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NEWS RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Thursday, August 20, 2020

Twenty-nine people die due to COVID-19 complications; 397 tested positive for the virus

EDINBURG – Twenty-nine residents have died due to complications related to COVID-19 and 397 people tested positive for the virus. The total number of positive cases is 23,513.

"My most sincere condolences go out to the families of the 29 people who lost their fight against COVID-19," Judge Richard F. Cortez said. "This deadly virus is still a threat and we cannot let our guard down."

"In my capacity as the county's Emergency Management Director, I have extended the county's Shelter at Home Order for another 25 days. The new order went into effect on Thursday, August 20, 2020 at 12:01 a.m. and remains in effect until 11:59 p.m. on Sunday, September 13, 2020. This is a community effort," Cortez said. "I am asking all city official in each of our 22 municipalities to help enforce this order for the safety of the citizens of Hidalgo County."

There are currently 4,747 net active cases and 399 people were released from isolation on Thursday, meaning that they have been symptom-free for 10 days, including three days without a fever.

New COVID-19 positive case total for Thursday	397
Total COVID-19 positive cases in Hidalgo County	23,513
Total Number in Hidalgo County hospitals	445
Number of hospitalized patients in intensive care units	184
Number released from isolation Thursday	399
Total released from isolation	17,718
Number of fatalities Thursday	29
Total number of fatalities	1,048
Net active cases	4,747
Total number of COVID-19 tests administered	128,626
Total number of tests that are positive	23,513
Total number of tests that are negative	104,657

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The deaths include:

	Age	Gender	City
1	70+	Male	Alamo
2	70+	Male	Alamo
3	70+	Male	Alamo
4	60s	Male	Alton
5	40s	Female	Donna
6	60s	Female	Donna
7	70+	Female	Donna
8	60s	Female	Edinburg
9	60s	Male	Edinburg
10	60s	Female	Undisclosed
11	60s	Female	McAllen
12	60s	Female	McAllen
13	70+	Female	McAllen
14	70+	Female	McAllen
15	70+	Male	McAllen
16	70+	Male	McAllen
17	40s	Male	Mercedes
18	40s	Male	Mission
19	60s	Male	Mission
20	60s	Male	Mission
21	70+	Female	Mission
22	70+	Female	Undisclosed
23	60s	Male	Pharr
24	70+	Female	Pharr
25	50s	Female	San Juan
26	60s	Male	San Juan
27	60s	Male	Undisclosed
28	50s	Female	Weslaco
29	70+	Male	Weslaco

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Thursday, August 20, 2020 positive cases include:

	Age	Gender	City		Age	Gender	City
1	20s	F	Alamo	200	20s	F	Mission
2	20s	F	Alamo	201	20s	F	Mission
3	20s	M	Alamo	202	20s	F	Mission
4	30s	F	Alamo	203	20s	M	Mission
5	40s	F	Alamo	204	20s	M	Mission
6	40s	F	Alamo	205	20s	M	Mission
7	50s	F	Alamo	206	20s	M	Mission
8	50s	F	Alamo	207	20s	F	Mission
9	60s	F	Alamo	208	20s	F	Mission
10	70+	M	Alamo	209	20s	M	Mission
11	70+	M	Alamo	210	30s	M	Mission
12	0-19	M	Alton	211	30s	M	Mission
13	30s	F	Alton	212	30s	F	Mission
14	50s	M	Alton	213	30s	F	Mission
15	60s	F	Alton	214	30s	M	Mission
16	70+	M	Alton	215	30s	M	Mission
17	70+	M	Alton	216	30s	F	Mission
18	0-19	M	Donna	217	40s	F	Mission
19	0-19	F	Donna	218	40s	M	Mission
20	0-19	F	Donna	219	40s	F	Mission
21	0-19	F	Donna	220	40s	F	Mission
22	0-19	M	Donna	221	40s	M	Mission
23	0-19	F	Donna	222	40s	M	Mission
24	0-19	F	Donna	223	40s	M	Mission
25	0-19	M	Donna	224	40s	M	Mission
26	0-19	F	Donna	225	40s	M	Mission
27	20s	M	Donna	226	40s	M	Mission
28	20s	F	Donna	227	40s	M	Mission

