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Cameron County Confirms Seventh COVID-19 Related Death

Cameron County has received confirmation of its seventh COVID-19 related death of a Cameron County resident. The resident was a 51-year old female from the Windsor Atrium in Harlingen and passed away at Valley Baptist Medical Center in Harlingen. She was a previously reported case and is the third COVID-19 related death from the Windsor Atrium facility.

“With each passing of a loved one, it reminds us of the seriousness of the impact this virus can have on individuals,” stated Cameron County Judge Eddie Trevino, Jr. “Our most sincere condolences go to the family.”

Cameron County has also received confirmation of an additional twelve (12) reports of COVID-19. This includes the following:

Residence	Gender	Age(s)	Transmission
Brownsville	Female	64	Community
Brownsville	Male	65	Community
Brownsville	Male	43, 52	Travel
Harlingen	Male	30	Community
Harlingen	Male	22	Travel
Harlingen	Male	16	Link to Previous Case
Los Fresnos	Male	18	Link to Previous Case
San Benito	Female	43, 44, 51, 55	Link to Previous Case

This raises the total number of cases to 310 in Cameron County. Of the 310 cases, 116 individuals have recovered.

Cameron County Public Health continues to work with the two nursing home facilities in addressing the COVID-19 outbreaks. To date, the Cameron County cases arising from the Veranda Nursing Home has included 25 employees and 52 residents who have tested positive, including three who have passed away. There have also been 37 employees and 24 residents who have tested negative. The Windsor Atrium currently has 27 employees and 24 residents who have tested positive, including three who have passed away. There has also been five (5) employees and two (3) residents who have tested negative.

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.

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