

# Oblong Community Unit School District No. 4

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Dear Stakeholders,

I wanted to provide an update regarding the respiratory illness Coronavirus or COVID19. I again wanted to assure you our school district is keeping track of the situation. We continue to seek guidance from sources such as the Crawford County Health Department, Illinois Department of Public Health (IDPH), and the Center for Disease Control (CDC).

We have met and communicated frequently with the Crawford County Health Department. Currently, we have 0 cases of COVID19 in Crawford County. However, if we have confirmed cases of COVID19 we will follow directions from the Health Department and take action. Actions include limiting large group interaction or possibly school closure depending on the specific case or situation.

I know students and families are watching news from around the county about this virus. Please be assured that we are in close contact with health officials and we will not hesitate to follow their direction to protect public health. Please contact me with any questions.

Sincerely,



Jeff Patchett  
Oblong CUSD #4