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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 confirm mass vaccinations continue in our county. Please make sure to check email daily if you have signed up for a waitlist. To check eligibility, click here: <https://dshs.texas.gov/coronavirus/immunize/vaccine.aspx>.

You can join the Montgomery County COVID-19 waitlist by clicking here: <https://coronavirus-response-moco.hub.arcgis.com/pages/vaccinations>. If you are 65+ years of age and do not have internet access, you can join by calling 936-523-3916, Monday-Thursday 8:00am-4:30pm or Friday 8:00am-4:00pm. Again, after signing up, please check your email daily.

Individual hospitals, physicians' offices and pharmacies may also have vaccines available to eligible populations. Please check their websites for additional information. You can find a list of providers and additional information on the DSHS website here: <https://www.dshs.state.tx.us/coronavirus/immunize/vaccine-hubs.aspx>.

Today, we can confirm:

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

We can also confirm:

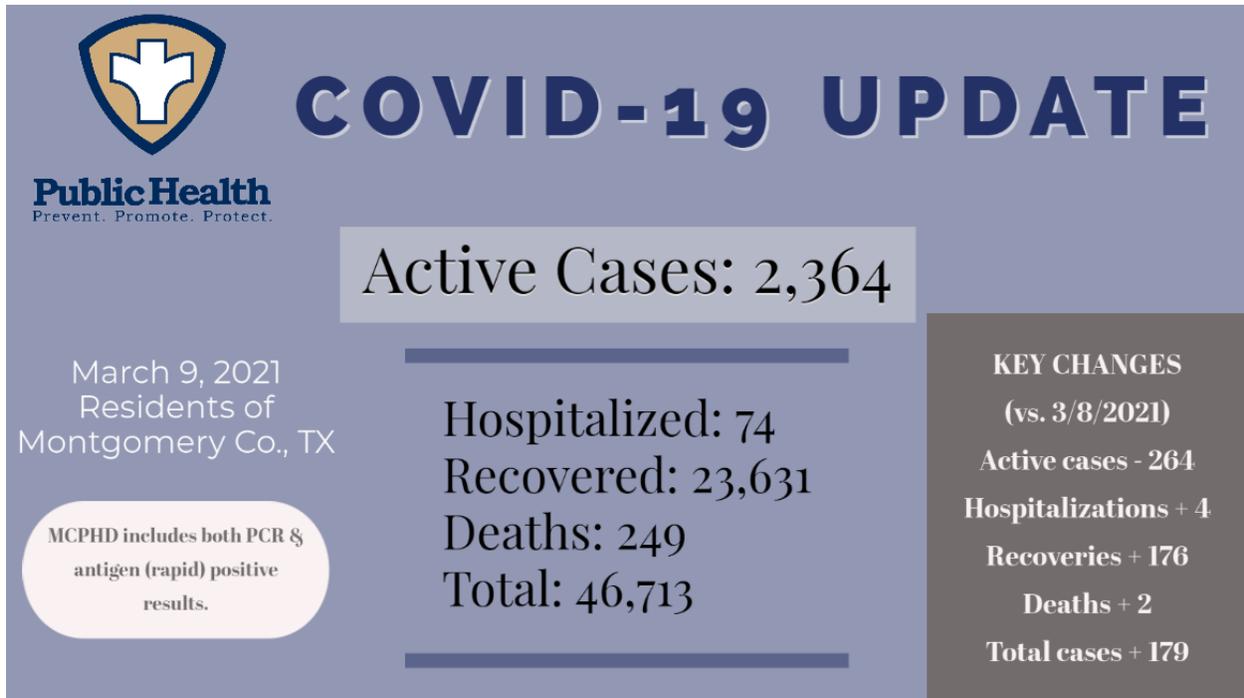
- TOTAL cases of COVID-19 increased by 179 to 46,713 since Monday, March 8th report.
- ACTIVE cases of COVID-19 decreased by 264 to 2,364 since Monday, March 8th report.
- 74 county residents are known, as a result of contact investigations, to be in the hospital. Contact investigations have not been initiated on all reported cases.

- 23,631 people have clinically recovered.

The Testing Positivity Rate for Montgomery County has risen to 14% from 13% last week. This number is updated weekly on Wednesdays.

Source: UT Health, School of Public Health

*These numbers include PCR and rapid antigen testing. We do not include antibody testing.



The infographic features a blue background with a white cross in a shield logo on the left. The text is arranged in a structured layout with various font sizes and weights to highlight key statistics. A dark grey box on the right side contains a list of key changes compared to a previous date.

