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NEWS RELEASE

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Thursday, August 27, 2020

Fifteen people die due to COVID-19 complications; 471 tested positive for the virus

EDINBURG – Fifteen residents have died today due to complications related to COVID-19 and 471 people tested positive for the virus. The total number of positive cases is 27,077.

"My heart goes out to the families and friends that have lost a loved one," County Judge Richard F. Cortez said. "Please take precautions; this virus is real. The best way to prevent illness from COVID-19 is to avoid being exposed to the virus. Avoid close contact with people who are sick, and practice social distancing by keeping at least six feet away from others if you must go out in public."

Judge Cortez acknowledged that the number of positive cases has risen, but noted that much of this rise in numbers can be attributed to the Department of Health and Human Services clearing up a backlog in testing results that has arisen both locally and statewide.

There are currently 2,573 net active cases and 520 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	471
Total COVID-19 positive cases in Hidalgo County	27,077
Total Number in Hidalgo County hospitals	384
Number of hospitalized patients in intensive care units	162
Number released from isolation Thursday	520
Total released from isolation	23,359
Number of fatalities Thursday	15
Total number of fatalities	1,145
Net active cases	2,573
Total number of COVID-19 tests administered	136,777
Total number of tests that are positive	27,077
Total number of tests that are negative	109,231



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The deaths include:

	Age	Gender	City
1	70+	Female	Donna
2	70+	Female	Donna
3	50s	Male	Edinburg
4	60s	Male	Edinburg
5	50s	Female	Mission
6	50s`	Male	Mission
7	60s	Female	Mission
8	70+	Female	Mission
9	70+	Female	Mission
10	70+	Female	Mission
11	70+	Male	Mission
12	70+	Male	Mission
13	70+	Male	Mission
14	70+	Female	Weslaco
15	70+	Male	Weslaco



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Thursday, August 27, 2020 positive cases include:

	Age	Gender	City		Age	Gender	City
1	0-19	М	Alamo	237	70+	F	Mercedes
2	0-19	М	Alamo	238	70+	F	Mercedes
3	0-19	М	Alamo	239	0-19	F	Mission
4	20s	М	Alamo	240	0-19	М	Mission
5	20s	F	Alamo	241	0-19	F	Mission
6	30s	F	Alamo	242	0-19	F	Mission
7	30s	М	Alamo	243	0-19	F	Mission
8	30s	М	Alamo	244	0-19	М	Mission
9	30s	F	Alamo	245	0-19	М	Mission
10	40s	М	Alamo	246	0-19	М	Mission
11	40s	F	Alamo	247	0-19	F	Mission
12	40s	М	Alamo	248	0-19	F	Mission
13	40s	М	Alamo	249	0-19	F	Mission
14	40s	F	Alamo	250	20s	М	Mission
15	50s	М	Alamo	251	20s	М	Mission
16	50s	М	Alamo	252	20s	F	Mission
17	60s	М	Alamo	253	20s	М	Mission
18	60s	F	Alamo	254	20s	F	Mission
19	60s	F	Alamo	255	20s	М	Mission
20	60s	М	Alamo	256	20s	М	Mission
21	60s	М	Alamo	257	30s	М	Mission
22	30s	F	Alton	258	30s	F	Mission
23	30s	F	Alton	259	30s	F	Mission
24	40s	М	Alton	260	30s	F	Mission
25	40s	М	Alton	261	30s	F	Mission
26	50s	F	Alton	262	30s	М	Mission
27	50s	F	Alton	263	30s	F	Mission
28	50s	F	Alton	264	30s	F	Mission
29	50s	F	Alton	265	30s	М	Mission
30	60s	М	Alton	266	30s	F	Mission



