



FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE:
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Daily COVID-19 Update for Montgomery County *Status Update from the Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management*

MONTGOMERY COUNTY – Montgomery County Public Health District, in conjunction with the Montgomery County Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, can sadly confirm an additional death related to COVID-19.

A man in his 60s, from Conroe, died in the hospital. He had co-morbidities in addition to testing positive for COVID-19.

We can also confirm:

- TOTAL cases of COVID-19 increased by 247 to 18,430 since yesterday's (12/1) report. All 247 new cases were tested on or after 11/20/2020.
- ACTIVE cases of COVID-19 increased by 149 to 3,651 since yesterday's (12/1) report.
- 30 residents are known, as a result of contact investigations, to be in the hospital. Contact investigations have not been initiated on all reported cases.
- 11,176 people have clinically recovered.

The Testing Positivity Rate for Montgomery County has decreased slightly, by 0.4%, to 11.6%. This number is updated weekly on Wednesdays. You can find more information here: <https://sph.uth.edu/dept/bads/covid19-dashboard>.

*These numbers include PCR and rapid antigen testing. We do not include antibody testing. Have questions? Please go to <https://mcphd-tx.org/> and scroll down to the FAQs.



COVID-19 UPDATE

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Dec. 2, 2020
Residents of
Montgomery Co.,
TX

Active Cases: 3,651

Hospitalized: 30
Recovered: 11,176
Deaths: 173
Total: 18,430

KEY CHANGES

(vs. 12/1/2020)

Active cases + 149

Hospitalizations + 3

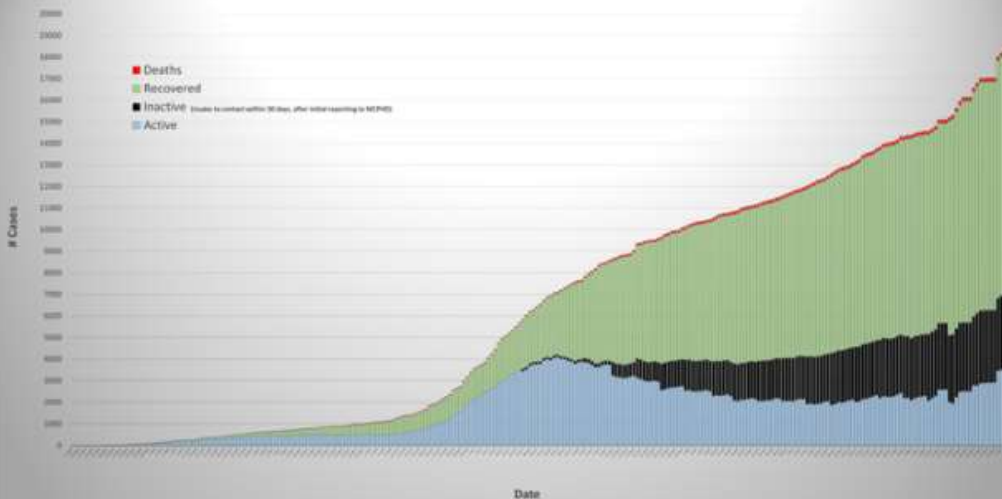
Recoveries + 97

Deaths + 1

Total cases + 247

MCPHD includes both PCR & antigen (rapid) positive results.

Montgomery County COVID-19 Positive Cases



Beginning on September 1, 2020, positive antigen tests are included in this data.
Daily numbers correspond to the date on which they were reported to MCPHD.



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PATIENTS HOSPITALIZED IN MONTGOMERY COUNTY

Updated Dec. 2, 2020
Numbers reflect county
and non-county residents.

Total Hospitalized: 166
(increase of 7)

ICU: 37

General/Isolation: 129

*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.

You can find more information on the SETRAC website, setrac.org.

You can view the 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/>.

Do you have questions regarding COVID-19 or COVID-19 testing? The Montgomery County COVID-19 Call Center's number is 936-523-3916. It is open Monday-Friday from 8:00am – 4:30pm.

Follow CDC guidelines to slow the spread of COVID-19 in our community.

- ✓ If your children have started in-person school, teach them proper hygiene and the correct way to wear a mask. Encourage them to never share masks with others.
- ✓ Avoid groups of people.
- ✓ Practice social distancing.
- ✓ Wear a mask in public or with others outside your household.
- ✓ Wash your hands or use hand sanitizer frequently.
- ✓ Disinfect surfaces in your car and around your home.

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