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### **2019 Novel Coronavirus**

**(Hardyston, NJ)** From of 12:01 AM on February 5, 2020 to 12:00 AM on February 8, 2021 the Sussex County Division of Health (SCDOH) announces 154 additional cases of COVID-19 among County residents, with an average of 51 cases daily, for a total number of 8,664\* confirmed cases. Of the 8,664\* cases, 7,374 cases have been classified as recovered. Additionally, the SCDOH reports 2 new deaths for a total of 264 deaths.

If you have questions about COVID-19, residents may call the County hotline number at 973-579-9488 to speak with a Division of Health staff member or Sussex County Medical Reserve Corps volunteer. The Hotline's hours of operation are Monday through Friday from 9:00a.m. to 4:00p.m. Additional information can be accessed by calling 2-1-1 or 1-800-962-1253 for information from the New Jersey Department of Health, or text NJCOVID to 898-211. You can also visit the Sussex County Division of Health COVID- 19 webpage at <https://sussex.nj.us/covid19>.

*Please note that data is provisional and subject to revision.*

*\*(Three prior reported positive cases have been re-assigned out of County)*