additional confirmed cases in the county for a total of 121 cases confirmed since 21 March. Over the past three days there has been confusion with the numbers presented here and if they included all cases in Greenwood to include assisted living facilities. We have clarified with SCDHEC that these numbers do include them. I apologize for the confusion. *Remember this is only those which have been confirmed and is for those who were tested a minimum of two days ago. This means there are others who have been tested and are in quarantine awaiting results. Additionally, an individual can be asymptomatic, (contagious but shows no symptoms), who would not meet the criteria to be tested.*

The first 67 cases in Greenwood County were reported over 15 days ago, so there are 67 individuals who should have recovered from the virus. Additionally, Greenwood County had 1 death due to the virus. This brings Greenwood County's remaining total of active confirmed cases to 53. *DHEC does not track recovered individuals by county, so this number is an estimate based on the following: Most individuals recover from the virus within this time frame.*

SCDHEC reported an additional 156 new confirmed cases in the state for a total of 10,788. Also, they reported 4 new deaths in the state for a total of 470; Chesterfield(1), Fairfield(1), Greenville(1), and York(1). All individuals were elderly. For additional information on underlying conditions or other information in this section, please call DHEC at 1-855- 472- 3432.

SCDHEC and private labs have conducted 187,788 tests. Of this number, 10,788 or 5.7% individuals have tested positive and 177,000 or 94.3% have tested negative across the state. Yesterday, 6,634 tests were completed and 156 or 2.4% tested positive and 6,478 or 97.6% tested negative. To view additional information, see [DHEC's COVID-19 webpage](#).