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### Waco-McLennan County Public Health District Announces COVID-19 Statistics for January 17-19, 2021 Weekly Free Testing Locations

(January 19, 2021) Here are the statistics for January 17-19, 2021.

**Sunday, January 17, 2021:** Seventy-two new cases of COVID-19 were confirmed on Sunday. The total number of cases was 21,966. There were 1,053 estimated active cases, and 20,585 estimated cases who had recovered. One hundred thirty-eight cases were hospitalized. Of the 138 hospitalized, 88 cases were McLennan County residents. Twenty-nine were on ventilators.

**Monday, January 18, 2021:** Forty new cases of COVID-19 were confirmed as of Monday. The total number of cases was 22,006. There were 926 estimated active cases, and 20,752 estimated cases who had recovered. One hundred and forty-seven cases were hospitalized. Of the 147 hospitalized, 97 cases were McLennan County residents. Twenty-nine were on ventilators.

**Tuesday, January 19, 2021:** Two hundred and eighty-six new cases of COVID-19 are confirmed as of today. The total number of cases to date is 22,296. There are 1,106 estimated active cases, and 20,862 estimated cases who have recovered. One hundred thirty-seven cases are hospitalized. Of the 137 hospitalized, 104 cases are McLennan County residents. Twenty-eight are on ventilators.

Sadly, five additional deaths were reported due to COVID-19, bringing the total deaths to 330.

