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City, County Confirm No New COVID-19 Related Deaths

LAREDO, Texas - The City of Laredo and Webb County have NO new confirmed deaths in Webb County related to COVID-19. The City and County want to express their most sincere condolences to the families of those who have lost a loved one.

Stay home if you are sick and call your doctor. Do not go to the doctor’s office, call your doctor first. If it is an emergency, call 9-1-1.

As of 11:00 a.m. on Friday, March 12, 2021, a total of: 309,519 people have been tested; 42,924 have resulted positive (119 are active); 42,006 persons have
estimated recovered; 29 are currently hospitalized (11 of which are in the ICU), hospitalization rate is at 5.32% and 802 people have died.

In order to safeguard legally-protected information, the City of Laredo is not publicly releasing personal or identifiable information regarding any cases as it relates to COVID-19, results or monitoring.

Please continue to do your part in preventing the spread of all diseases. Follow the guidelines below:

- Follow CDC and WHO guidelines and practice physical distancing
- Wash your hands often with soap and water for at least 20 seconds. Hand sanitizer can be used when soap and water are not readily available
- Wear a mask or face covering
- Avoid touching your face
- Avoid close contact with people who are sick
- Stay home when you are sick
- Cover all coughs and sneezes
- Clean frequently-touched surfaces


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