

CAMERON COUNTY PUBLIC HEALTH

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Cameron County Confirms Additional COVID-19 Cases

Cameron County has received confirmation of an additional 15 (fifteen) case reports of COVID-19. This includes the following:

Residence	Gender	Age(s)	Transmission
Brownsville	Male	22	Community
Brownsville	Male	32	Travel
Brownsville	Female	20, 22, 27, 58, 62, 69, 90	Link to Previous Case
Brownsville	Male	51, 62, 62, 91	Link to Previous Case
Los Fresnos	Male	70	Link to Previous Case
San Benito	Male	75	Travel

This raises the total number of COVID-19 cases to 686 in Cameron County. There have also been an additional 17 individuals who have recovered, raising the total number of recovered individuals to 455.

Cameron County Public Health continues to work with the three nursing home facilities in addressing the COVID-19 outbreaks. To date, the Cameron County cases arising from the Veranda Nursing Home has included 32 employees and 61 residents who have tested positive, including ten (10) who have passed away. The Windsor Atrium currently has 38 employees and 60 residents who have tested positive, including sixteen (16) individuals who have passed away. Spanish Meadows in Brownsville also has five (5) employees and ten (10) residents who have tested positive.

As part of the COVID-19 action response plan, Cameron County Public Health is conducting epidemiological investigations, contact tracing as needed, and continues to monitor the situation.

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