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NEWS RELEASE

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Monday, January 24, 2022

Five deaths related to COVID-19 reported in Hidalgo County along with 446 newly reported positive cases. Of the five deceased individuals, two were not vaccinated.

**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.*

COVID-19 positive case total for Friday	446
Confirmed	170
Probable	273
Suspect	3
Total COVID-19 positive cases in Hidalgo County	129,152
Confirmed	74,123
Probable	51,823
Suspect	3,206
Total number in Hidalgo County hospitals	458
Adult	406
Pediatric	52
Total number of hospitalized patients in intensive care units	86
Adult	78
Pediatric	8
Number Released from isolation Monday	401
Total released from isolation	124,983
Number of fatalities reported Monday	5
Total number of fatalities	3,584
Net active cases	585
Total number of COVID-19 tests administered	769,735
Total number of tests that are positive	129,152
Total number of tests that are negative	639,784
Daily Schools Staff COVID-19 positive cases	58
Daily Schools Student COVID-19 positive cases	273
Total COVID-19 Positive School Staff	2,419
Total COVID-19 Positive Students	8,466
Total TDEM Patients Infused	5,330



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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	65
12-19	66
20s	92
30s	71
40s	54
50s	42
60s	23
70+	33
Total:	446

The deaths include:

	Age Range	Gender	City
1	40s	Male	McAllen
2	70+	Male	McAllen
3	60s	Male	Mercedes
4	70+	Female	Mercedes
5	70+	Female	Weslaco



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Monday, January 24, 2022 positive cases include:

	Age Range	Gender	City		Age Range	Gender	City
1	0-19	F	Alamo	224	30s	F	Alamo
2	0-19	F	Alamo	225	30s	F	Alton
3	0-19	F	Alamo	226	30s	M	Alton
4	0-19	F	Alton	227	30s	M	Donna
5	0-19	M	Alton	228	30s	M	Donna
6	0-19	F	Donna	229	30s	M	Donna
7	0-19	M	Donna	230	30s	F	Donna
8	0-19	M	Donna	231	30s	M	Edinburg
9	0-19	M	Donna	232	30s	M	Edinburg
10	0-19	M	Donna	233	30s	M	Edinburg
11	0-19	F	Donna	234	30s	M	Edinburg
12	0-19	M	Donna	235	30s	F	Edinburg
13	0-19	F	Donna	236	30s	F	Edinburg
14	0-19	F	Edinburg	237	30s	M	Edinburg
15	0-19	M	Edinburg	238	30s	M	Edinburg
16	0-19	F	Edinburg	239	30s	F	Edinburg
17	0-19	M	Edinburg	240	30s	F	Edinburg
18	0-19	F	Edinburg	241	30s	F	Edinburg
19	0-19	M	Edinburg	242	30s	F	Edinburg
20	0-19	F	Edinburg	243	30s	M	Edinburg
21	0-19	M	Edinburg	244	30s	F	Edinburg
22	0-19	M	Edinburg	245	30s	F	Edinburg
23	0-19	M	Edinburg	246	30s	F	Edinburg
24	0-19	M	Edinburg	247	30s	F	McAllen
25	0-19	F	Edinburg	248	30s	M	McAllen
26	0-19	F	Edinburg	249	30s	F	McAllen
27	0-19	F	Edinburg	250	30s	F	McAllen
28	0-19	M	Edinburg	251	30s	F	McAllen
29	0-19	F	Edinburg	252	30s	F	McAllen
30	0-19	F	Edinburg	253	30s	F	McAllen
31	0-19	M	Edinburg	254	30s	F	McAllen
32	0-19	F	Edinburg	255	30s	F	McAllen
33	0-19	F	Edinburg	256	30s	M	McAllen
34	0-19	M	Edinburg	257	30s	M	McAllen
35	0-19	F	Edinburg	258	30s	F	McAllen
36	0-19	M	Edinburg	259	30s	M	Mission



