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Electra Hospital District's COVID-19 Action Plan – Electra and Iowa Park

IOWA PARK, Texas – With confirmed cases of COVID-19 in Wichita County, Electra Hospital District is staying alert and vigilant. An emergency plan has been activated and has entered Phase II.

"Please know that EHD is dedicated to the health and safety of our patients and staying on top of all COVID-19 activity by following the recommended CDC guidelines," said Rebecca McCain, chief executive officer at EHD. "We are currently in Phase II of our Action Plan. Please stay tuned to our website and Facebook pages for live updates as things progress."

In Phase II of its Action Plan, EHD has restricted access to the hospital, clinics, and pharmacies. This includes Electra Memorial Hospital, Electra Medical Clinic, and Goldsmith's Drug in Electra, as well as the Iowa Park locations, Park Clinic, Iowa Park Clinic, and Iowa Park Pharmacy.

EHD has issued the following statement regarding Phase II restrictions:

Electra Memorial Hospital and Electra Medical Clinic, located inside the hospital, are our *Active Treatment Facilities*. If you are sick, please call beforehand or come to the hospital where you will be directed to the appropriate setting. Patients with follow-up or well visits will be seen via telehealth in all our clinics. Sick patients in Iowa Park should come to Electra Medical Clinic. If transportation is needed, please call your provider's clinic and arrangements will be made for you. If you are in distress, please call 911 or come to the emergency department of Electra Memorial Hospital. Visitors in the hospital will be restricted to one designated visitor per patient. Visitors must be immediate family and must pass a screening test before entering our facilities. We ask that you keep visits brief and not bring children along unless they are ill or needing treatment. We will continue to report any suspected cases to the health department for follow up.

EHD has also created a designated COVID-19 alert page on its website where you can find the full Action Plan, information from the Wichita County Public Health District and the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention, current confirmed case statistics in our area, and information on testing.

To view the District's COVID-19 alert page and read the newest information surrounding the illness, visit <u>www.electrahospital.com/COVID-19</u>.

Electra Hospital District wants to be viewed as the best in the communities it serves—whether through the delivery of healthcare needs, as an employer, or as a community member. Holding itself to the highest standards of quality in all it provides, Electra Hospital District encourages employees to be active at the community level and to strive to be examples of service not only to patients, but also to surrounding communities. When it comes to your healthcare needs, Electra Hospital District is your community resource for top-quality care. For more information, please visit www.electrahospital.com.

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