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### NEWS RELEASE

**FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

Monday, December 13, 2021

**Zero deaths related to COVID-19 reported in Hidalgo County along with 181 newly reported positive cases.**

*\*Due to differences in data processing, timing, and methodology, there may be discrepancies between the information presented in this report and the Texas DSHS dashboard.*

<b>COVID-19 positive case total for Monday</b>	<b>181</b>
<b>Confirmed</b>	65
<b>Probable</b>	107
<b>Suspect</b>	9
<b>Total COVID-19 positive cases in Hidalgo County</b>	<b>121,293</b>
<b>Confirmed</b>	70,144
<b>Probable</b>	48,025
<b>Suspect</b>	3,124
<b>Total number in Hidalgo County hospitals</b>	<b>63</b>
<b>Adult</b>	60
<b>Pediatric</b>	3
<b>Total number of hospitalized patients in intensive care units</b>	<b>23</b>
<b>Adult</b>	22
<b>Pediatric</b>	1
<b>Number Released from isolation Monday</b>	<b>33</b>
<b>Total released from isolation</b>	<b>116,821</b>
<b>Number of fatalities reported Monday</b>	<b>0</b>
<b>Total number of fatalities</b>	<b>3,508</b>
<b>Net active cases</b>	<b>964</b>
<b>Total number of COVID-19 tests administered</b>	<b>730,044</b>
<b>Total number of tests that are positive</b>	<b>121,293</b>
<b>Total number of tests that are negative</b>	<b>607,948</b>
<b>Daily Schools Staff COVID-19 positive cases</b>	<b>5</b>
<b>Daily Schools Student COVID-19 positive cases</b>	<b>18</b>
<b>Total COVID-19 Positive School Staff</b>	<b>829</b>
<b>Total COVID-19 Positive Students</b>	<b>4,336</b>
<b>Total TDEM Patients Infused</b>	<b>2,539</b>



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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>

### Case Breakdown by Age Group:

Age Range	Number of Cases
0-11	60
12-19	28
20s	23
30s	22
40s	18
50s	14
60s	5
70+	11
Total:	181



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Monday, December 13, 2021 positive cases include:

	Age Range	Gender	City		Age Range	Gender	City
1	0-19	M	Alamo	92	0-19	M	Mission
2	0-19	M	Alamo	93	0-19	M	Mission
3	0-19	F	Alamo	94	0-19	M	Mission
4	0-19	M	Alamo	95	0-19	F	Mission
5	20s	F	Alamo	96	0-19	F	Mission
6	20s	F	Alamo	97	0-19	M	Mission
7	50s	M	Alamo	98	0-19	F	Mission
8	0-19	M	Alton	99	0-19	M	Mission
9	0-19	F	Alton	100	0-19	M	Mission
10	20s	M	Alton	101	0-19	F	Mission
11	0-19	F	Donna	102	0-19	M	Mission
12	0-19	F	Donna	103	0-19	M	Mission
13	0-19	F	Donna	104	0-19	M	Mission
14	0-19	F	Donna	105	20s	F	Mission
15	20s	F	Donna	106	20s	F	Mission
16	40s	M	Donna	107	20s	M	Mission
17	0-19	F	Edinburg	108	20s	F	Mission
18	0-19	F	Edinburg	109	20s	F	Mission
19	0-19	F	Edinburg	110	20s	F	Mission
20	0-19	F	Edinburg	111	20s	F	Mission
21	0-19	M	Edinburg	112	20s	F	Mission
22	0-19	M	Edinburg	113	20s	M	Mission
23	0-19	F	Edinburg	114	30s	F	Mission
24	0-19	F	Edinburg	115	30s	M	Mission
25	0-19	M	Edinburg	116	30s	M	Mission
26	0-19	F	Edinburg	117	30s	F	Mission
27	0-19	M	Edinburg	118	30s	M	Mission
28	0-19	F	Edinburg	119	30s	F	Mission
29	0-19	F	Edinburg	120	30s	F	Mission
30	0-19	F	Edinburg	121	30s	M	Mission
31	0-19	M	Edinburg	122	40s	F	Mission
32	20s	M	Edinburg	123	40s	M	Mission
33	20s	M	Edinburg	124	50s	M	Mission
34	30s	M	Edinburg	125	50s	F	Mission
35	30s	M	Edinburg	126	50s	F	Mission
36	40s	M	Edinburg	127	50s	F	Mission