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31	70+	F	Alton	267	40s	F	Mission
32	70+	F	Alton	268	40s	М	Mission
33	0-19	F	Donna	269	40s	F	Mission
34	0-19	F	Donna	270	40s	М	Mission
35	0-19	М	Donna	271	40s	М	Mission
36	0-19	М	Donna	272	40s	F	Mission
37	0-19	М	Donna	273	40s	F	Mission
38	0-19	F	Donna	274	40s	F	Mission
39	20s	F	Donna	275	40s	М	Mission
40	20s	М	Donna	276	40s	F	Mission
41	20s	М	Donna	277	40s	F	Mission
42	20s	F	Donna	278	40s	М	Mission
43	30s	М	Donna	279	40s	М	Mission
44	30s	F	Donna	280	40s	М	Mission
45	30s	М	Donna	281	40s	М	Mission
46	40s	F	Donna	282	50s	F	Mission
47	40s	F	Donna	283	50s	F	Mission
48	40s	F	Donna	284	50s	F	Mission
49	40s	М	Donna	285	50s	F	Mission
50	40s	F	Donna	286	50s	F	Mission
51	50s	F	Donna	287	50s	F	Mission
52	50s	F	Donna	288	50s	М	Mission
53	50s	F	Donna	289	50s	М	Mission
54	50s	F	Donna	290	60s	F	Mission
55	60s	М	Donna	291	60s	М	Mission
56	60s	F	Donna	292	60s	F	Mission
57	60s	М	Donna	293	60s	F	Mission
58	60s	М	Donna	294	60s	М	Mission
59	60s	F	Donna	295	60s	М	Mission
60	60s	М	Donna	296	60s	М	Mission
61	70+	F	Donna	297	70+	М	Mission
62	70+	М	Donna	298	70+	F	Mission



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	63	70+	M	Donna	299	70+	F	Mission
	64	70+	F	Donna	300	70+	F	Mission
	65	70+	F	Donna	301	70+	М	Mission
	66	0-19	F	Edinburg	302	70+	F	Mission
	67	0-19	F	Edinburg	303	70+	М	Mission
	68	0-19	F	Edinburg	304	70+	F	Mission
	69	0-19	U	Edinburg	305	70+	М	Mission
	70	0-19	М	Edinburg	306	70+	М	Mission
	71	0-19	M	Edinburg	307	70+	F	Mission
	72	0-19	F	Edinburg	308	70+	F	Mission
	73	0-19	М	Edinburg	309	70+	М	Mission
	74	20s	М	Edinburg	310	70+	F	Mission
	75	20s	F	Edinburg	311	70+	F	Mission
	76	20s	F	Edinburg	312	70+	М	Mission
	77	20s	М	Edinburg	313	70+	М	Mission
	78	20s	М	Edinburg	314	70+	F	Mission
	79	30s	F	Edinburg	315	70+	М	Mission
	80	30s	М	Edinburg	316	70+	F	Mission
	81	30s	М	Edinburg	317	0-19	F	Pharr
	82	30s	F	Edinburg	318	0-19	М	Pharr
	83	30s	M	Edinburg	319	0-19	М	Pharr
	84	30s	М	Edinburg	320	0-19	F	Pharr
	85	30s	F	Edinburg	321	0-19	М	Pharr
	86	30s	М	Edinburg	322	0-19	М	Pharr
	87	40s	F	Edinburg	323	0-19	F	Pharr
	88	40s	F	Edinburg	324	0-19	М	Pharr
	89	40s	F	Edinburg	325	0-19	F	Pharr
	90	40s	F	Edinburg	326	20s	М	Pharr
	91	40s	М	Edinburg	327	20s	М	Pharr
	92	40s	F	Edinburg	328	20s	F	Pharr
	93	40s	М	Edinburg	329	20s	F	Pharr
	94	40s	М	Edinburg	330	20s	М	Pharr



