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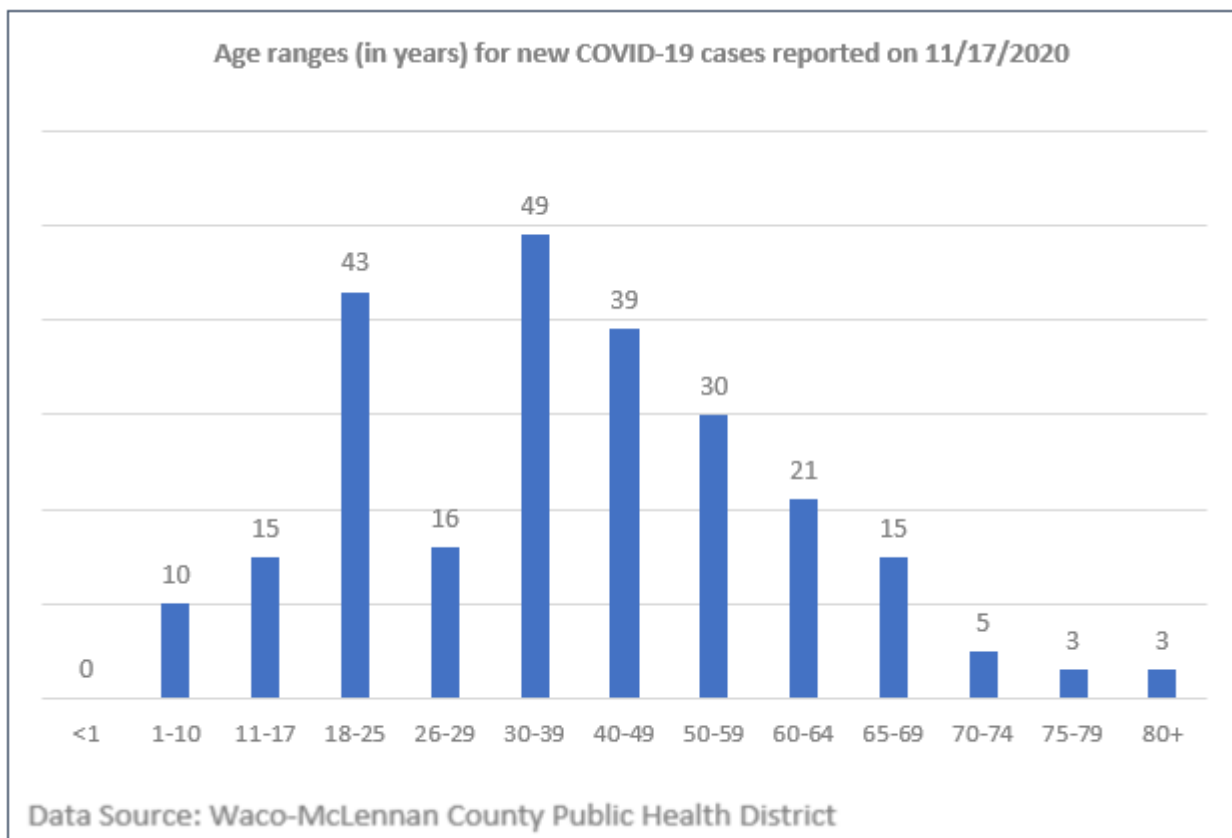
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Waco-McLennan County Public Health District Announces

