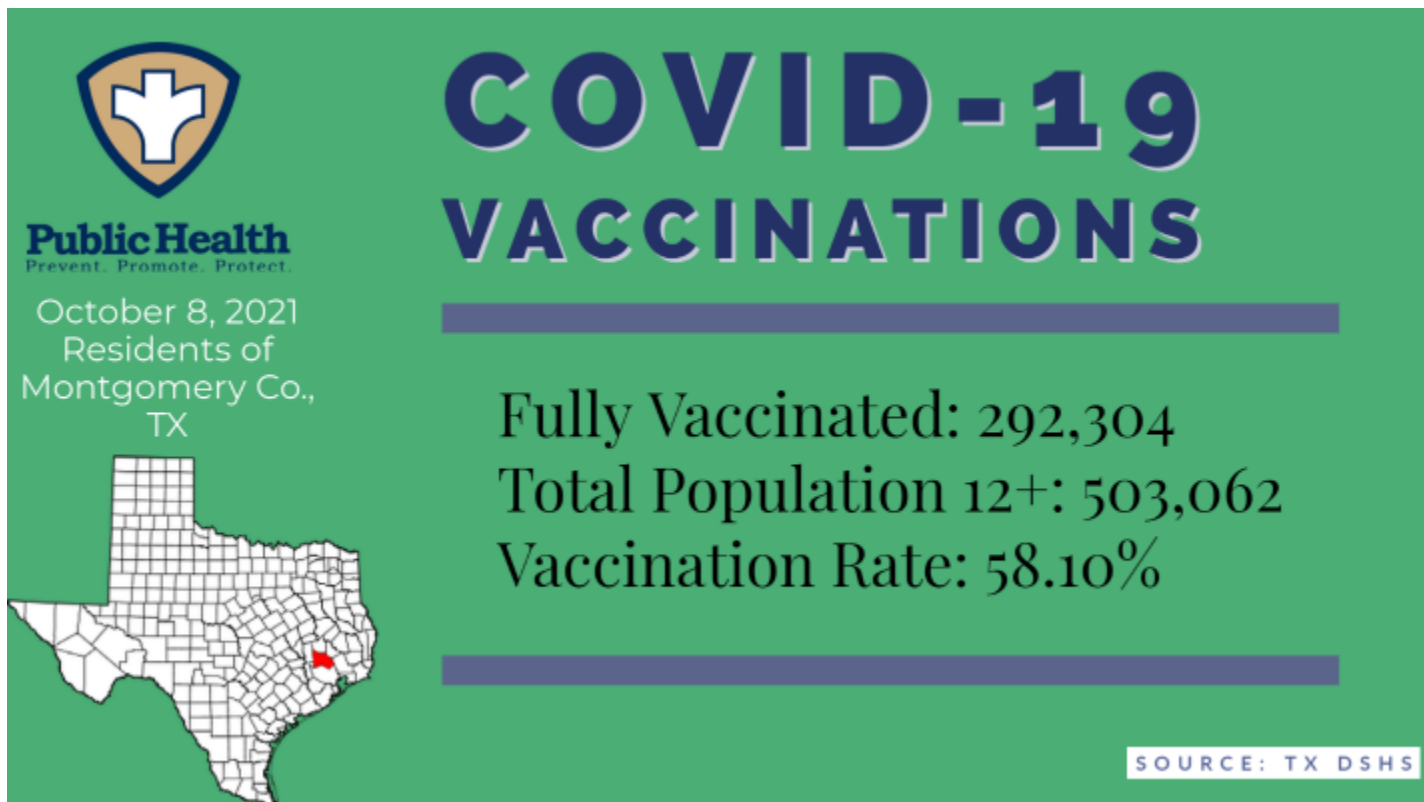Date: 10/8/2021

MONTGOMERY COUNTY COVID-19 UPDATE

MONTGOMERY COUNTY – Montgomery County Public Health District, in conjunction with the Montgomery County Office of Homeland Security and Emergency Management, would like to encourage residents to be vaccinated for COVID-19 or obtain a booster shot if eligible.

The CDC has endorsed Pfizer booster shots for those who are 65 years of age and older, immunocompromised individuals and those who work in high-risk industries. For more information, click here: https://www.cdc.gov/media/releases/2021/p0924-booster-recommendations-.html.

Need to find a vaccine or a vaccine booster shot? Click here for vaccine sites: https://www.vaccines.gov/.

Today, we can also confirm seven additional deaths related to COVID-19.