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37	0-19	F	Edinburg	260	30s	M	Mission
38	0-19	F	Edinburg	261	30s	M	Mission
39	0-19	M	Hidalgo	262	30s	M	Mission
40	0-19	M	Hidalgo	263	30s	F	Mission
41	0-19	F	Hidalgo	264	30s	F	Mission
42	0-19	M	Hidalgo	265	30s	M	Mission
43	0-19	M	McAllen	266	30s	F	Mission
44	0-19	M	McAllen	267	30s	M	Mission
45	0-19	M	McAllen	268	30s	M	Mission
46	0-19	F	McAllen	269	30s	M	Mission
47	0-19	M	McAllen	270	30s	M	Mission
48	0-19	F	McAllen	271	30s	F	Pharr
49	0-19	F	McAllen	272	30s	M	Pharr
50	0-19	F	McAllen	273	30s	M	Pharr
51	0-19	M	McAllen	274	30s	F	San Juan
52	0-19	F	McAllen	275	30s	M	San Juan
53	0-19	F	McAllen	276	30s	F	San Juan
54	0-19	M	McAllen	277	30s	F	San Juan
55	0-19	F	McAllen	278	30s	F	Undisclosed
56	0-19	M	McAllen	279	30s	F	Undisclosed
57	0-19	M	McAllen	280	30s	M	Undisclosed
58	0-19	M	McAllen	281	30s	M	Undisclosed
59	0-19	F	McAllen	282	30s	F	Undisclosed
60	0-19	M	McAllen	283	30s	F	Undisclosed
61	0-19	M	McAllen	284	30s	F	Undisclosed
62	0-19	F	McAllen	285	30s	F	Weslaco
63	0-19	F	McAllen	286	30s	F	Weslaco
64	0-19	F	McAllen	287	30s	F	Weslaco
65	0-19	M	McAllen	288	30s	F	Weslaco
66	0-19	F	Mercedes	289	30s	F	Weslaco
67	0-19	M	Mercedes	290	30s	F	Weslaco
68	0-19	F	Mercedes	291	30s	F	Weslaco
69	0-19	F	Mercedes	292	30s	F	Weslaco
70	0-19	F	Mercedes	293	30s	F	Weslaco
71	0-19	M	Mission	294	30s	M	Weslaco
72	0-19	M	Mission	295	40s	M	Alamo
73	0-19	M	Mission	296	40s	M	Alamo
74	0-19	F	Mission	297	40s	M	Alton
75	0-19	M	Mission	298	40s	M	Alton



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76	0-19	F	Mission	299	40s	F	Donna
77	0-19	M	Mission	300	40s	F	Edinburg
78	0-19	F	Mission	301	40s	F	Edinburg
79	0-19	F	Mission	302	40s	F	Edinburg
80	0-19	M	Mission	303	40s	F	Edinburg
81	0-19	F	Mission	304	40s	M	Edinburg
82	0-19	M	Mission	305	40s	M	Edinburg
83	0-19	F	Mission	306	40s	F	Edinburg
84	0-19	M	Mission	307	40s	F	Edinburg
85	0-19	F	Mission	308	40s	F	Edinburg
86	0-19	M	Mission	309	40s	M	Edinburg
87	0-19	M	Mission	310	40s	F	Hidalgo
88	0-19	F	Mission	311	40s	M	McAllen
89	0-19	M	Mission	312	40s	F	McAllen
90	0-19	M	Mission	313	40s	F	McAllen
91	0-19	F	Pharr	314	40s	M	McAllen
92	0-19	M	Pharr	315	40s	F	McAllen
93	0-19	F	Pharr	316	40s	F	McAllen
94	0-19	M	Pharr	317	40s	F	McAllen
95	0-19	M	Pharr	318	40s	F	McAllen
96	0-19	M	Pharr	319	40s	F	McAllen
97	0-19	F	Pharr	320	40s	F	McAllen
98	0-19	M	Pharr	321	40s	F	Mercedes
99	0-19	M	Pharr	322	40s	M	Mercedes
100	0-19	F	Pharr	323	40s	F	Mission
101	0-19	M	Pharr	324	40s	M	Mission
102	0-19	F	Pharr	325	40s	F	Mission
103	0-19	F	Pharr	326	40s	F	Mission
104	0-19	M	Pharr	327	40s	F	Mission
105	0-19	F	San Juan	328	40s	M	Mission
106	0-19	F	San Juan	329	40s	M	Mission
107	0-19	F	San Juan	330	40s	M	Pharr
108	0-19	F	San Juan	331	40s	M	Pharr
109	0-19	M	San Juan	332	40s	F	Pharr
110	0-19	F	San Juan	333	40s	M	Pharr
111	0-19	M	Undisclosed	334	40s	F	Pharr
112	0-19	F	Undisclosed	335	40s	M	Pharr
113	0-19	M	Undisclosed	336	40s	F	San Juan
114	0-19	F	Undisclosed	337	40s	M	San Juan



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115	0-19	F	Undisclosed	338	40s	F	San Juan
116	0-19	M	Undisclosed	339	40s	M	San Juan
117	0-19	M	Undisclosed	340	40s	F	Undisclosed
118	0-19	M	Undisclosed	341	40s	F	Undisclosed
119	0-19	M	Undisclosed	342	40s	F	Undisclosed
120	0-19	M	Undisclosed	343	40s	F	Undisclosed
121	0-19	F	Undisclosed	344	40s	F	Weslaco
122	0-19	F	Undisclosed	345	40s	M	Weslaco
123	0-19	F	Undisclosed	346	40s	M	Weslaco
124	0-19	F	Weslaco	347	40s	M	Weslaco
125	0-19	F	Weslaco	348	40s	M	Weslaco
126	0-19	F	Weslaco	349	50s	F	Alamo
127	0-19	M	Weslaco	350	50s	F	Donna
128	0-19	M	Weslaco	351	50s	M	Edinburg
129	0-19	M	Weslaco	352	50s	F	Edinburg
130	0-19	F	Weslaco	353	50s	M	Edinburg
131	0-19	F	Weslaco	354	50s	M	Edinburg
132	20s	M	Alamo	355	50s	M	Edinburg
133	20s	M	Alamo	356	50s	M	Edinburg
134	20s	M	Alamo	357	50s	F	Edinburg
135	20s	M	Alton	358	50s	M	Edinburg
136	20s	F	Donna	359	50s	F	Edinburg
137	20s	M	Donna	360	50s	M	Edinburg
138	20s	F	Donna	361	50s	M	McAllen
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141	20s	F	Edinburg	364	50s	F	McAllen
142	20s	F	Edinburg	365	50s	F	McAllen
143	20s	F	Edinburg	366	50s	M	McAllen
144	20s	M	Edinburg	367	50s	F	McAllen
145	20s	F	Edinburg	368	50s	F	McAllen
146	20s	M	Edinburg	369	50s	M	McAllen
147	20s	M	Edinburg	370	50s	M	McAllen
148	20s	F	Edinburg	371	50s	F	McAllen
149	20s	M	Edinburg	372	50s	F	McAllen
150	20s	F	Edinburg	373	50s	F	Mercedes
151	20s	F	Edinburg	374	50s	M	Mission
152	20s	M	Edinburg	375	50s	F	Mission
153	20s	M	Edinburg	376	50s	M	Mission



