



## **MONTGOMERY COUNTY OFFICIALS UPDATE CORONAVIRUS OUTBREAK**

*Status Update from the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management*

### **FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:**

**July 21, 2020**

MONTGOMERY COUNTY – Montgomery County Public Health District, in conjunction with the Montgomery County Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, is confirming the following update regarding COVID-19:

- TOTAL cases of COVID-19 increased by 102 to 5,169.
- ACTIVE cases of COVID-19 decreased by 2 to 2,407.
- 55 residents are known to be in the hospital, as a result of contact investigations. Contact investigations have not been initiated on all reported cases.
- 2,608 people have clinically recovered.

\*Changes reflected since yesterday.

Take steps to slow the spread of COVID-19 in our community.

- Consider staying home unless it is necessary to leave your home.
- Avoid groups of people.
- Practice social distancing.
- Wear a mask (if it is necessary to leave your home).
- Wash your hands or use hand sanitizer frequently.
- Disinfect surfaces in your car and around your home.

**Have questions about COVID-19 PCR, Antigen or Antibody testing? Please go to <https://mcphd-tx.org/> and scroll down to the FAQs. There, you can also find details on the calculations for the graphics below.**



# COVID-19 UPDATE

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## Active Cases: 2,407

July 21, 2020  
Residents of  
Montgomery Co.,  
TX

\*The hospitalized data is only as valid as the number of hospitals reporting and the accuracy of the data reported to Public Health as required by state law.

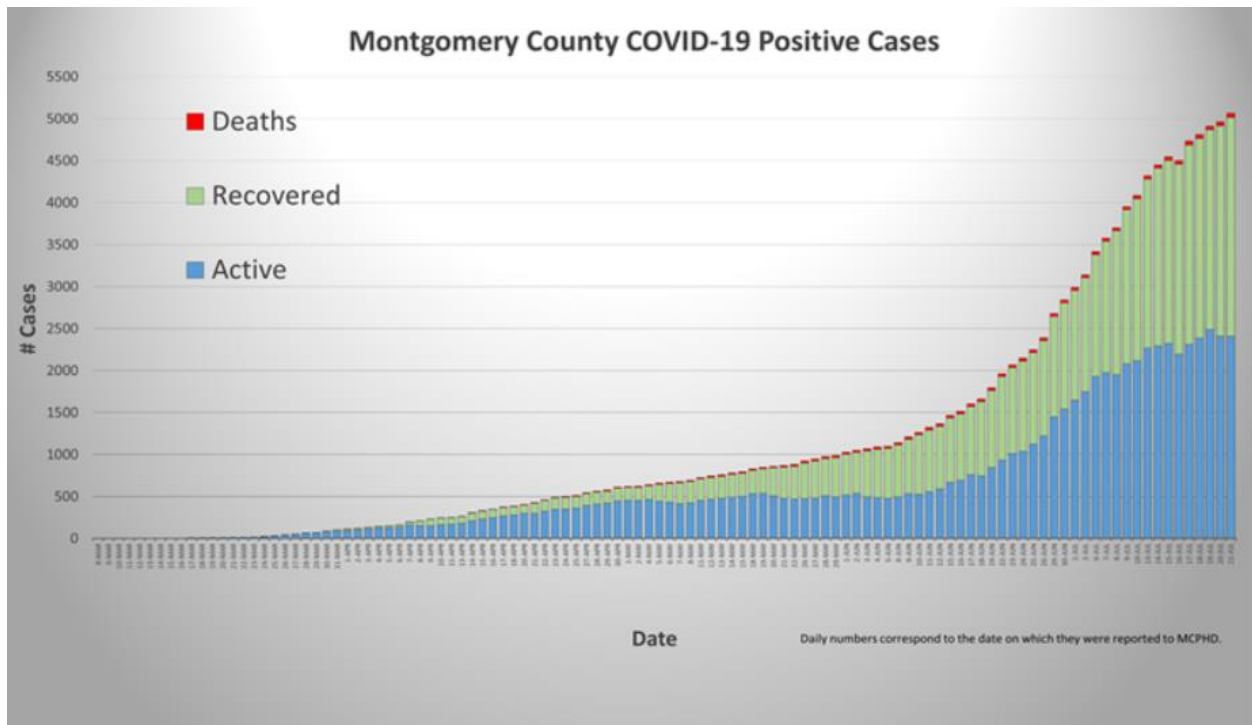
\*\* Only includes cases where a contact investigation has been completed.

Hospitalized: 55 \*  
Self-isolation: 1,575 \*\*  
Recovered: 2,608  
Deaths: 49  
Total: 5,169

### KEY CHANGES

Active cases - 2  
Hospitalizations + 3  
Recoveries + 104  
Deaths + 0  
Total cases + 102

As of 7/15/2020, this graph is based on dates that positive tests were reported to MCPHD – not to the public. This ensures the data is a true reflection of when the cases were positive and accrued. As of 7/16/2020, we make cases inactive who our staff has been unable to contact for more than 30 days.





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## PATIENTS HOSPITALIZED IN MONTGOMERY COUNTY

Updated July 21  
at 2pm:  
Numbers reflect  
county and non-county  
residents.

Total Hospitalized: 226  
(increase of 3)

ICU: 60

General/Isolation: 166

\*Data represented in this graph is provided by SETRAC, as reported by hospitals in Montgomery County, Texas only. Only confirmed COVID-19 patients are included, regardless of residence.

For more info: [setrac.org](http://setrac.org).

You can find more information on the SETRAC website, [setrac.org](http://setrac.org).

You can view the list of case-by-case updates on the MCPHD website here: <https://mcphd-tx.org/coronavirus-covid-19/confirmed-cases/>. You can refer to the dashboard here: <https://coronavirus-response-moco.hub.arcgis.com/>.

Just a reminder, online registration is now available for COVID-19 testing through the MCPHD/MCHD voucher program. Click on “Need to be tested?” on [mchd-tx.org](http://mchd-tx.org) or [mcphd-tx.org](http://mcphd-tx.org) and follow the instructions. Please note, the COVID-19 Call Center’s number has changed - 936-523-3916. It is open Monday-Friday 8:00am-4:00pm.

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