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NEWS RELEASE

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Thursday, July 15, 2021

Two deaths related to COVID-19 reported in Hidalgo County along with 120 positive cases.

**All numbers are subject to update and review*

COVID-19 positive case total for Thursday	120
Confirmed	34
Probable	82
Suspect	4
Total COVID-19 positive cases in Hidalgo County	94,737
Confirmed	61,634
Probable	30,857
Suspect	2,246
Total number in Hidalgo County hospitals	86
Number of hospitalized patients in intensive care units	28
Number released from isolation Thursday	76
Total released from isolation	91,044
Number of fatalities reported Thursday	2
Total number of fatalities	2,925
Net active cases	768
Total number of COVID-19 tests administered	546,116
Total number of tests that are positive	94,737
Total number of tests that are negative	450,571



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Hidalgo County uses the case status definition provided by the Texas Department of State Health Service's 2020 Epi Case Criteria Guide revised November 2020.

1. *Confirmed: A person who has tested positive through a molecular or PCR (oral or nasal swabs) test that looks for the presence of the virus's genetic material.*
2. *Probable: A person who meets presumptive laboratory evidence through detection of COVID-19 by antigen test in a respiratory specimen.*
3. *Suspect: A person who meets supported laboratory evidence through detection of specific antibodies in serum, plasma, whole body, and no prior history of being confirmed or probable case.*

For more information of case status definition for COVID-19, please refer to:

<https://www.dshs.state.tx.us/IDCU/investigation/epi-case-criteria-guide/2020-Epi-Case-Criteria-Guide.pdf>

The deaths include:

	Age	Gender	City
1	40s	Male	Edinburg
2	50s	Male	McAllen



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Thursday, July 15, 2021 positive cases include:

	Age Range	Gender	City		Age Range	Gender	City
1	20s	F	Alamo	61	20s	M	McAllen
2	20s	F	Alamo	62	20s	M	McAllen
3	30s	F	Alamo	63	20s	M	McAllen
4	60s	F	Alamo	64	20s	F	McAllen
5	0-19	F	Alton	65	30s	F	McAllen
6	20s	M	Alton	66	40s	M	McAllen
7	50s	F	Alton	67	40s	F	McAllen
8	0-19	M	Donna	68	40s	M	McAllen
9	0-19	F	Donna	69	50s	F	McAllen
10	0-19	M	Donna	70	70+	F	McAllen
11	0-19	F	Donna	71	0-19	M	Mission
12	0-19	M	Donna	72	0-19	F	Mission
13	0-19	M	Donna	73	0-19	M	Mission
14	20s	M	Donna	74	0-19	M	Mission
15	20s	M	Donna	75	0-19	M	Mission
16	40s	F	Donna	76	0-19	F	Mission
17	0-19	M	Edinburg	77	0-19	F	Mission
18	0-19	F	Edinburg	78	0-19	F	Mission
19	0-19	M	Edinburg	79	0-19	F	Mission
20	0-19	F	Edinburg	80	0-19	M	Mission
21	0-19	M	Edinburg	81	0-19	M	Mission
22	0-19	F	Edinburg	82	20s	M	Mission
23	0-19	F	Edinburg	83	20s	M	Mission
24	0-19	F	Edinburg	84	20s	F	Mission
25	0-19	F	Edinburg	85	20s	F	Mission
26	0-19	M	Edinburg	86	20s	F	Mission
27	0-19	F	Edinburg	87	20s	M	Mission
28	0-19	M	Edinburg	88	20s	M	Mission
29	20s	F	Edinburg	89	30s	F	Mission
30	20s	F	Edinburg	90	40s	F	Mission
31	20s	F	Edinburg	91	40s	F	Mission
32	20s	M	Edinburg	92	40s	F	Mission



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33	20s	M	Edinburg	93	50s	F	Mission
34	20s	F	Edinburg	94	50s	F	Mission
35	20s	F	Edinburg	95	60s	F	Mission
36	30s	M	Edinburg	96	0-19	F	Pharr
37	30s	F	Edinburg	97	0-19	M	Pharr
38	30s	F	Edinburg	98	20s	F	Pharr
39	30s	F	Edinburg	99	30s	F	Pharr
40	30s	M	Edinburg	100	40s	F	Pharr
41	30s	F	Edinburg	101	0-19	F	San Juan
42	40s	M	Edinburg	102	0-19	F	San Juan
43	50s	M	Edinburg	103	50s	M	San Juan
44	50s	M	Edinburg	104	50s	M	San Juan
45	50s	M	Edinburg	105	70+	F	San Juan
46	60s	M	Edinburg	106	0-19	M	Undisclosed
47	70+	F	Edinburg	107	0-19	F	Undisclosed
48	70+	F	Edinburg	108	0-19	M	Undisclosed
49	50s	M	Hidalgo	109	0-19	M	Undisclosed
50	0-19	M	McAllen	110	0-19	M	Undisclosed
51	0-19	M	McAllen	111	20s	F	Undisclosed
52	0-19	F	McAllen	112	20s	F	Undisclosed
53	0-19	M	McAllen	113	20s	F	Undisclosed
54	0-19	M	McAllen	114	30s	M	Undisclosed
55	0-19	F	McAllen	115	30s	M	Undisclosed
56	0-19	F	McAllen	116	50s	M	Undisclosed
57	0-19	M	McAllen	117	0-19	M	Weslaco
58	0-19	F	McAllen	118	20s	F	Weslaco
59	0-19	F	McAllen	119	20s	F	Weslaco
60	20s	F	McAllen	120	70+	M	Weslaco

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