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Cameron County Confirms Additional COVID-19 Related Deaths

Cameron County has received confirmation of two additional COVID-19 related deaths of Cameron County residents. The individuals were a 65-year old female and 81-year old male from Brownsville. They were both previously reported cases. This raises the number of COVID-19 related deaths in Cameron County to 70.

Cameron County has also received confirmation of an additional 117 case reports of COVID-19. This includes the following:

Residence	Gender	Age(s)	Transmission
Brownsville	Female	7, 18, 20, 22, 22, 23, 23, 25, 26, 26, 28, 29, 30, 31, 34, 40, 40, 42, 42, 43, 44, 45, 48, 48, 49, 52, 63	Community
Brownsville	Male	9, 21, 23, 24, 25, 28, 30, 31, 35, 39, 39, 40, 46, 47, 49, 53, 55, 60, 72, 76, 76, 81	Community
Brownsville	Female	11, 16, 18, 21, 29, 31, 35, 41, 54, 63	Link to previous case
Brownsville	Male	10, 13, 17, 38, 40, 48, 49, 49, 52, 53, 53, 73	Link to previous case
Combes	Female	59	Community
Harlingen	Female	22, 28, 38, 63, 65	Community
Harlingen	Male	17, 26, 35, 39, 44, 68	Community
Harlingen	Female	8, 27, 36, 68, 68, 85, 86	Link to previous case
Harlingen	Male	22, 55	Link to previous case
La Feria	Female	53	Community
Los Fresnos	Female	24, 52, 70	Community
Los Fresnos	Male	35	Community
Los Fresnos	Male	25	Link to previous case
Olmito	Male	31	Community
Port Isabel	Female	45	Community
Port Isabel	Female	30	Link to previous case
Primera	Female	72	Community
Primera	Female	45	Link to previous case
Rancho Viejo	Female	10	Community
Rancho Viejo	Male	63	Travel
San Benito	Female	24, 38, 45	Community
San Benito	Male	49, 72	Community
San Benito	Female	16, 40, 56	Link to previous case
San Benito	Male	11, 12, 22	Link to previous case
South Padre Island	Female	24	Community

This raises the total number of COVID-19 cases to 2,997 in Cameron County. There have also been an additional one hundred and seven (107) individuals who have recovered, raising the total number of recovered individuals to 2,180.

Cameron County Public Health continues to work with the seven nursing home facilities and one detention center in addressing the COVID-19 outbreaks. To date, the Cameron County cases arising from the Veranda Nursing Home has included 35 employees and 64 residents who have tested positive, including 11 who have passed away. Spanish Meadows in Brownsville also has 6 employees and 11 residents who have tested positive, including 2 who have passed away. The Rio at Fox Hollow in Brownsville has 35 employees and 36 residents who have tested positive, including 7 who passed away. Alta Vista in Brownsville has 1 employee and 4 residents who have tested positive. Harlingen Nursing and Rehabilitation Center currently has 4 employees and 2 residents who have tested positive. Ebony Lake Nursing and Rehabilitation has 1 employee and 4 residents who have tested positive. Brownsville Nursing and Rehabilitation Center currently has 2 employees and 1 resident who have tested positive. Port Isabel Service Processing Center has 10 employees and 75 detainees who have tested positive.

As part of the COVID-19 action response plan, Cameron County Public Health is conducting epidemiological investigations, contact tracing as needed, and continues to monitor the situation.