Attention BACA county community friends! Update SARS-CoV-2 COVID-19 SURVEILLANCE

Southeast Colorado Hospital District Long Term Care Center is proactively informing you that we will be participating in testing for SARS-CoV-2, the virus that causes COVID-19. This surveillance is at the request of the Federal and State regulatory agencies. To date, SECHD LTC HAS NOT HAD nor received anyone with this virus.

We want our county/community to know this surveillance will be conducted with the assistance of the National Guard. A date for sample collection has not yet been established. Samples from Residents and Staff will be sent to the state lab.

We are happy the State and National Guard are assisting us to keep our elders safe from COVID-19 exposure.

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