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30	30s	F	Donna	229	40s	F	Mission
31	30s	F	Donna	230	50s	M	Mission
32	30s	F	Donna	231	50s	M	Mission
33	40s	F	Donna	232	50s	F	Mission
34	50s	F	Donna	233	50s	M	Mission
35	50s	F	Donna	234	50s	F	Mission
36	50s	F	Donna	235	50s	M	Mission
37	50s	F	Donna	236	50s	M	Mission
38	60s	M	Donna	237	50s	M	Mission
39	70+	F	Donna	238	50s	M	Mission
40	70+	M	Donna	239	50s	M	Mission
41	70+	F	Donna	240	50s	F	Mission
42	70+	F	Donna	241	50s	F	Mission
43	0-19	M	Edinburg	242	60s	M	Mission
44	0-19	F	Edinburg	243	60s	M	Mission
45	0-19	M	Edinburg	244	60s	F	Mission
46	0-19	F	Edinburg	245	60s	F	Mission
47	0-19	M	Edinburg	246	60s	M	Mission
48	0-19	F	Edinburg	247	60s	M	Mission
49	0-19	F	Edinburg	248	60s	F	Mission
50	0-19	F	Edinburg	249	60s	F	Mission
51	0-19	F	Edinburg	250	60s	F	Mission
52	0-19	F	Edinburg	251	60s	F	Mission
53	20s	F	Edinburg	252	60s	M	Mission
54	20s	F	Edinburg	253	60s	F	Mission
55	30s	F	Edinburg	254	60s	F	Mission
56	30s	F	Edinburg	255	60s	F	Mission
57	30s	F	Edinburg	256	60s	M	Mission
58	30s	F	Edinburg	257	70+	M	Mission
59	30s	F	Edinburg	258	70+	F	Mission
60	30s	F	Edinburg	259	70+	F	Mission

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62	30s	F	Edinburg	261	70+	M	Mission
63	30s	M	Edinburg	262	70+	F	Mission
64	30s	F	Edinburg	263	70+	M	Mission
65	30s	F	Edinburg	264	70+	M	Mission
66	30s	F	Edinburg	265	70+	M	Mission
67	30s	F	Edinburg	266	70+	M	Mission
68	30s	F	Edinburg	267	70+	M	Mission
69	30s	M	Edinburg	268	70+	F	Mission
70	30s	F	Edinburg	269	70+	M	Mission
71	30s	M	Edinburg	270	70+	M	Mission
72	40s	F	Edinburg	271	70+	M	Mission
73	40s	F	Edinburg	272	70+	M	Mission
74	40s	F	Edinburg	273	0-19	F	Pharr
75	40s	F	Edinburg	274	0-19	M	Pharr
76	40s	M	Edinburg	275	0-19	M	Pharr
77	40s	F	Edinburg	276	0-19	M	Pharr
78	40s	F	Edinburg	277	0-19	F	Pharr
79	40s	M	Edinburg	278	0-19	M	Pharr
80	40s	M	Edinburg	279	0-19	F	Pharr
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87	50s	F	Edinburg	286	20s	F	Pharr
88	50s	M	Edinburg	287	20s	F	Pharr
89	50s	F	Edinburg	288	20s	M	Pharr
90	50s	M	Edinburg	289	40s	F	Pharr
91	60s	F	Edinburg	290	40s	M	Pharr
92	60s	M	Edinburg	291	40s	F	Pharr

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123	30s	F	McAllen	322	50s	F	San Juan
124	30s	F	McAllen	323	50s	F	San Juan

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165	70+	M	McAllen	364	60s	M	Undisclosed
166	70+	F	McAllen	365	70+	M	Undisclosed
167	70+	M	McAllen	366	70+	F	Undisclosed
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174	70+	F	McAllen	373	30s	M	Weslaco
175	70+	F	McAllen	374	30s	F	Weslaco
176	70+	M	McAllen	375	30s	F	Weslaco
177	70+	F	McAllen	376	30s	F	Weslaco
178	0-19	M	Mercedes	377	30s	F	Weslaco
179	0-19	F	Mercedes	378	30s	F	Weslaco
180	20s	F	Mercedes	379	40s	F	Weslaco
181	40s	M	Mercedes	380	40s	F	Weslaco
182	50s	M	Mercedes	381	40s	F	Weslaco
183	60s	F	Mercedes	382	40s	F	Weslaco
184	60s	F	Mercedes	383	40s	M	Weslaco
185	60s	F	Mercedes	384	40s	F	Weslaco
186	70+	F	Mercedes	385	50s	F	Weslaco
187	0-19	F	Mission	386	50s	F	Weslaco
188	0-19	F	Mission	387	60s	F	Weslaco

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191	0-19	F	Mission	390	60s	F	Weslaco
192	20s	F	Mission	391	60s	M	Weslaco
193	20s	F	Mission	392	60s	M	Weslaco
194	20s	M	Mission	393	70+	F	Weslaco
195	20s	F	Mission	394	70+	M	Weslaco
196	20s	F	Mission	395	70+	F	Weslaco
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