

Not all Heroes Wear Capes

Do you know someone that would make a great contact tracer and be interested in helping be a part of the solution and help fight the COVID-19 pandemic? The Kent County Health Department is looking for Contact Tracers.

What is contact tracing, and why is contact tracing important?

Contact tracing is the process of tracking down an individual who has had an infectious disease and the people that person has potentially been in contact with. It's a confidential process that has been used by health departments for years to help slow the spread of infectious diseases and avoid outbreaks.

Contact tracing is a crucial part of good public health. It enables health departments to determine where there might be an increased risk of a COVID-19 outbreak. That gives an early alert to people who may have been exposed so they can take precautions and not further spread any disease. The public plays a key role in providing contact tracers with complete information, which helps to limit the number of new cases.

- If you know someone that may be interested in the contact tracer position, please share the information with them.
- They will need to apply through Maxim Health Care Services (MHCS).
- Make sure they tell MHCS staff that they heard about the contact tracing position through the Kent County Health Department.

For job description and to apply, please follow the link: <https://www.maximhealthcare.com>

If you are not able to access through the link, applicants should be directed to www.joinmaxim.com. The position will be listed as 'Contact Tracer II' and applicants can search for this position by either location, or job.

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- Selected candidates will need to complete a brief 20-30-minute phone interview with KCHD representative.
- Candidates must be comfortable using excel spreadsheets, email (attaching documents), and navigating the state website.
- Must be open to working at least 1 Saturday per month.
- Training will be provided after interviews and offers.