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PRESS RELEASE

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

Eight new cases of COVID-19 were confirmed in Hidalgo County bringing the total number of known cases of the virus to 417, County Judge Richard F. Cortez said Thursday. The number of those hospitalized with complications from the disease remained steady at 16 with three of those in intensive care units.

Three others were released from isolation meaning they have shown no symptoms for 10 days, including three days without a fever. That leaves a total of 164 active cases in the county.

New COVID-19 positive cases Thursday	8
Total COVID-19 positive cases in Hidalgo County	417
Number in Hidalgo County hospitals on Thursday	16
Number of hospitalized patients in intensive care units	3
Number released from isolation on Thursday	3
Total released from isolation	238
Number of fatalities on Thursday	0
Total number of fatalities	10
Net active cases	164
Total number of COVID-19 tests administered	6,652
Total number of tests that are positive	417
Total number of tests that are negative	6,038
Total number of tests pending results	197

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The eight new cases include:

Gender	City	Age range
Female	Mission	20s
Female	Mission	30s
Male	McAllen	30s
Female	Edinburg	30s
Male	Alton	30s
Male	McAllen	60s
Female	Pharr	70s
Female	Palmview	30s

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