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Hays County COVID-19 Update as of June 24

Hays County Courthouse, San Marcos, TX – Hays County Local Health Department today reports 193 new cases of COVID-19, along with two new hospitalizations and six additional people considered recovered.

Epidemiologist Eric Schneider said the County’s total of lab-confirmed cases is 2,194, which includes 111 from the testing performed by the Texas Division of Emergency Management (TDEM) – see note below about test results from TDEM.

Hays County now has 1,786 active cases. The total number of individuals now considered recovered is 403. The number of negative tests is 6,262. Schneider is awaiting results on 68 tests. Hays County has had 56 total hospitalizations; 17 people are currently hospitalized.

“Our numbers continue to increase,” Schneider said. “We can help prevent the transmission of COVID-19, but it will take everyone in Hays County practicing these simple yet effective measures: stay distanced in public, wash hands and wear masks.”

Note: the COVID-19 online [Dashboard](#) will be updated once daily.

June 24 Report

Lab Confirmed*	Negative*	Pending**	Recovered	Active	Fatalities	Hospitalizations	Current Hospitalizations
2,194	6,262	68	403	1,786	5	56	17

*Hays Co. residents tested by TDEM are included in current case counts (positive and negative).

**Pending does not include tests conducted by TDEM where there is no result yet.

NOTE: If you were tested at a TDEM site, you will receive your results directly from that agency, not the Hays County Local Health Dept.

Age Range	Female	Male	Total	Fatalities
0-9 yrs.	25	29	54	0
10-19 yrs.	77	51	128	0
20-29 yrs.	563	578	1,141	0
30-39 yrs.	163	164	327	0
40-49 yrs.	110	97	207	0
50-59 yrs.	96	86	182	0
60-69 yrs.	55	35	90	1
70-79 yrs.	23	20	43	1
> 80 yrs.	13	9	22	3
Total	1,125	1,069	2,194	5

Area	Total Cases	Active Cases	Fatalities
Austin	19	9	1
Bear Creek	1	0	0
Buda	202	148	1
Driftwood	13	11	0
Dripping Springs	28	20	0
Hays	0	0	0
Kyle	577	367	0
Manchaca	2	2	0
Maxwell	6	6	0
Mountain City	1	1	0
Niederwald	8	6	0
San Marcos	1,308	1,199	2
Umland	3	2	0
Wimberley	26	15	1
Woodcreek	0	0	0
Total	2,194	1,786	5

Ethnicity	Female	Male	Total	Percentage of Cases
Hispanic	446	419	865	39.4%
Non-Hispanic	233	207	440	20.1%
Not Specified	446	443	889	40.5%
Total	1,125	1,069	2,194	

Race	Percentage of Cases
American Indian	0%
Asian	0.7%
Black	1.2%
Native Hawaiian/Pacific Islander	0%
White	53.1%
Not Specified/Unknown	45.0%

**Note: Some Hays County residents have Austin addresses. Because of HIPAA laws, additional information about patients is not allowed to be shared.*

Schneider reminded residents to rely on qualified information sources for additional information such as the [Texas Department of State Health Services](#) and the [Centers for Disease Control](#) which offers information in Spanish and Chinese as well as English. The County's COVID-19 info is [here](#).

As with any emergency situation, www.HaysInformed.com, the countywide emergency notification blog, has a rolling list of important information regarding COVID-19. Many City websites also have information for residents.

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