



MONTGOMERY COUNTY OFFICIALS UPDATE CORONAVIRUS OUTBREAK

Status Update from the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management

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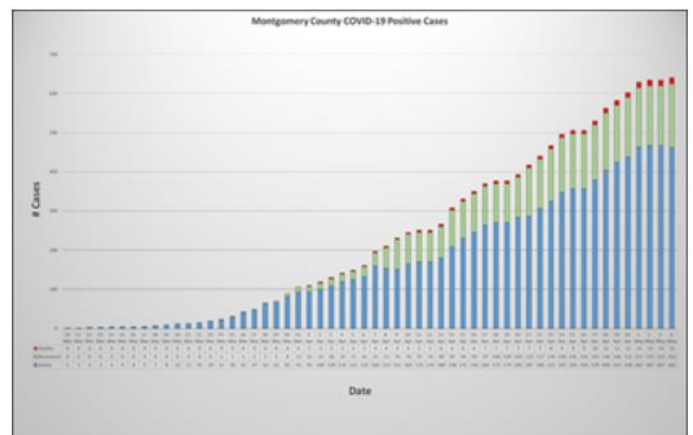
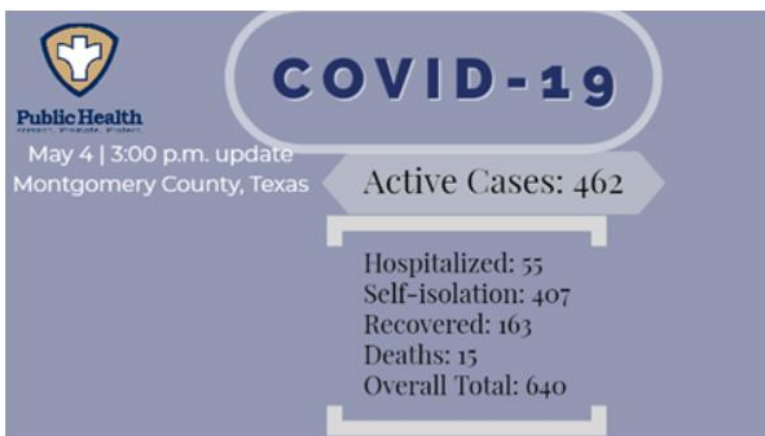
MONTGOMERY COUNTY – Montgomery County Public Health District, in conjunction with Montgomery County Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, is saddened to confirm the 15th death related to COVID-19 in Montgomery County. A man, in his 70s from the Montgomery area, died in a local hospital.

We can also confirm there are now 462 ACTIVE cases of COVID-19. That number includes 55 hospitalizations. 163 people have fully recovered. The number of total positive cases has increased 6 since Saturday to 640.

Today, the Montgomery County Public Health office experienced an equipment malfunction that resulted in a delay of the receipt of laboratory results, which explains the increase of only 6 cases. Now that the equipment is functional, we expect to see a spike in Tuesday's numbers.

Details on individual cases can be found here: <https://mcphd-tx.org/coronavirus-covid-19/confirmed-cases/>.

Montgomery County Office of Emergency Management updates a dashboard for the cases here: <https://coronavirus-response-moco.hub.arcgis.com/>.



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