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95	40s	F	Edinburg	331	20s	F	Pharr
96	40s	М	Edinburg	332	30s	F	Pharr
97	50s	М	Edinburg	333	30s	F	Pharr
98	50s	F	Edinburg	334	30s	М	Pharr
99	50s	F	Edinburg	335	30s	F	Pharr
100	50s	F	Edinburg	336	30s	F	Pharr
101	50s	F	Edinburg	337	30s	F	Pharr
102	50s	F	Edinburg	338	40s	F	Pharr
103	50s	М	Edinburg	339	40s	М	Pharr
104	50s	F	Edinburg	340	40s	F	Pharr
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110	50s	F	Edinburg	346	40s	F	Pharr
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113	60s	F	Edinburg	349	50s	F	Pharr
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115	60s	F	Edinburg	351	50s	F	Pharr
116	60s	М	Edinburg	352	50s	М	Pharr
117	60s	F	Edinburg	353	50s	М	Pharr
118	60s	М	Edinburg	354	60s	F	Pharr
119	60s	F	Edinburg	355	60s	F	Pharr
120	60s	М	Edinburg	356	60s	М	Pharr
121	60s	М	Edinburg	357	60s	F	Pharr
122	60s	F	Edinburg	358	60s	М	Pharr
123	70+	F	Edinburg	359	60s	F	Pharr
124	70+	F	Edinburg	360	60s	F	Pharr
125	70+	F	Edinburg	361	70+	F	Pharr
126	70+	F	Edinburg	362	70+	F	Pharr



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128	70+	М	Edinburg	364	70+	F	Pharr
129	70+	М	Edinburg	365	0-19	М	San Juan
130	70+	М	Edinburg	366	0-19	F	San Juan
131	70+	М	Edinburg	367	0-19	F	San Juan
132	70+	М	Edinburg	368	0-19	М	San Juan
133	70+	М	Edinburg	369	0-19	F	San Juan
134	0-19	М	Hidalgo	370	20s	F	San Juan
135	0-19	М	Hidalgo	371	20s	М	San Juan
136	40s	М	Hidalgo	372	20s	М	San Juan
137	60s	М	Hidalgo	373	20s	М	San Juan
138	70+	F	Hidalgo	374	20s	F	San Juan
139	0-19	F	McAllen	375	20s	М	San Juan
140	0-19	М	McAllen	376	30s	М	San Juan
141	0-19	F	McAllen	377	30s	М	San Juan
142	0-19	F	McAllen	378	30s	М	San Juan
143	0-19	F	McAllen	379	40s	F	San Juan
144	0-19	М	McAllen	380	40s	М	San Juan
145	0-19	F	McAllen	381	40s	F	San Juan
146	0-19	F	McAllen	382	40s	F	San Juan
147	0-19	F	McAllen	383	40s	F	San Juan
148	0-19	F	McAllen	384	50s	F	San Juan
149	0-19	F	McAllen	385	50s	F	San Juan
150	0-19	F	McAllen	386	50s	М	San Juan
151	0-19	F	McAllen	387	50s	F	San Juan
152	0-19	F	McAllen	388	60s	М	San Juan
153	0-19	F	McAllen	389	60s	F	San Juan
154	20s	М	McAllen	390	60s	М	San Juan
155	20s	М	McAllen	391	70+	F	San Juan
156	20s	М	McAllen	392	70+	М	San Juan
157	20s	М	McAllen	393	70+	F	San Juan
158	20s	F	McAllen	394	70+	F	San Juan



