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NEWS RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Tuesday, March 22, 2022

One death related to COVID-19 reported in Hidalgo County along with 341 newly reported positive cases. The deceased individual was 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 Tuesday	341
Confirmed	38
Probable	303
Suspect	0
Total COVID-19 positive cases in Hidalgo County	195,476
Confirmed	126,686
Probable	65,629
Suspect	3,161
Total number in Hidalgo County hospitals	54
Adult	48
Pediatric	6
Total number of hospitalized patients in intensive care units	18
Adult	17
Pediatric	1
Number Released from isolation Tuesday	407
Total released from isolation	191,212
Number of fatalities reported Tuesday	1
Total number of fatalities	3,875
Net active cases	389
Total number of COVID-19 tests administered	1,028,862
Total number of tests that are positive	195,476
Total number of tests that are negative	832,551
Daily Schools Staff COVID-19 positive cases	0
Daily Schools Student COVID-19 positive cases	0
Total COVID-19 Positive School Staff	4,825
Total COVID-19 Positive Students	16,589
Total TDEM Patients Infused	6,150



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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	96
12-19	55
20s	32
30s	42
40s	36
50s	27
60s	30
70+	23
Total:	341

The death includes:

	Age Range	Gender	City
1	60s	Male	Undisclosed



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Tuesday, March 22, 2022 positive cases include:

	Age Range	Gender	City		Age Range	Gender	City
1	0-19	F	Alamo	172	0-19	F	Mercedes
2	0-19	M	Alamo	173	0-19	M	Mercedes
3	0-19	F	Alamo	174	0-19	F	Mercedes
4	0-19	F	Alamo	175	20s	F	Mercedes
5	0-19	M	Alamo	176	30s	F	Mercedes
6	0-19	F	Alamo	177	50s	M	Mercedes
7	0-19	F	Alamo	178	60s	M	Mercedes
8	0-19	F	Alamo	179	60s	F	Mercedes
9	0-19	F	Alamo	180	60s	M	Mercedes
10	0-19	M	Alamo	181	60s	F	Mercedes
11	0-19	F	Alamo	182	70+	F	Mercedes
12	0-19	F	Alamo	183	70+	F	Mercedes
13	0-19	M	Alamo	184	70+	F	Mercedes
14	0-19	F	Alamo	185	0-19	M	Mission
15	0-19	M	Alamo	186	0-19	M	Mission
16	20s	M	Alamo	187	0-19	M	Mission
17	20s	M	Alamo	188	0-19	M	Mission
18	20s	F	Alamo	189	0-19	M	Mission
19	20s	F	Alamo	190	0-19	M	Mission
20	30s	F	Alamo	191	0-19	M	Mission
21	40s	F	Alamo	192	0-19	M	Mission
22	40s	F	Alamo	193	0-19	F	Mission
23	50s	F	Alamo	194	0-19	F	Mission
24	60s	M	Alamo	195	0-19	F	Mission
25	20s	F	Alton	196	0-19	M	Mission
26	50s	M	Alton	197	0-19	M	Mission
27	60s	M	Alton	198	0-19	M	Mission
28	0-19	M	Donna	199	0-19	M	Mission
29	0-19	F	Donna	200	0-19	M	Mission
30	0-19	F	Donna	201	0-19	F	Mission
31	0-19	M	Donna	202	0-19	F	Mission
32	0-19	F	Donna	203	0-19	M	Mission
33	0-19	M	Donna	204	0-19	M	Mission
34	30s	M	Donna	205	20s	M	Mission
35	30s	M	Donna	206	20s	F	Mission
36	40s	M	Donna	207	30s	M	Mission



