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## NEWS RELEASE

### FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE

Tuesday, September 29, 2020

### **Twenty new fatalities related to COVID-19 are recorded in Hidalgo County; 158 more test positive**

**EDINBURG** – We have received notice of an additional 20 COVID-19 related deaths. In addition, 158 more have tested positive, Hidalgo County Judge Richard F. Cortez said Tuesday. That raises the total death count from this virus to 1,681 and the total number of infected to 31,835.

“Too many people continue to die from this disease,” Judge Cortez said. “I am proud that the community is taking the threat of this virus more seriously as reflected by lower numbers, but I ask for everyone to proceed with caution. I also ask for everyone’s prayers for their neighbors, friends and relatives who have died from this disease.”

A total of 170 people are now in area hospitals because of COVID-19; 70 of those patients are being treated in intensive care units.

<b>New COVID-19 positive case total for Tuesday</b>	<b>158</b>
<b>Total COVID-19 positive cases in Hidalgo County</b>	<b>31,835</b>
<b>Total number in Hidalgo County hospitals</b>	<b>170</b>
<b>Number of hospitalized patients in intensive care units</b>	<b>70</b>
<b>Number released from isolation Tuesday</b>	<b>121</b>
<b>Total released from isolation</b>	<b>27,998</b>
<b>Number of fatalities reported Tuesday</b>	<b>20</b>
<b>Total number of fatalities</b>	<b>1,681</b>
<b>Net active cases</b>	<b>2,156</b>
<b>Total number of COVID-19 tests administered</b>	<b>163,041</b>
<b>Total number of tests that are positive</b>	<b>31,835</b>
<b>Total number of tests that are negative</b>	<b>130,877</b>

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The deaths include:

	Age	Gender	City
<b>1</b>	70+	Male	Alamo
<b>2</b>	70+	Male	Edinburg
<b>3</b>	70+	Male	Undisclosed
<b>4</b>	20s	Male	McAllen
<b>5</b>	60s	Female	McAllen
<b>6</b>	60s	Male	McAllen
<b>7</b>	70+	Female	McAllen
<b>8</b>	70+	Female	McAllen
<b>9</b>	60s	Female	Mission
<b>10</b>	60s	Female	Mission
<b>11</b>	60s	Male	Mission
<b>12</b>	70+	Male	Mission
<b>13</b>	70+	Male	Mission
<b>14</b>	70+	Male	Undisclosed
<b>15</b>	70+	Female	Undisclosed
<b>16</b>	70+	Female	Weslaco
<b>17</b>	70+	Male	Weslaco
<b>18</b>	70+	Male	Weslaco
<b>19</b>	70+	Male	Weslaco
<b>20</b>	70+	Male	Weslaco

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Tuesday, September 29, 2020 positive cases include:

	Age	Gender	City		Age	Gender	City
1	0-19	F	Alamo	80	20s	M	Mission
2	30s	F	Alamo	81	20s	F	Mission
3	30s	F	Alamo	82	20s	M	Mission
4	40s	M	Alamo	83	20s	F	Mission
5	70+	M	Alamo	84	30s	M	Mission
6	70+	M	Alamo	85	30s	M	Mission
7	30s	F	Alton	86	30s	M	Mission
8	30s	F	Alton	87	40s	M	Mission
9	0-19	F	Donna	88	40s	M	Mission
10	20s	F	Donna	89	40s	F	Mission
11	20s	M	Donna	90	40s	F	Mission
12	20s	F	Donna	91	40s	M	Mission
13	20s	F	Donna	92	40s	F	Mission
14	20s	F	Donna	93	50s	F	Mission
15	30s	F	Donna	94	50s	F	Mission
16	50s	M	Donna	95	50s	M	Mission
17	60s	M	Donna	96	50s	F	Mission
18	20s	M	Edinburg	97	50s	F	Mission
19	20s	M	Edinburg	98	60s	M	Mission
20	20s	F	Edinburg	99	60s	F	Mission
21	20s	F	Edinburg	100	60s	M	Mission
22	20s	F	Edinburg	101	60s	F	Mission
23	30s	F	Edinburg	102	70+	F	Mission
24	30s	M	Edinburg	103	70+	M	Mission
25	30s	M	Edinburg	104	20s	F	Pharr
26	30s	F	Edinburg	105	20s	F	Pharr
27	30s	F	Edinburg	106	20s	M	Pharr
28	30s	F	Edinburg	107	20s	F	Pharr
29	40s	M	Edinburg	108	40s	M	Pharr
30	40s	F	Edinburg	109	40s	M	Pharr
31	40s	F	Edinburg	110	40s	F	Pharr
32	40s	F	Edinburg	111	70+	M	Pharr
33	40s	M	Edinburg	112	0-19	F	San Juan
34	50s	F	Edinburg	113	20s	M	San Juan
35	50s	M	Edinburg	114	20s	F	San Juan

