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NEWS RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Friday, June 19, 2020

Another Hidalgo County resident dies from COVID-19 complications; 109 more test positive

EDINBURG – As the number of people tested passes the 30,000 mark, another person has died from complications related to COVID-19, Hidalgo County Judge Richard F. Cortez said Friday. The death comes as 109 other residents tested positive for the virus bringing the total number of known cases to 1,556.

The death involved a Pharr man in his 80s with underlying medical conditions.

“We have lost another one of our county residents to this deadly disease. My deepest condolences go out to their family and friends,” Judge Cortez said. “There are many of us in Hidalgo County who are more vulnerable and susceptible to becoming seriously ill. We need to wear our masks, avoid mass gatherings, wash our hands and continue to practice social distancing. These steps have proven to slow the spread of COVID-19.”

One hundred-three people remain hospitalized with complications from the virus; 13 of those cases are being treated in intensive care units. Forty-three people were released from isolation on Friday meaning that they have been symptom-free for 10 days, including three days without a fever. There are currently 861 net active cases and 1,137 test results are pending.

There will not be a report on Saturday. The next report will be on Sunday, June 21, 2020.

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New COVID-19 positive case total for Friday	109
Total COVID-19 positive cases in Hidalgo County	1,556
Total Number in Hidalgo County hospitals	103
Number of hospitalized patients in intensive care units	13
Number released from isolation Friday	43
Total released from isolation	674
Number of fatalities Friday	1
Total number of fatalities	21
Net active cases	861
Total number of COVID-19 tests administered	30,430
Total number of tests that are positive	1,556
Total number of tests that are negative	27,737
Total number of tests pending results	1,137

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Friday's new positive cases included:

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Age Range	Gender	City		Age Range	Gender	City
50s	F	Alamo		50s	F	Mission
50s	F	Alamo		50s	F	Mission
40s	F	Alamo		50s	M	Mission
40s	F	Alamo		40s	F	Mission
20s	M	Alamo		40s	F	Mission
20s	M	Alton		30s	F	Mission
40s	F	Donna		30s	F	Mission
40s	M	Donna		30s	M	Mission
30s	F	Donna		30s	F	Mission
30s	F	Donna		30s	M	Mission
30s	F	Donna		20s	M	Mission
20s	F	Donna		20s	M	Mission
0-19	F	Donna		20s	F	Mission
70+	M	Edinburg		20s	F	Mission
60s	M	Edinburg		20s	M	Mission
50s	M	Edinburg		20s	F	Mission
40s	F	Edinburg		20s	U	Mission
40s	F	Edinburg		70+	M	Pharr
40s	F	Edinburg		70+	M	Pharr
40s	M	Edinburg		70+	F	Pharr
40s	M	Edinburg		70+	F	Pharr
40s	M	Edinburg		60s	F	Pharr
30s	F	Edinburg		60s	M	Pharr
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30s	M	Edinburg		60s	M	Pharr
30s	M	Edinburg		50s	M	Pharr

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30s	F	Hidalgo		30s	M	Pharr
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40s	F	McAllen		20s	M	Pharr
40s	F	McAllen		20s	M	Pharr
40s	M	McAllen		20s	M	Pharr
40s	F	McAllen		20s	M	Pharr
30s	M	McAllen		50s	F	San Juan
30s	M	McAllen		50s	M	San Juan
20s	F	McAllen		40s	F	San Juan
0-19	F	McAllen		30s	F	San Juan
0-19	F	McAllen		0-19	F	San Juan
0-19	F	McAllen		50s	M	Undisclosed
50s	M	Mercedes		40s	F	Undisclosed
50s	M	Mercedes		40s	M	Undisclosed
20s	F	Mercedes		30s	M	Undisclosed
0-19	F	Mercedes		60s	M	Weslaco
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