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Waco-McLennan County Public Health District Announces 191 New Cases of COVID-19 Three New Deaths Attributed to COVID-19 Free Testing Locations

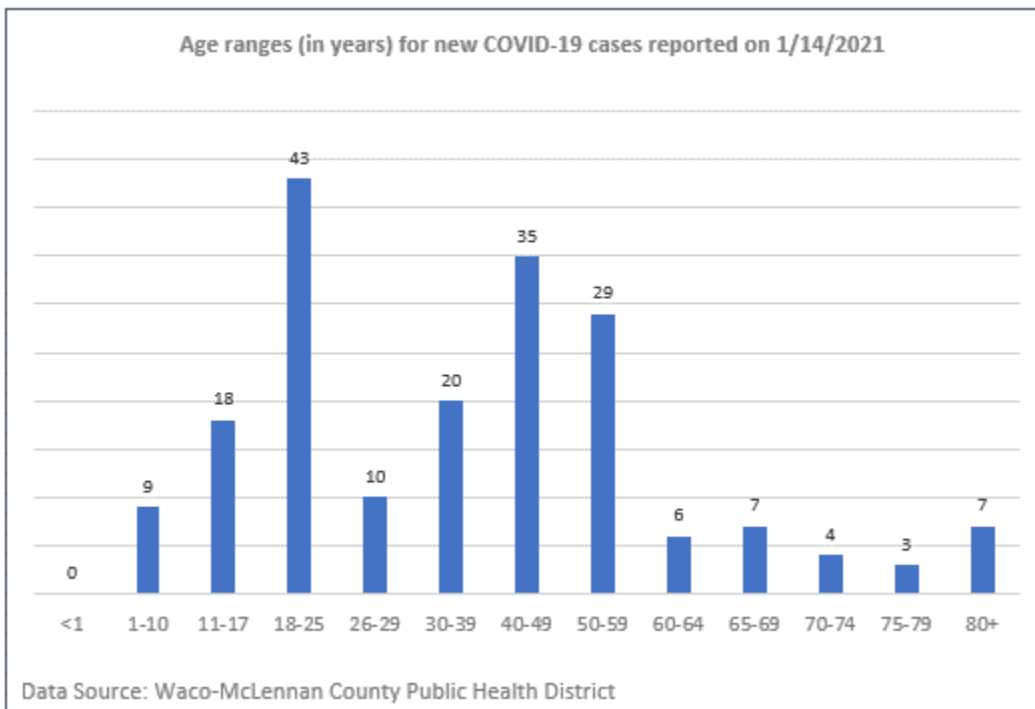
(January 14, 2021) One hundred and ninety-one new cases of COVID-19 are reported today. The total number of cases to date is 21,598. There are 1,258 estimated active cases, and 20,022 estimated cases who have recovered. One hundred and seventy-eight are hospitalized. Of the 178 hospitalized, 116 cases are McLennan County residents. Twenty-five are on ventilators.

Sadly, three additional deaths were reported due to COVID-19, bringing the total deaths to 318.

#316 was a 78-year-old white male.

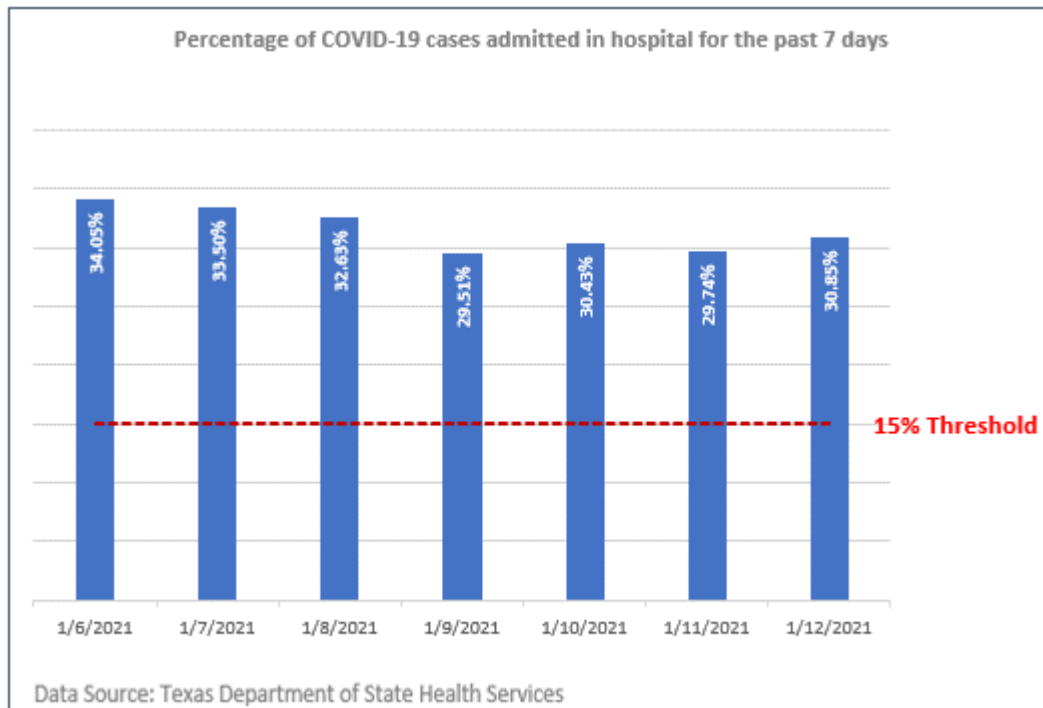
#317 was a 90-year-old white female.

#318 was an 81-year-old African American male.



As of January 12, 2021, the hospitalization rate was 30.85% for Trauma Service Area M, as calculated by Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS). The rate has exceeded the 15% threshold for 7 consecutive days.

Please note: As of Monday, 1/11/2021, the "Percentage of COVID-19 cases admitted in hospital for the past 7 days" graph began showing a two-day lag. This change is in congruence with the reporting change on [the Texas Department of State Health Services website](#).



Executive Order GA-32 calls for the following, based on a seven-day period:

- If the hospitalization rate in a Trauma Service Areas (TSA) with a COVID-19 hospitalizations rate is under 15% for 7 consecutive days, restaurants and other venues can operate at 75% capacity and elective surgeries are allowed.
- If the hospitalization rate in a Trauma Service Areas (TSA) with a COVID-19 hospitalizations rate is over 15% for 7 consecutive days, venue capacities are lowered to 50% and elective surgeries are postponed until further notice.

COVID-19 Website:

For additional expanded information including age, race, ethnicity, gender and more, please visit www.covidwaco.com.

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Free COVID-19 Testing Site Update

Register at www.covidwaco.com

January 15

NOTE: PLEASE DO NOT EAT, DRINK, or BRUSH YOUR TEETH FOR 1/2 HOUR PRIOR TO THE TEST.

Waco ISD Stadium

1401 S New Rd

Hours: 8 am-5 pm (Drive-through Clinic)

[Click here to register for saliva test](#)

Waco Multi-Purpose Center

1020 Elm Avenue

Hours: 8 am-5 pm (Walk-up Clinic)

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January 18-22

NOTE: PLEASE DO NOT EAT, DRINK, or BRUSH YOUR TEETH FOR 1/2 HOUR PRIOR TO THE TEST.

McLennan Community College

4601 N 19th St

Parking Lot N

Hours: 8 am-5 pm (Drive-through Clinic)

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We will update this page each day to include upcoming testing locations so you can mention these during your daily COVID-19 updates. A list of ALL scheduled testing can be found at COVIDWACO.COM

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