

Hidalgo County Commissioners Court

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NEWS ADVISORY

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE Thursday, May 7, 2020

Nine more people in Hidalgo County test positive for COVID-19

Edinburg - Nine more people tested positive for COVID-19 bringing the total number of cases to 368, Hidalgo County Judge Richard F. Cortez said Thursday. Two of the overall numbers were released from isolation on Thursday bringing the total number of active cases to 143.

New COVID-19 positive cases Thursday	9	
Total COVID-19 positive cases in Hidalgo County	368	
Number in Hidalgo County hospitals on Thursday		
Number of hospitalized patients in intensive care units	3	
Number released from isolation on Thursday	2	
Total released from isolation	218	
Number of fatalities on Thursday	0	
Total number of fatalities	7	
Net active cases	144	
Total number of COVID-19 tests administered	5,770	
Total number of tests that are positive	368	
Total number of tests that are negative	5,210	
Total number of tests pending results	192	

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Gender	City	Age range
Male	Pharr	20s
Male	Alamo	20s
Male	Alamo	20s
Female	Alton	40s
Male	Donna	60s
Female	Edinburg	60s
Male	Weslaco	40s
Female	Alton	70s
Female	Alton	20s

The latest nine include:

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