



# Hidalgo County Health and Human Services Department

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## **NEWS RELEASE**

### **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE**

Wednesday, May 4, 2022

### **One death related to COVID-19 reported in Hidalgo County along with 170 newly reported positive cases. The deceased individual was 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.*

<b>COVID-19 positive case total for Wednesday</b>	170
<b>Confirmed</b>	102
<b>Probable</b>	68
<b>Suspect</b>	0
<b>Total COVID-19 positive cases in Hidalgo County</b>	199,854
<b>Confirmed</b>	128,456
<b>Probable</b>	68,239
<b>Suspect</b>	3,159
<b>Total number in Hidalgo County hospitals</b>	21
<b>Adult</b>	20
<b>Pediatric</b>	1
<b>Total number of hospitalized patients in intensive care units</b>	6
<b>Adult</b>	6
<b>Pediatric</b>	0
<b>Number Released from isolation Wednesday</b>	134
<b>Total released from isolation</b>	195,713
<b>Number of fatalities reported Wednesday</b>	1
<b>Total number of fatalities</b>	3,907
<b>Net active cases</b>	234
<b>Total number of COVID-19 tests administered</b>	1,159,976
<b>Total number of tests that are positive</b>	199,854
<b>Total number of tests that are negative</b>	959,983
<b>Daily Schools Staff COVID-19 positive cases</b>	6
<b>Daily Schools Student COVID-19 positive cases</b>	7
<b>Total COVID-19 Positive School Staff</b>	4,900
<b>Total COVID-19 Positive Students</b>	16,785
<b>Total TDEM Patients Infused</b>	6,259



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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	34
12-19	25
20s	33
30s	33
40s	19
50s	10
60s	8
70+	8
Total:	170

### The death includes:

	Age Range	Gender	City
1	70+	Male	Mission



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Wednesday, May 4, 2022 positive cases include:

	Age Range	Gender	City		Age Range	Gender	City
1	0-19	F	Alamo	86	0-19	M	MISSION
2	20s	F	Alamo	87	0-19	M	MISSION
3	30s	M	Alamo	88	0-19	F	Mission
4	30s	F	Alamo	89	0-19	F	Mission
5	40s	M	Alamo	90	0-19	F	Mission
6	50s	F	Alamo	91	0-19	F	Mission
7	60s	M	Alamo	92	0-19	M	MISSION
8	60s	F	Alamo	93	20s	M	Mission
9	40s	M	Alton	94	20s	F	Mission
10	0-19	F	Donna	95	20s	M	Mission
11	0-19	F	Donna	96	20s	F	MISSION
12	0-19	M	DONNA	97	30s	F	MISSION
13	20s	M	Donna	98	30s	F	MISSION
14	30s	F	Donna	99	30s	F	Mission
15	40s	F	Donna	100	40s	M	Mission
16	50s	F	donna	101	40s	F	Mission
17	0-19	F	Edinburg	102	40s	F	Mission
18	0-19	M	Edinburg	103	60s	F	MISSION
19	0-19	F	Edinburg	104	70+	M	Mission
20	0-19	F	Edinburg	105	70+	F	Mission
21	0-19	M	Edinburg	106	0-19	F	Pharr
22	0-19	F	Edinburg	107	0-19	F	Pharr
23	0-19	F	Edinburg	108	0-19	M	Pharr
24	0-19	M	edinburg	109	0-19	M	PHARR
25	0-19	F	EDINBURG	110	0-19	M	Pharr
26	0-19	M	EDINBURG	111	0-19	F	PHARR
27	0-19	M	EDINBURG	112	0-19	F	Pharr
28	0-19	F	EDINBURG	113	0-19	F	Pharr
29	0-19	F	Edinburg	114	0-19	F	Pharr
30	0-19	F	EDINBURG	115	0-19	F	Pharr
31	0-19	M	EDINBURG	116	0-19	F	Pharr
32	0-19	M	EDINBURG	117	0-19	M	Pharr
33	0-19	F	EDINBURG	118	0-19	F	PHARR
34	20s	M	Edinburg	119	20s	F	Pharr



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35	20s	F	EDINBURG	120	20s	F	PHARR
36	20s	F	EDINBURG	121	20s	M	Pharr
37	20s	F	EDINBURG	122	20s	M	Pharr
38	20s	F	Edinburg	123	20s	M	PHARR
39	20s	F	Edinburg	124	20s	F	Pharr
40	30s	M	Edinburg	125	20s	M	Pharr
41	30s	F	Edinburg	126	20s	M	Pharr
42	30s	M	EDINBURG	127	20s	F	Pharr
43	30s	F	Edinburg	128	20s	F	Pharr
44	30s	M	Edinburg	129	20s	F	PHARR
45	40s	M	Edinburg	130	20s	F	Pharr
46	50s	F	Edinburg	131	30s	F	Pharr
47	60s	F	Edinburg	132	30s	F	Pharr
48	60s	M	Edinburg	133	30s	M	Pharr
49	70+	M	Edinburg	134	30s	M	Pharr
50	0-19	F	HIDALGO	135	30s	M	Pharr
51	20s	F	Hidalgo	136	40s	F	Pharr
52	30s	F	Hidalgo	137	40s	F	Pharr
53	30s	F	HIDALGO	138	40s	F	PHARR
54	30s	F	Hidalgo	139	40s	M	Pharr
55	0-19	M	McAllen	140	40s	M	Pharr
56	0-19	F	McAllen	141	50s	F	Pharr
57	0-19	M	McAllen	142	50s	F	Pharr
58	0-19	F	McAllen	143	50s	F	Pharr
59	0-19	M	McAllen	144	50s	F	Pharr
60	0-19	F	McAllen	145	50s	F	Pharr
61	0-19	F	McAllen	146	60s	M	Pharr
62	0-19	M	McAllen	147	70+	F	Pharr
63	0-19	F	McAllen	148	70+	M	Pharr
64	0-19	F	McAllen	149	0-19	F	San Juan
65	0-19	M	McAllen	150	20s	F	San Juan
66	20s	M	McAllen	151	20s	F	San Juan
67	20s	F	McAllen	152	30s	F	San Juan
68	20s	M	McAllen	153	30s	M	San Juan
69	30s	F	McAllen	154	30s	F	San Juan
70	30s	F	McAllen	155	30s	F	San Juan
71	30s	M	McAllen	156	30s	M	San Juan
72	30s	F	McAllen	157	30s	M	San Juan
73	30s	F	McAllen	158	40s	F	San Juan



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74	40s	F	McAllen	<b>159</b>	0-19	F	Undisclosed
75	40s	F	McAllen	<b>160</b>	0-19	M	Undisclosed
76	40s	M	McAllen	<b>161</b>	20s	M	Undisclosed
77	40s	M	McAllen	<b>162</b>	20s	F	Undisclosed
78	50s	F	McAllen	<b>163</b>	30s	M	Undisclosed
79	60s	F	McAllen	<b>164</b>	30s	F	Undisclosed
80	70+	M	McAllen	<b>165</b>	40s	M	Undisclosed
81	70+	F	McAllen	<b>166</b>	50s	F	Undisclosed
82	40s	M	Mercedes	<b>167</b>	70+	F	Undisclosed
83	0-19	M	Mission	<b>168</b>	20s	M	WESLACO
84	0-19	F	MISSION	<b>169</b>	30s	F	weslaco
85	0-19	M	MISSION	<b>170</b>	60s	F	Weslaco

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