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Parents (Guardians):

I had the opportunity to visit with officials from Lincoln County Medical Center to discuss proactive school/community measures regarding COVID-19, also known as the coronavirus.

Ruidoso Municipal School District (RMSD) takes the health and safety of our students and staff very seriously. To this end, we want to keep everyone updated and informed regarding any potential health risk associated with the coronavirus. RMSD is working closely with the New Mexico Department of Health (NMDoH) and Lincoln County Medical Center to ensure that we have an effective preparedness and management system in place, in the event that the virus poses a serious threat to students, staff, and the community. We will follow the guidelines from the Department of Health as those become available.

In order to protect you and your family, the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention (CDC) recommends getting a flu vaccine and taking preventive measures to help stop the spread of germs, such as using proper handwashing techniques and covering coughs and sneezes. If your child is sick, please do not send them to school. The CDC also recommends the same preventive measures for the coronavirus.

We will continue to be vigilant in monitoring the situation and in providing updated information. I am including links to additional resources for information regarding COVID-19 (coronavirus).

Resources:

World Health Organization: <https://www.who.int/health-topics/coronavirus>

CDC: <https://www.cdc.gov/coronavirus/2019-ncov/community/index.html>

NMDoH: <https://nmhealth.org/about/erd/ideb/ncov/>

If you have any questions, our RMSD contact is Patricia Ordorica, RN, BSN at (575) 258-6303, ordoricap@ruidososchools.org

Sincerely,

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