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156	20s	M	Edinburg	379	50s	F	Mission
157	20s	M	Edinburg	380	50s	F	Pharr
158	20s	M	Edinburg	381	50s	M	Pharr
159	20s	F	Edinburg	382	50s	F	San Juan
160	20s	F	Edinburg	383	50s	F	Undisclosed
161	20s	F	Edinburg	384	50s	F	Undisclosed
162	20s	M	Edinburg	385	50s	M	Undisclosed
163	20s	M	Edinburg	386	50s	M	Undisclosed
164	20s	M	Hidalgo	387	50s	M	Weslaco
165	20s	F	Hidalgo	388	50s	F	Weslaco
166	20s	F	Hidalgo	389	50s	F	Weslaco
167	20s	F	McAllen	390	50s	M	Weslaco
168	20s	F	McAllen	391	60s	M	Alamo
169	20s	F	McAllen	392	60s	F	Donna
170	20s	F	McAllen	393	60s	M	Donna
171	20s	F	McAllen	394	60s	F	Edinburg
172	20s	M	McAllen	395	60s	F	Hidalgo
173	20s	M	McAllen	396	60s	M	McAllen
174	20s	F	McAllen	397	60s	F	McAllen
175	20s	M	McAllen	398	60s	M	McAllen
176	20s	M	McAllen	399	60s	F	McAllen
177	20s	F	McAllen	400	60s	F	McAllen
178	20s	M	McAllen	401	60s	M	Pharr
179	20s	M	McAllen	402	60s	F	Pharr
180	20s	M	Mercedes	403	60s	F	Pharr
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182	20s	M	Mission	405	60s	F	San Juan
183	20s	M	Mission	406	60s	F	San Juan
184	20s	F	Mission	407	60s	M	San Juan
185	20s	M	Mission	408	60s	F	Undisclosed
186	20s	F	Mission	409	60s	F	Undisclosed
187	20s	M	Mission	410	60s	F	Undisclosed
188	20s	M	Mission	411	60s	F	Undisclosed
189	20s	F	Mission	412	60s	M	Weslaco
190	20s	F	Mission	413	60s	F	Weslaco
191	20s	F	Mission	414	70+	F	Alamo
192	20s	F	Mission	415	70+	M	Alamo



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197	20s	F	Mission	420	70+	M	Donna
198	20s	M	Mission	421	70+	F	Donna
199	20s	F	Mission	422	70+	F	Edinburg
200	20s	M	Mission	423	70+	M	Edinburg
201	20s	M	Mission	424	70+	F	Edinburg
202	20s	F	Mission	425	70+	F	Edinburg
203	20s	F	Mission	426	70+	F	McAllen
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205	20s	F	Mission	428	70+	M	McAllen
206	20s	F	Pharr	429	70+	M	Mercedes
207	20s	M	Pharr	430	70+	F	Mission
208	20s	M	Pharr	431	70+	M	Mission
209	20s	M	Pharr	432	70+	F	Mission
210	20s	M	Pharr	433	70+	F	Mission
211	20s	M	Pharr	434	70+	F	Mission
212	20s	F	Pharr	435	70+	F	Mission
213	20s	F	San Juan	436	70+	M	Mission
214	20s	F	San Juan	437	70+	M	Mission
215	20s	F	Undisclosed	438	70+	F	Mission
216	20s	M	Undisclosed	439	70+	M	San Juan
217	20s	M	Undisclosed	440	70+	F	San Juan
218	20s	F	Undisclosed	441	70+	M	Undisclosed
219	20s	M	Undisclosed	442	70+	F	Weslaco
220	20s	F	Weslaco	443	70+	F	Weslaco
221	20s	F	Weslaco	444	70+	F	Weslaco
222	20s	M	Weslaco	445	70+	M	Weslaco
223	20s	M	Weslaco	446	70+	F	Weslaco

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