



GUADALUPE COUNTY

OFFICE OF EMERGENCY MANAGEMENT

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For Immediate Release:

10 New "TBD"; 41 New Active, 0 "TBD" moved to Active; 13 "TBD" removed; 17 Recovered; 1 death reported from July

Effective September 21, 2020, Guadalupe County will show an additional 1601 COVID-19 cases. Of those, 1601 are older cases identified by state health department staff through laboratory test reports in Texas Health Trace, the state's COVID-19 case management system. Most of those older cases occurred in June and had not previously been reported to public health by health care providers. That did not cause a delay in notifying individuals of their test results.

- Region 8 has identified a large number of electronically reported files in the Texas Health Trace system that will be added to the daily case count reports. Some of these reports have been delayed due to issues with electronic reporting systems that have been identified and corrected by DSHS.
- Region 8 has reviewed the data in order to report accurate case counts. These cases have been reviewed to make sure that they are classified correctly, they are included the appropriate county's case counts, and duplicate reports have been removed.
- These cases have received public health follow-up through the Texas Health Trace system. The majority of these cases are no longer considered active, meaning they are no longer thought to be able to spread COVID-19.

HOSPITALIZATIONS:

GRMC is reporting four hospitalized patient at this time. 7 day moving average for hospitalizations is <1 per day.

DEATHS:

Since the start of COVID-19, there have been 43 deaths reported to Guadalupe County Emergency Management by DSHS. Guadalupe County expects the number of deaths to increase due to the Texas Department of State Health Services webpage reporting 76 deaths. Due to the lag in the reporting, we have not yet been provided all of the deaths.

These numbers are still changing. The Emergency Management Office is still reviewing the list from DSHS to ensure the cases are recorded in the chart below correctly.

| LOCATION | ACTIVE | RECOVERED | TBD | DEATHS | TOTAL |
|--------------------------------|---------------|----------------------------|------------|---------------|--------------|
| New Braunfels | 4 | 238 | 6 | 3 | 251 |
| Cibolo | 5 | 259 | 3 | 1 | 268 |
| Seguin | 30 | 810 | 6 | 23 | 869 |
| Schertz | 3 | 263 | 5 | 3 | 274 |
| Marion | 1 | 14 | 0 | 0 | 15 |
| Selma | 0 | 22 | 2 | 0 | 24 |
| Unincorporated Area | 15 | 570 | 11 | 13 | 609 |
| Confirmed Totals: | 58 | 2176 | 33 | 43 | 2310 |
| Hospitalized at GRMC- per GRMC | 4 | | | | |
| Deaths at GRMC- per GRMC | 34 | Guadalupe County Residents | | | |