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City of Malibu Statement On Release Of Novel Coronavirus Information From Los Angeles County Department Of Public Health

(Malibu, CA) – The Los Angeles County Department of Public Health (LADPH) shared guidelines with the City of Malibu about the release of information pertinent to the current Novel Coronavirus (COVID-19) situation in Los Angeles County. To protect patient privacy, LADPH does not provide details of specific cases. Public health investigations, under state and federal law, are confidential. Specific information is disclosed by LADPH when necessary to prevent the occurrence of additional cases. LADPH will provide additional information regarding Novel Coronavirus cases only when: a new case of the virus is confirmed; if a person confirmed to have the virus has died; and if there is a confirmed case at public locations and it is necessary to identify additional persons at risk for being infected. For more information about Novel Coronavirus visit the LADPH website at http://publichealth.lacounty.gov/media/Coronavirus.

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