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COVID-19 UPDATE

Active Cases: 2,364

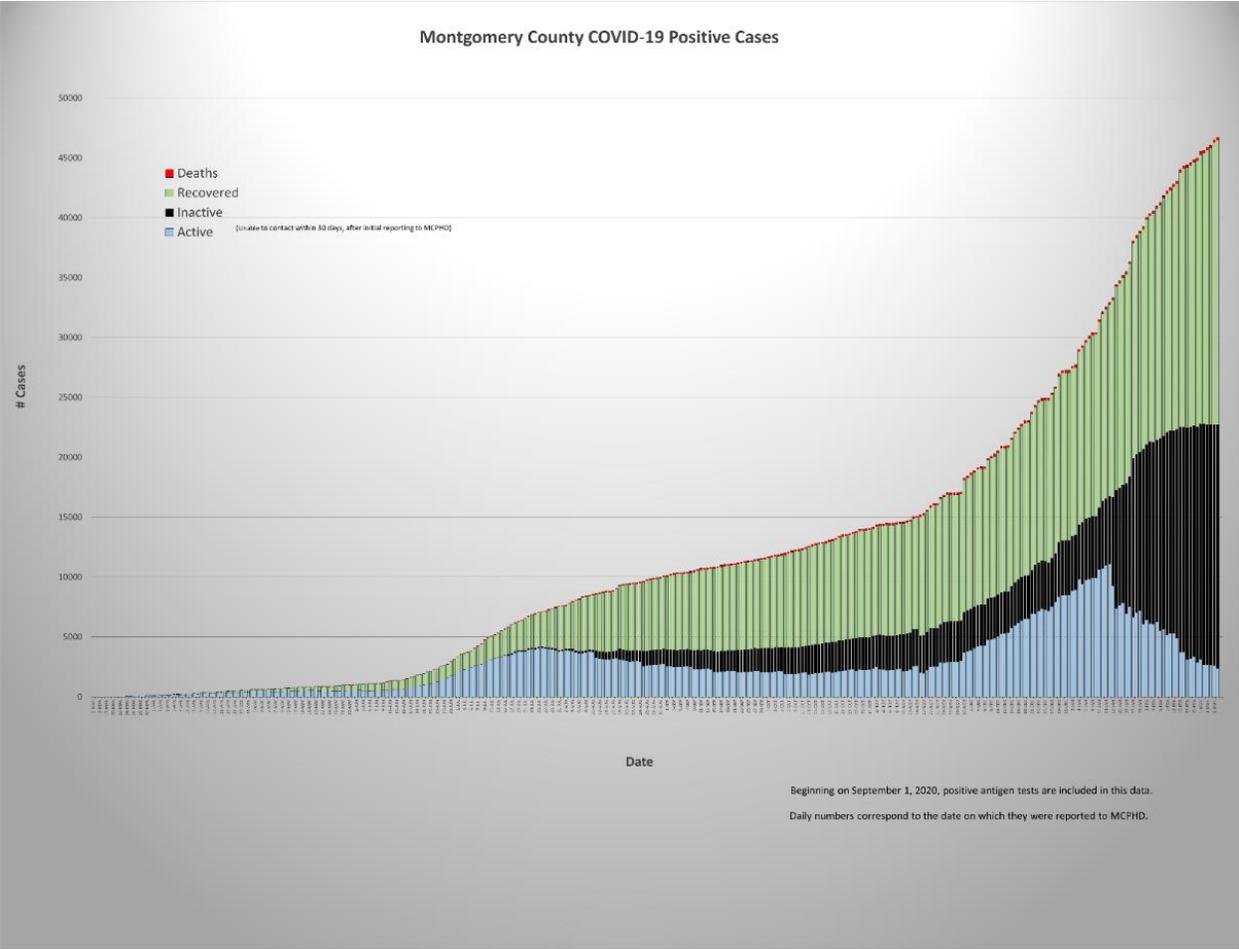
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Residents of
Montgomery Co., TX

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

Hospitalized: 74
Recovered: 23,631
Deaths: 249
Total: 46,713

**KEY CHANGES
(vs. 3/8/2021)**

- Active cases - 264
- Hospitalizations + 4
- Recoveries + 176
- Deaths + 2
- Total cases + 179



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COVID-19 UPDATE

PATIENTS HOSPITALIZED IN MONTGOMERY COUNTY

Updated March 9, 2021
Numbers reflect county and non-county residents.

***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.

Total Hospitalized: 135 (+0)

ICU: 27

General/Isolation: 108

SETRAC data for regional hospitalizations was last updated 3/9/2021. Updates can be found here: <https://bit.ly/3jwhdiV>.

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 your part to slow the spread of COVID-19.

- *Avoid groups of people.*
- *Practice social distancing.*
- *Wear a mask in public (over your nose and mouth) or with others who live outside your household. Never share a mask with others.*
- *Teach children proper hygiene and the correct way to wear a mask.*
- *Wash your hands or use hand sanitizer frequently.*
- *Disinfect surfaces in your car and around your home.*

As supply and eligibility increases, get vaccinated.

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