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Nine more die of COVID-19 related causes in Hidalgo County; 193 more positive cases

EDINBURG – Nine more Hidalgo County residents died from COVID-19 related causes and 193 more people tested positive, officials with the Hidalgo County Health and Human Services Department reported Thursday.

“Every day, more are getting sick and more are dying,” Hidalgo County Richard F. Cortez said. “We must stop this as a community by observing safety measures such as staying home and avoiding crowds. My condolences go out to the family and friends of those who have died.”

New COVID-19 positive case total for Thursday 193

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