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**Press Release**

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**Southwest Health District Announces Closure Ahead of Hurricane Helene**

**Albany, GA**— Due to the projected impacts in our area from Hurricane Helene, all Southwest Health District facilities will be closed on Thursday, September 26, and Friday, September 27, 2024. Our offices plan to reopen on Monday, September 30, 2024, at their regular scheduled hours.

We apologize for any inconvenience this delay may cause and appreciate your understanding and cooperation during this time. Our priority is the safety and well-being of our community, and we encourage everyone to stay informed about weather updates, exercise caution while traveling, and prioritize personal safety.

COVID-19 testing is available 24/7 at the **Dougherty County Health Department**, 1710 S. Slappey Blvd. Albany, GA, and the **Colquitt County Health Department**, 214 West Central Ave., Moultrie, GA, through the TEST&GO™ COVID-19 PCR Kiosk. Pre-registration for testing at the kiosks is not required but is available at <https://register.testandgo.com/>.

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