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37	40s	F	Edinburg	128	60s	F	Mission
38	40s	F	Edinburg	129	60s	M	Mission
39	40s	M	Edinburg	130	70+	F	Mission
40	40s	M	Edinburg	131	70+	F	Mission
41	50s	M	Edinburg	132	70+	F	Mission
42	50s	F	Edinburg	133	0-19	F	Pharr
43	50s	F	Edinburg	134	0-19	M	Pharr
44	0-19	F	Hidalgo	135	20s	M	Pharr
45	20s	F	Hidalgo	136	20s	F	Pharr
46	20s	F	Hidalgo	137	30s	M	Pharr
47	0-19	M	McAllen	138	40s	F	Pharr
48	0-19	F	McAllen	139	60s	M	Pharr
49	0-19	M	McAllen	140	70+	F	Pharr
50	0-19	F	McAllen	141	70+	F	Pharr
51	0-19	M	McAllen	142	0-19	F	San Juan
52	0-19	F	McAllen	143	0-19	F	San Juan
53	0-19	M	McAllen	144	20s	F	San Juan
54	0-19	F	McAllen	145	20s	M	San Juan
55	20s	F	McAllen	146	40s	F	San Juan
56	20s	M	McAllen	147	0-19	M	Undisclosed
57	30s	M	McAllen	148	0-19	M	Undisclosed
58	30s	F	McAllen	149	0-19	M	Undisclosed
59	30s	F	McAllen	150	0-19	F	Undisclosed
60	30s	F	McAllen	151	30s	M	Undisclosed
61	30s	M	McAllen	152	40s	F	Undisclosed
62	40s	M	McAllen	153	40s	M	Undisclosed
63	40s	M	McAllen	154	50s	M	Undisclosed
64	40s	F	McAllen	155	50s	F	Undisclosed
65	40s	M	McAllen	156	50s	M	Undisclosed
66	50s	F	McAllen	157	0-19	F	Weslaco
67	50s	F	McAllen	158	0-19	F	Weslaco
68	60s	F	McAllen	159	0-19	F	Weslaco
69	60s	F	McAllen	160	0-19	F	Weslaco
70	70+	M	McAllen	161	0-19	F	Weslaco
71	0-19	F	Mercedes	162	0-19	M	Weslaco
72	0-19	M	Mercedes	163	0-19	F	Weslaco
73	0-19	M	Mercedes	164	0-19	F	Weslaco
74	0-19	F	Mercedes	165	0-19	F	Weslaco
75	0-19	F	Mercedes	166	0-19	F	Weslaco



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76	0-19	F	Mercedes	167	0-19	M	Weslaco
77	0-19	M	Mercedes	168	0-19	F	Weslaco
78	0-19	M	Mercedes	169	0-19	M	Weslaco
79	30s	F	Mercedes	170	0-19	M	Weslaco
80	30s	M	Mercedes	171	0-19	F	Weslaco
81	30s	F	Mercedes	172	0-19	M	Weslaco
82	70+	F	Mercedes	173	30s	M	Weslaco
83	0-19	F	Mission	174	30s	M	Weslaco
84	0-19	M	Mission	175	40s	F	Weslaco
85	0-19	M	Mission	176	40s	F	Weslaco
86	0-19	M	Mission	177	50s	F	Weslaco
87	0-19	M	Mission	178	70+	M	Weslaco
88	0-19	F	Mission	179	70+	F	Weslaco
89	0-19	F	Mission	180	70+	F	Weslaco
90	0-19	F	Mission	181	70+	M	Weslaco
91	0-19	M	Mission				

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