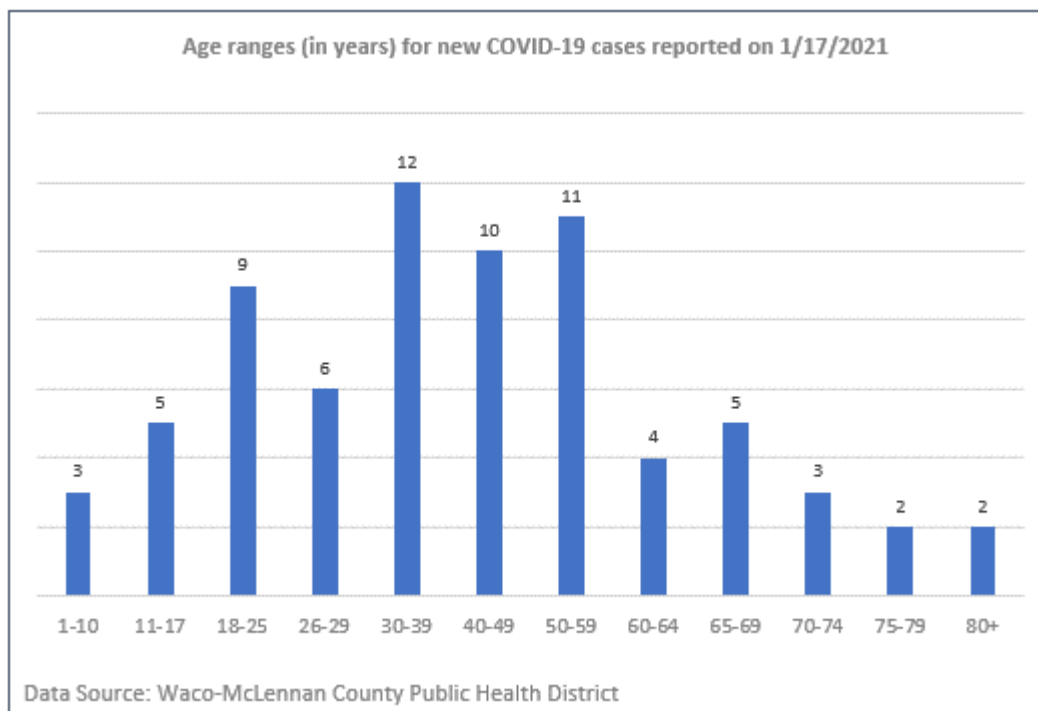
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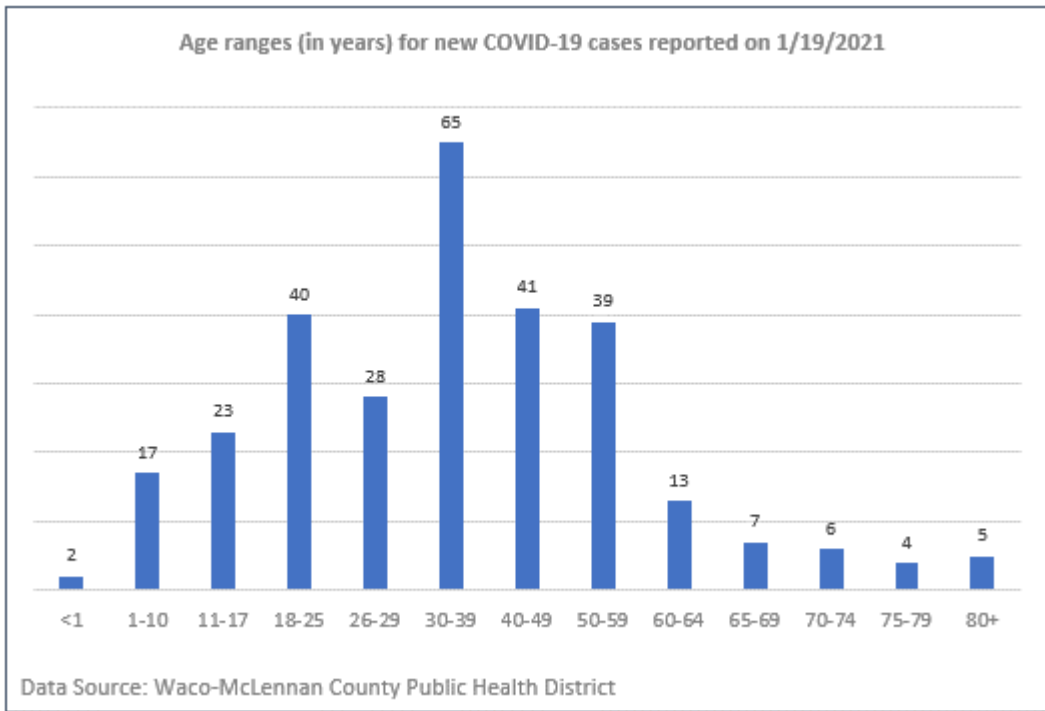
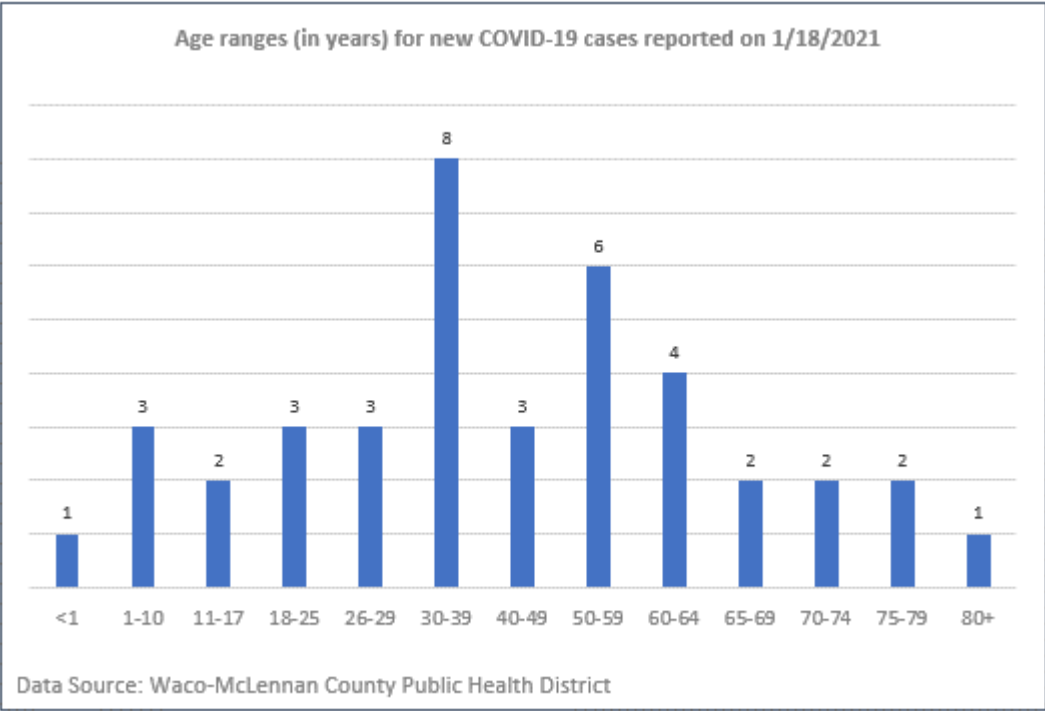
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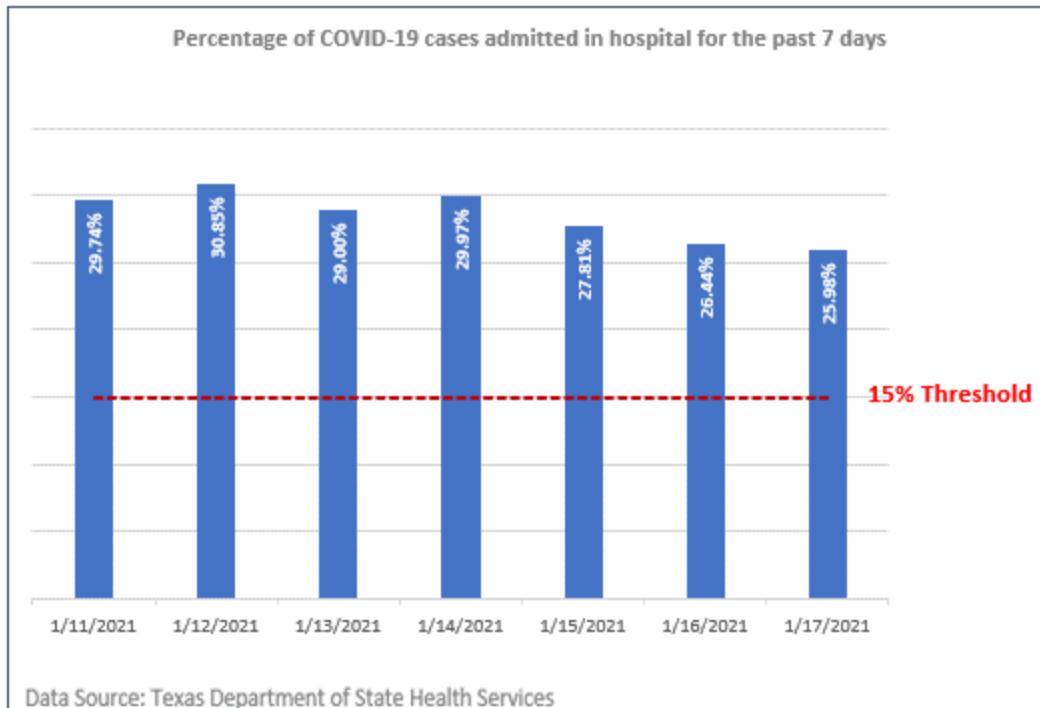


**COVID-19 Website:**

For additional expanded information including age, race, ethnicity, gender and more, please visit [www.covidwaco.com](http://www.covidwaco.com).

As of January 17, 2021, the hospitalization rate is 25.98% for Trauma Service Area M, as calculated by the Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS). The rate has exceeded the 15% threshold for 7 consecutive days.

**Please note:** The "Percentage of COVID-19 cases admitted in hospitals for the past 7 days" graph shows a two-day lag. This 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.

## Free COVID-19 Testing Site Update

Register at [www.covidwaco.com](http://www.covidwaco.com)

### January 20-22

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

#### [Waco Multi-Purpose Center](#)

1020 Elm Avenue  
Hours: 8 am-5 pm (Walk-up Clinic)  
[Click here to register for saliva test](#)

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.