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37	40s	F	Donna	208	30s	M	Mission
38	40s	F	Donna	209	30s	F	Mission
39	40s	M	Donna	210	30s	F	Mission
40	70+	F	Donna	211	40s	F	Mission
41	70+	F	Donna	212	40s	M	Mission
42	70+	F	Donna	213	40s	M	Mission
43	0-19	M	Edinburg	214	40s	M	Mission
44	0-19	F	Edinburg	215	40s	F	Mission
45	0-19	F	Edinburg	216	50s	F	Mission
46	0-19	M	Edinburg	217	50s	M	Mission
47	0-19	M	Edinburg	218	50s	F	Mission
48	0-19	M	Edinburg	219	50s	F	Mission
49	0-19	M	Edinburg	220	50s	F	Mission
50	0-19	F	Edinburg	221	50s	M	Mission
51	0-19	M	Edinburg	222	50s	F	Mission
52	0-19	F	Edinburg	223	50s	F	Mission
53	0-19	F	Edinburg	224	50s	M	Mission
54	0-19	M	Edinburg	225	50s	M	Mission
55	0-19	M	Edinburg	226	60s	M	Mission
56	0-19	F	Edinburg	227	60s	M	Mission
57	0-19	M	Edinburg	228	60s	F	Mission
58	0-19	F	Edinburg	229	60s	M	Mission
59	0-19	M	Edinburg	230	60s	M	Mission
60	0-19	F	Edinburg	231	70+	F	Mission
61	0-19	M	Edinburg	232	70+	M	Mission
62	0-19	M	Edinburg	233	70+	F	Mission
63	0-19	F	Edinburg	234	70+	F	Mission
64	0-19	F	Edinburg	235	70+	M	Mission
65	0-19	M	Edinburg	236	70+	M	Mission
66	0-19	F	Edinburg	237	0-19	M	Pharr
67	0-19	F	Edinburg	238	0-19	M	Pharr
68	0-19	F	Edinburg	239	0-19	M	Pharr
69	0-19	M	Edinburg	240	0-19	M	Pharr
70	0-19	F	Edinburg	241	0-19	F	Pharr
71	20s	M	Edinburg	242	0-19	F	Pharr
72	20s	M	Edinburg	243	0-19	M	Pharr
73	20s	F	Edinburg	244	0-19	F	Pharr
74	20s	F	Edinburg	245	0-19	F	Pharr
75	20s	F	Edinburg	246	0-19	M	Pharr



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76	20s	M	Edinburg	247	0-19	F	Pharr
77	20s	F	Edinburg	248	0-19	F	Pharr
78	20s	F	Edinburg	249	0-19	F	Pharr
79	20s	F	Edinburg	250	20s	M	Pharr
80	30s	F	Edinburg	251	20s	F	Pharr
81	30s	M	Edinburg	252	30s	F	Pharr
82	30s	F	Edinburg	253	30s	M	Pharr
83	30s	F	Edinburg	254	30s	F	Pharr
84	30s	F	Edinburg	255	40s	M	Pharr
85	30s	M	Edinburg	256	40s	M	Pharr
86	30s	M	Edinburg	257	40s	M	Pharr
87	30s	M	Edinburg	258	40s	F	Pharr
88	30s	F	Edinburg	259	50s	M	Pharr
89	30s	F	Edinburg	260	50s	M	Pharr
90	30s	F	Edinburg	261	60s	M	Pharr
91	40s	M	Edinburg	262	60s	M	Pharr
92	40s	F	Edinburg	263	60s	F	Pharr
93	40s	M	Edinburg	264	70+	F	Pharr
94	40s	F	Edinburg	265	70+	F	Pharr
95	40s	M	Edinburg	266	70+	F	Pharr
96	40s	M	Edinburg	267	0-19	F	San Juan
97	50s	M	Edinburg	268	0-19	F	San Juan
98	50s	F	Edinburg	269	0-19	F	San Juan
99	50s	M	Edinburg	270	0-19	F	San Juan
100	60s	F	Edinburg	271	0-19	M	San Juan
101	70+	M	Edinburg	272	0-19	F	San Juan
102	0-19	F	Hidalgo	273	20s	F	San Juan
103	0-19	M	Hidalgo	274	30s	F	San Juan
104	60s	F	Hidalgo	275	30s	F	San Juan
105	70+	M	Hidalgo	276	30s	F	San Juan
106	0-19	F	McAllen	277	40s	F	San Juan
107	0-19	M	McAllen	278	50s	F	San Juan
108	0-19	F	McAllen	279	50s	F	San Juan
109	0-19	M	McAllen	280	50s	M	San Juan
110	0-19	M	McAllen	281	0-19	M	Undisclosed
111	0-19	M	McAllen	282	0-19	F	Undisclosed
112	0-19	M	McAllen	283	0-19	M	Undisclosed
113	0-19	M	McAllen	284	0-19	F	Undisclosed
114	0-19	M	McAllen	285	0-19	F	Undisclosed



