



NEWS ADVISORY

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Friday, April 24, 2020

For the second day in a row, nine people in Hidalgo County test positive for COVID-19

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New COVID-19 positive cases Friday	9
Total COVID-19 positive cases in Hidalgo County	299
Number in area hospitals on Friday	21
Number of hospitalized patients in intensive care units	5
Number released from isolation on Friday	12
Total released from isolation	135
Number of fatalities on Friday	0
Total number of fatalities	4
Total number of COVID-19 tests administered	3,338
Total number of tests that are positive	299
Total number of tests that are negative	2,901
Total number of tests pending results	138

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The latest nine positive tests include:

Gender	City	Age range
Male	Elsa	30s
Female	Mission	40s
Female	San Juan	80s
Female	Edinburg	20s
Male	Weslaco	30s
Male	Edcouch	60s
Female	Edinburg	30s
Female	Edinburg	5-10
Male	Edinburg	30s

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