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36	50s	F	Edinburg	115	30s	F	San Juan
37	50s	M	Edinburg	116	40s	M	San Juan
38	50s	F	Edinburg	117	50s	F	San Juan
39	0-19	M	Hidalgo	118	70+	M	San Juan
40	40s	F	Hidalgo	119	20s	M	Undisclosed
41	40s	F	Hidalgo	120	20s	M	Undisclosed
42	50s	M	Hidalgo	121	20s	M	Undisclosed
43	70+	F	Hidalgo	122	30s	F	Undisclosed
44	0-19	M	McAllen	123	30s	F	Undisclosed
45	0-19	F	McAllen	124	30s	M	Undisclosed
46	20s	M	McAllen	125	40s	M	Undisclosed
47	20s	F	McAllen	126	40s	F	Undisclosed
48	20s	F	McAllen	127	40s	F	Undisclosed
49	20s	F	McAllen	128	40s	M	Undisclosed
50	20s	M	McAllen	129	40s	F	Undisclosed
51	20s	F	McAllen	130	50s	F	Undisclosed
52	20s	F	McAllen	131	50s	M	Undisclosed
53	30s	F	McAllen	132	50s	F	Undisclosed
54	30s	F	McAllen	133	50s	M	Undisclosed
55	30s	F	McAllen	134	50s	M	Undisclosed
56	30s	M	McAllen	135	60s	M	Undisclosed
57	40s	F	McAllen	136	70+	M	Undisclosed
58	40s	M	McAllen	137	20s	F	Weslaco
59	40s	M	McAllen	138	20s	F	Weslaco
60	40s	F	McAllen	139	20s	M	Weslaco
61	40s	M	McAllen	140	20s	F	Weslaco
62	40s	F	McAllen	141	30s	F	Weslaco
63	40s	F	McAllen	142	30s	M	Weslaco
64	40s	F	McAllen	143	30s	F	Weslaco
65	70+	M	McAllen	144	30s	F	Weslaco
66	0-19	M	Mercedes	145	40s	F	Weslaco
67	20s	F	Mercedes	146	40s	F	Weslaco
68	20s	F	Mercedes	147	40s	F	Weslaco
69	60s	M	Mercedes	148	40s	M	Weslaco
70	0-19	M	Mission	149	40s	F	Weslaco
71	0-19	M	Mission	150	40s	F	Weslaco
72	0-19	F	Mission	151	50s	F	Weslaco
73	0-19	M	Mission	152	50s	F	Weslaco
74	0-19	F	Mission	153	50s	F	Weslaco

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75	0-19	M	Mission	<b>154</b>	50s	M	Weslaco
76	0-19	F	Mission	<b>155</b>	60s	F	Weslaco
77	0-19	F	Mission	<b>156</b>	60s	F	Weslaco
78	20s	F	Mission	<b>157</b>	60s	F	Weslaco
79	20s	F	Mission	<b>158</b>	70+	F	Weslaco

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