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160	20s	F	McAllen	396	0-19	F	Undisclosed
161	20s	F	McAllen	397	0-19	F	Undisclosed
162	20s	F	McAllen	398	0-19	F	Undisclosed
163	20s	М	McAllen	399	0-19	М	Undisclosed
164	30s	М	McAllen	400	0-19	М	Undisclosed
165	30s	F	McAllen	401	0-19	М	Undisclosed
166	30s	F	McAllen	402	20s	М	Undisclosed
167	30s	F	McAllen	403	20s	F	Undisclosed
168	30s	М	McAllen	404	20s	М	Undisclosed
169	30s	F	McAllen	405	20s	F	Undisclosed
170	30s	F	McAllen	406	20s	М	Undisclosed
171	30s	F	McAllen	407	30s	М	Undisclosed
172	30s	F	McAllen	408	30s	F	Undisclosed
173	30s	М	McAllen	409	30s	F	Undisclosed
174	30s	М	McAllen	410	40s	F	Undisclosed
175	30s	F	McAllen	411	40s	F	Undisclosed
176	30s	F	McAllen	412	40s	М	Undisclosed
177	30s	М	McAllen	413	50s	F	Undisclosed
178	40s	М	McAllen	414	50s	F	Undisclosed
179	40s	F	McAllen	415	50s	F	Undisclosed
180	40s	М	McAllen	416	60s	М	Undisclosed
181	40s	F	McAllen	417	60s	М	Undisclosed
182	40s	F	McAllen	418	60s	F	Undisclosed
183	40s	М	McAllen	419	70+	М	Undisclosed
184	40s	F	McAllen	420	70+	F	Undisclosed
185	40s	F	McAllen	421	70+	F	Undisclosed
186	40s	М	McAllen	422	70+	М	Undisclosed
187	50s	F	McAllen	423	70+	F	Undisclosed
188	50s	М	McAllen	424	70+	М	Undisclosed
189	50s	F	McAllen	425	70+	F	Undisclosed
190	50s	М	McAllen	426	70+	F	Undisclosed



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192	50s	М	McAllen	428	70+	F	Undisclosed
193	50s	М	McAllen	429	70+	F	Undisclosed
194	50s	F	McAllen	430	40s	F	Unknown
195	50s	F	McAllen	431	50s	М	Unknown
196	50s	F	McAllen	432	0-19	F	Weslaco
197	50s	F	McAllen	433	0-19	М	Weslaco
198	50s	F	McAllen	434	0-19	М	Weslaco
199	60s	М	McAllen	435	0-19	М	Weslaco
200	60s	F	McAllen	436	0-19	F	Weslaco
201	60s	М	McAllen	437	0-19	М	Weslaco
202	60s	F	McAllen	438	0-19	М	Weslaco
203	60s	F	McAllen	439	0-19	F	Weslaco
204	60s	F	McAllen	440	0-19	F	Weslaco
205	60s	М	McAllen	441	20s	М	Weslaco
206	60s	F	McAllen	442	20s	F	Weslaco
207	60s	М	McAllen	443	20s	F	Weslaco
208	60s	М	McAllen	444	20s	F	Weslaco
209	60s	М	McAllen	445	20s	F	Weslaco
210	60s	М	McAllen	446	30s	М	Weslaco
211	70+	М	McAllen	447	30s	F	Weslaco
212	70+	F	McAllen	448	30s	F	Weslaco
213	70+	F	McAllen	449	30s	М	Weslaco
214	70+	F	McAllen	450	30s	М	Weslaco
215	70+	F	McAllen	451	30s	М	Weslaco
216	70+	М	McAllen	452	40s	F	Weslaco
217	70+	F	McAllen	453	40s	F	Weslaco
218	70+	F	McAllen	454	40s	F	Weslaco
219	70+	F	McAllen	455	40s	М	Weslaco
220	70+	F	McAllen	456	40s	F	Weslaco
221	0-19	F	Mercedes	457	40s	М	Weslaco
222	0-19	М	Mercedes	458	50s	F	Weslaco



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224	0-19	М	Mercedes	460	50s	М	Weslaco
225	0-19	F	Mercedes	461	50s	М	Weslaco
226	20s	F	Mercedes	462	50s	F	Weslaco
227	20s	F	Mercedes	463	60s	F	Weslaco
228	30s	F	Mercedes	464	60s	F	Weslaco
229	30s	М	Mercedes	465	60s	F	Weslaco
230	30s	М	Mercedes	466	70+	М	Weslaco
231	30s	М	Mercedes	467	70+	М	Weslaco
232	40s	F	Mercedes	468	70+	F	Weslaco
233	50s	F	Mercedes	469	70+	М	Weslaco
234	50s	F	Mercedes	470	70+	F	Weslaco
235	60s	F	Mercedes	471	70+	F	Weslaco
236	60s	М	Mercedes				

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