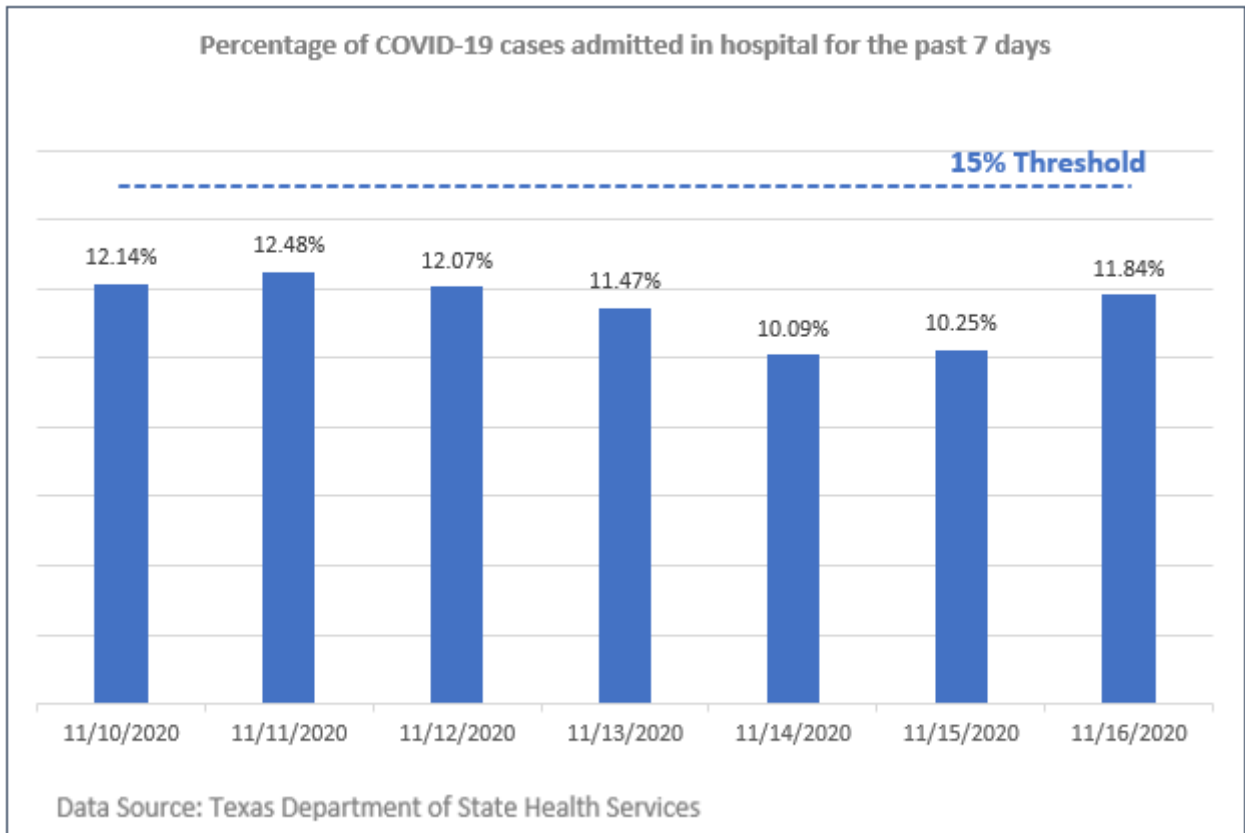
- 249 New Cases of COVID-19
- No Additional Deaths Attributed to COVID-19
 - Next TWO days free testing locations

(November 17, 2020) Two hundred and forty-nine new cases of COVID-19 are confirmed as of today. Sixty of the cases are reported from surge testing. The total number of cases to date is 12,572. There are 1,207 estimated active cases, and 11,195 estimated cases who have recovered. Sixty-nine cases are hospitalized. Of the 69 hospitalized, 55 cases are McLennan County residents. Fourteen are on ventilators. The total number of deaths is 170.



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As of November 16, 2020, the hospitalization rate is 11.84% for Trauma Service Area M, as calculated by Texas Department of State Health Services (DSHS).



Executive Order GA-32 allows restaurants and other venues to reopen at 75% capacity and allows elective surgeries if the hospitalization rate in a Trauma Service Areas (TSA) with a COVID-19 hospitalizations rate under 15% over a seven-day period. If the hospitalization rate goes over 15% for seven consecutive days, venue capacity will be lowered to 50% and elective surgeries will be postponed until further notice.

COVID-19 Website:

For additional expanded information including age, race, ethnicity, gender, ICU bed availability and more, please visit www.covidwaco.com or www.mclennancounty covid.com

Free COVID-19 Testing Site Update

Register at www.covidwaco.com

All testing sites are using the saliva-based test.

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

Wednesday, November 18th

Antioch Church

505 N 20th St

Drive-through Clinic **9 am-6 pm**

Kate Ross Community Center

1115 Cleveland Ave

Walk-up Clinic **8 am-5 pm**

Thursday, November 19th

Antioch Church

505 N 20th St

Drive-through Clinic **9 am-6 pm**

McLennan Community College

4601 N 19th St (Parking Lot N)

Walk-up Clinic **9 am-6 pm**

We will update this page each day to include no more than the NEXT TWO DAYS of testing locations so you can mention at least one during your daily COVID-19 updates. A list of ALL scheduled testing can be found at COVIDWACO.COM

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