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115	0-19	M	McAllen	286	0-19	F	Undisclosed
116	0-19	M	McAllen	287	0-19	M	Undisclosed
117	0-19	M	McAllen	288	0-19	M	Undisclosed
118	0-19	F	McAllen	289	0-19	F	Undisclosed
119	0-19	F	McAllen	290	0-19	M	Undisclosed
120	0-19	M	McAllen	291	0-19	M	Undisclosed
121	0-19	M	McAllen	292	0-19	M	Undisclosed
122	0-19	M	McAllen	293	0-19	M	Undisclosed
123	0-19	F	McAllen	294	0-19	F	Undisclosed
124	0-19	M	McAllen	295	0-19	F	Undisclosed
125	20s	F	McAllen	296	0-19	M	Undisclosed
126	20s	M	McAllen	297	0-19	M	Undisclosed
127	20s	M	McAllen	298	0-19	M	Undisclosed
128	20s	M	McAllen	299	0-19	M	Undisclosed
129	20s	F	McAllen	300	0-19	M	Undisclosed
130	20s	F	McAllen	301	0-19	M	Undisclosed
131	20s	F	McAllen	302	0-19	M	Undisclosed
132	20s	F	McAllen	303	0-19	F	Undisclosed
133	20s	M	McAllen	304	0-19	M	Undisclosed
134	30s	M	McAllen	305	0-19	F	Undisclosed
135	30s	M	McAllen	306	0-19	F	Undisclosed
136	30s	F	McAllen	307	20s	F	Undisclosed
137	30s	M	McAllen	308	30s	F	Undisclosed
138	30s	F	McAllen	309	30s	M	Undisclosed
139	30s	M	McAllen	310	30s	F	Undisclosed
140	30s	F	McAllen	311	30s	F	Undisclosed
141	30s	F	McAllen	312	40s	F	Undisclosed
142	30s	M	McAllen	313	40s	M	Undisclosed
143	30s	F	McAllen	314	40s	F	Undisclosed
144	30s	F	McAllen	315	60s	F	Undisclosed
145	40s	F	McAllen	316	60s	M	Undisclosed
146	40s	M	McAllen	317	60s	F	Undisclosed
147	40s	F	McAllen	318	70+	F	Undisclosed
148	40s	F	McAllen	319	0-19	F	Weslaco
149	40s	F	McAllen	320	0-19	M	Weslaco
150	40s	F	McAllen	321	0-19	F	Weslaco
151	40s	F	McAllen	322	0-19	F	Weslaco
152	40s	F	McAllen	323	0-19	M	Weslaco
153	50s	M	McAllen	324	0-19	M	Weslaco



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154	50s	F	McAllen	325	0-19	F	Weslaco
155	50s	F	McAllen	326	0-19	F	Weslaco
156	50s	F	McAllen	327	0-19	M	Weslaco
157	60s	M	McAllen	328	0-19	F	Weslaco
158	60s	M	McAllen	329	0-19	F	Weslaco
159	60s	M	McAllen	330	20s	F	Weslaco
160	60s	F	McAllen	331	20s	U	Weslaco
161	60s	F	McAllen	332	30s	M	Weslaco
162	60s	M	McAllen	333	30s	F	Weslaco
163	60s	M	McAllen	334	40s	M	Weslaco
164	60s	F	McAllen	335	40s	M	Weslaco
165	70+	M	McAllen	336	40s	F	Weslaco
166	70+	F	McAllen	337	50s	M	Weslaco
167	70+	F	McAllen	338	50s	F	Weslaco
168	70+	F	McAllen	339	60s	F	Weslaco
169	70+	F	McAllen	340	60s	M	Weslaco
170	0-19	M	Mercedes	341	60s	F	Weslaco
171	0-19	F	Mercedes				

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