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City, County Confirm New COVID-19 Related Deaths

LAREDO, Texas – The City of Laredo and Webb County have THREE new confirmed deaths 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 through this pandemic and want them to know that counselors and teams are available to support them.

- The 915th death of a Webb County resident was a female in her early-50s. She died on Saturday, September 4, 2021.
- The 916th death of a Webb County resident was a male in her early-40s. He died on Sunday, September 5, 2021.
• The 917th death of a Webb County resident was a female in her late-80s. She died on Sunday, September 5, 2021.

As of 10:00 AM on Tuesday, September 7, 2021, a total of: 409,727 people have been tested; 50,623 have resulted positive; 488 are estimated active (as of 9/06/2021) (9/05/2021: 517; 9/04/2021: 547).

Of the 488 active cases:

• 160 cases are below the age of 17
• 124 cases are between the ages of 18-30
• 120 cases are between the ages 31-49
• 84 cases are above the age of 50
• Of the active investigated, 168 cases are not vaccinated (59.4%)
• 56 total year to date vaccine breakthrough cases

Furthermore, 49,218 are estimated recovered (9/05/2021: 49,135; 9/04/2021: 49,062); 68 are currently hospitalized; 32 of those in the COVID ICU. The hospitalization rate is at 15.79% as of 9/6/21 (9/05/2021: 15.46%; 9/04/2021: 15.70%) and 917 people have died.

Vaccine Statistics:

• Population 12+ vaccinated with at least one dose: 221,179
• Population 12+ who are fully vaccinated: 179,985
• Population 65+ vaccinated with at least one dose: 26,061

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