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Wednesday, September 23, 2020

# Twenty-five more people in Hidalgo County die from COVID-19 complications; 164 more test positive

**EDINBURG** – Another 25 people in Hidalgo County died from COVID-19 related complications while 164 new positive cases were logged, Hidalgo County Judge Richard F. Cortez said Wednesday.

"The death toll continues and so does the tragedy of this disease," Judge Cortez said. "Unfortunately, we are seeing younger people dying from this virus. This is a real threat that we can survive as long as we take the proper precautions. Evidence shows that it can kill any person of any age. I extend my condolences to the family and friends of those who have perished."

The additional known positive cases bring the total number of COVID-19 cases in Hidalgo County to 31,162. The additional deaths bring the total number of COVID-related deaths locally to 1,588. There are 179 people being treated in local hospitals; 62 of those patients are in intensive care units.

New COVID-19 positive case total for Wednesday	164
Total COVID-19 positive cases in Hidalgo County	31,162
Total number in Hidalgo County hospitals	179
Number of hospitalized patients in intensive care units	62
Number released from isolation Wednesday	160
Total released from isolation	27,394
Number of fatalities Wednesday	25
Total number of fatalities	1,588
Net active cases	2,180
Total number of COVID-19 tests administered	158,149
Total number of tests that are positive	31,162
Total number of tests that are negative	126,681



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The deaths include:

Age		Gender	City		
1	40s	Female	Alamo		
2	60s	Female	Alton		
3	30s	Male	Donna		
4	30s	Male	Donna		
5	40s	Male	Edinburg		
6	50s	Male	Edinburg		
7	60s	Female	Edinburg		
8	60s	Male	Edinburg		
9	70+	Female	Edinburg		
10	70+	Female	Edinburg		
11	70+	Male	Edinburg		
12	70+	Male	Undisclosed		
13	3 60s Male		Mercedes		
14	70+	Female	Mission		
15	5 70+ Male		Mission		
16	70+ Male		Mission		
17	70+	Female	Undisclosed		
18	30s	Male	San Juan		
19	50s	Male	San Juan		
20	0 20s Female		Weslaco		
21	t 40s Male		Weslaco		
22	70+	Female	Weslaco		
23	70+	Male	Weslaco		
24	70+	Male	Weslaco		
25	70+	Male	Weslaco		



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### Wednesday, September 23, 2020 positive cases include:

	Age	Gender	City		Age	Gender	City
1	60s	M	Alamo	83	70+	М	Mercedes
2	20s	М	Alton	84	20s	М	Mission
3	20s	М	Alton	85	20s	М	Mission
4	20s	М	Alton	86	20s	М	Mission
5	30s	М	Alton	87	20s	М	Mission
6	0-19	F	Donna	88	20s	F	Mission
7	20s	F	Donna	89	20s	М	Mission
8	30s	F	Donna	90	30s	F	Mission
9	30s	М	Donna	91	30s	М	Mission
10	30s	F	Donna	92	30s	М	Mission
11	40s	F	Donna	93	40s	М	Mission
12	50s	F	Donna	94	40s	F	Mission
13	50s	F	Donna	95	40s	М	Mission
14	70+	М	Donna	96	40s	F	Mission
15	0-19	М	Edinburg	97	40s	F	Mission
16	0-19	F	Edinburg	98	50s	М	Mission
17	20s	F	Edinburg	99	50s	F	Mission
18	20s	F	Edinburg	100	50s	F	Mission
19	20s	М	Edinburg	101	50s	F	Mission
20	20s	F	Edinburg	102	50s	F	Mission
21	20s	М	Edinburg	103	60s	F	Mission
22	30s	М	Edinburg	104	60s	М	Mission
23	30s	М	Edinburg	105	70+	М	Mission
24	30s	F	Edinburg	106	70+	М	Mission
25	30s	F	Edinburg	107	70+	F	Mission
26	30s	М	Edinburg	108	70+	М	Mission
27	30s	М	Edinburg	109	0-19	F	Pharr
28	40s	F	Edinburg	110	0-19	F	Pharr
29	40s	F	Edinburg	111	0-19	М	Pharr
30	50s	F	Edinburg	112	20s	F	Pharr
31	50s	F	Edinburg	113	20s	F	Pharr
32	50s	M	Edinburg	114	30s	М	Pharr
33	50s	F	Edinburg	115	30s	F	Pharr

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ſ	34	60s	М	Edinburg	116	30s	F	Pharr
	35	60s	M	Edinburg	117	40s	M	Pharr
ŀ	36	60s	F	Edinburg	118	40s	M	Pharr
	37	60s	M	Edinburg	119	40s	M	Pharr
ŀ	38	70+	F	_	120	40s	M	Pharr
		70+	-	Edinburg	121			
	39		M	Edinburg		50s	F	Pharr
	40	70+	M	Edinburg	122 123	50s	M	Pharr
	41	0-19	M	Hidalgo	_	0-19	M	San Juan
	42	30s	M	Hidalgo	124	0-19	F	San Juan
	43	0-19	F -	McAllen	125	0-19	M	San Juan
	44	20s	F	McAllen	126	30s	F	San Juan
	45	20s	M	McAllen	127	30s	F	San Juan
	46	20s	F	McAllen	128	30s	М	San Juan
	47	30s	М	McAllen	129	40s	M	San Juan
	48	30s	М	McAllen	130	50s	M	San Juan
	49	30s	М	McAllen	131	0-19	F	Undisclosed
	50	40s	F	McAllen	132	20s	М	Undisclosed
	51	40s	F	McAllen	133	20s	F	Undisclosed
	52	40s	F	McAllen	134	20s	М	Undisclosed
	53	40s	М	McAllen	135	20s	М	Undisclosed
	54	40s	F	McAllen	136	30s	М	Undisclosed
	55	40s	М	McAllen	137	30s	F	Undisclosed
	56	40s	М	McAllen	138	30s	F	Undisclosed
	57	40s	F	McAllen	139	30s	F	Undisclosed
	58	40s	F	McAllen	140	40s	F	Undisclosed
	59	50s	F	McAllen	141	40s	F	Undisclosed
	60	50s	F	McAllen	142	40s	F	Undisclosed
	61	50s	F	McAllen	143	60s	М	Undisclosed
	62	50s	F	McAllen	144	60s	F	Undisclosed
	63	50s	F	McAllen	145	60s	М	Undisclosed
	64	60s	F	McAllen	146	70+	F	Undisclosed
	65	60s	М	McAllen	147	0-19	F	Weslaco
	66	60s	М	McAllen	148	0-19	F	Weslaco
	67	60s	М	McAllen	149	0-19	F	Weslaco
ı	68	60s	М	McAllen	150	20s	М	Weslaco
	69	60s	F	McAllen	151	30s	F	Weslaco
	70	60s	F	McAllen	152	30s	F	Weslaco
	71	60s	F	McAllen	153	30s	М	Weslaco
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79	30s	F	Mercedes	161	70+	М	Weslaco
80	30s	М	Mercedes	162	70+	М	Weslaco
81	30s	F	Mercedes	163	70+	F	Weslaco
82	50s	F	Mercedes	164	70+	М	Weslaco

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