- A man in his 30s, from Conroe, died in the hospital. He had co-morbidities in addition to testing positive for COVID-19. He was not vaccinated.
- A woman in her 40s, from Conroe, died in the hospital. She had co-morbidities in addition to testing positive for COVID-19. She was not vaccinated.
- A man in his 50s, from Willis, died in the hospital. There were no co-morbidities noted in his medical records. He was not vaccinated.
- A man in his 60s, from Conroe, died in the hospital. He had co-morbidities in addition to testing positive for COVID-19. He was not vaccinated.
- A woman in her 60s, from New Caney, died in the hospital. She had co-morbidities in addition to testing positive for COVID-19. She was not vaccinated.
- A man in his 60s, from Magnolia, died in the hospital. He had co-morbidities in addition to testing positive for COVID-19. He was not vaccinated.
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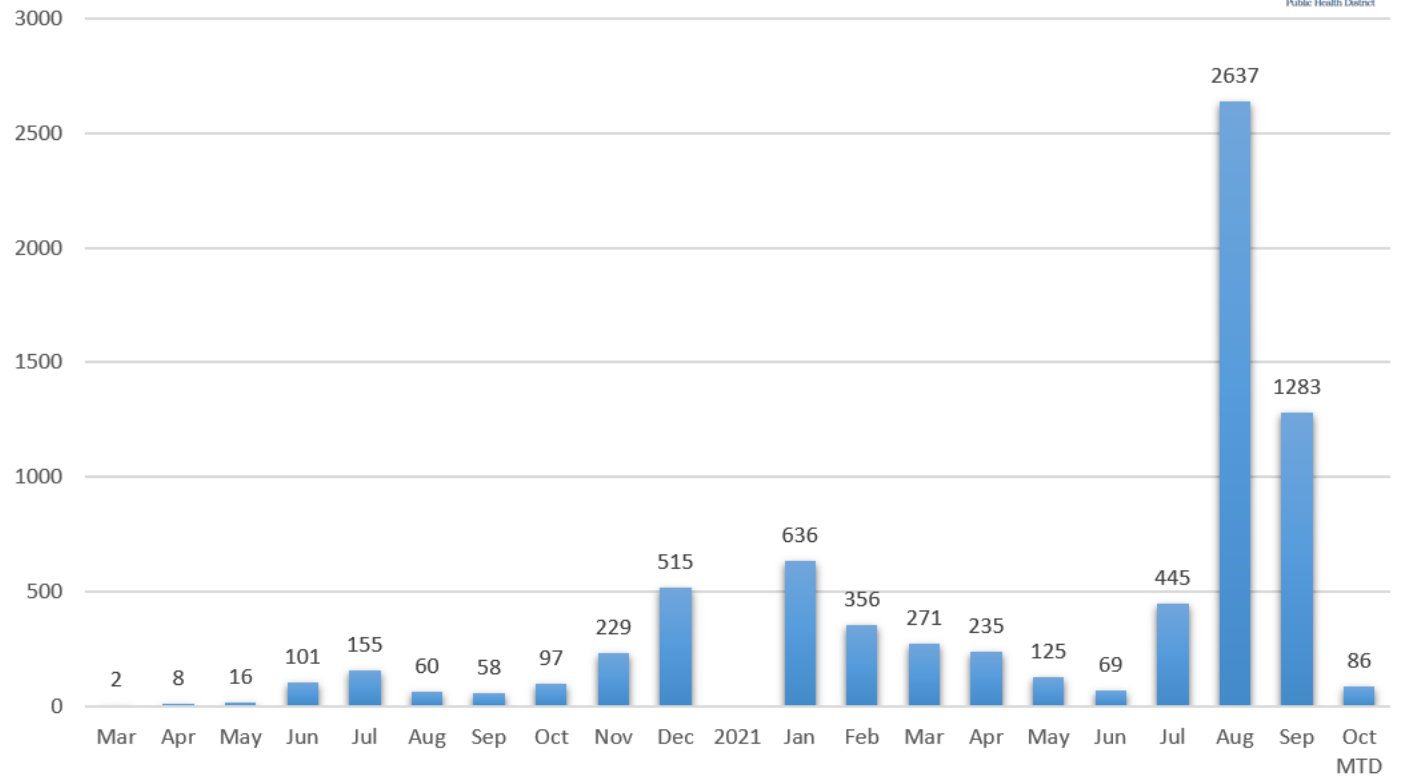
We can also confirm:

- TOTAL cases of COVID-19 increased by 315 to 86,176 since Wednesday's (10/6) report.
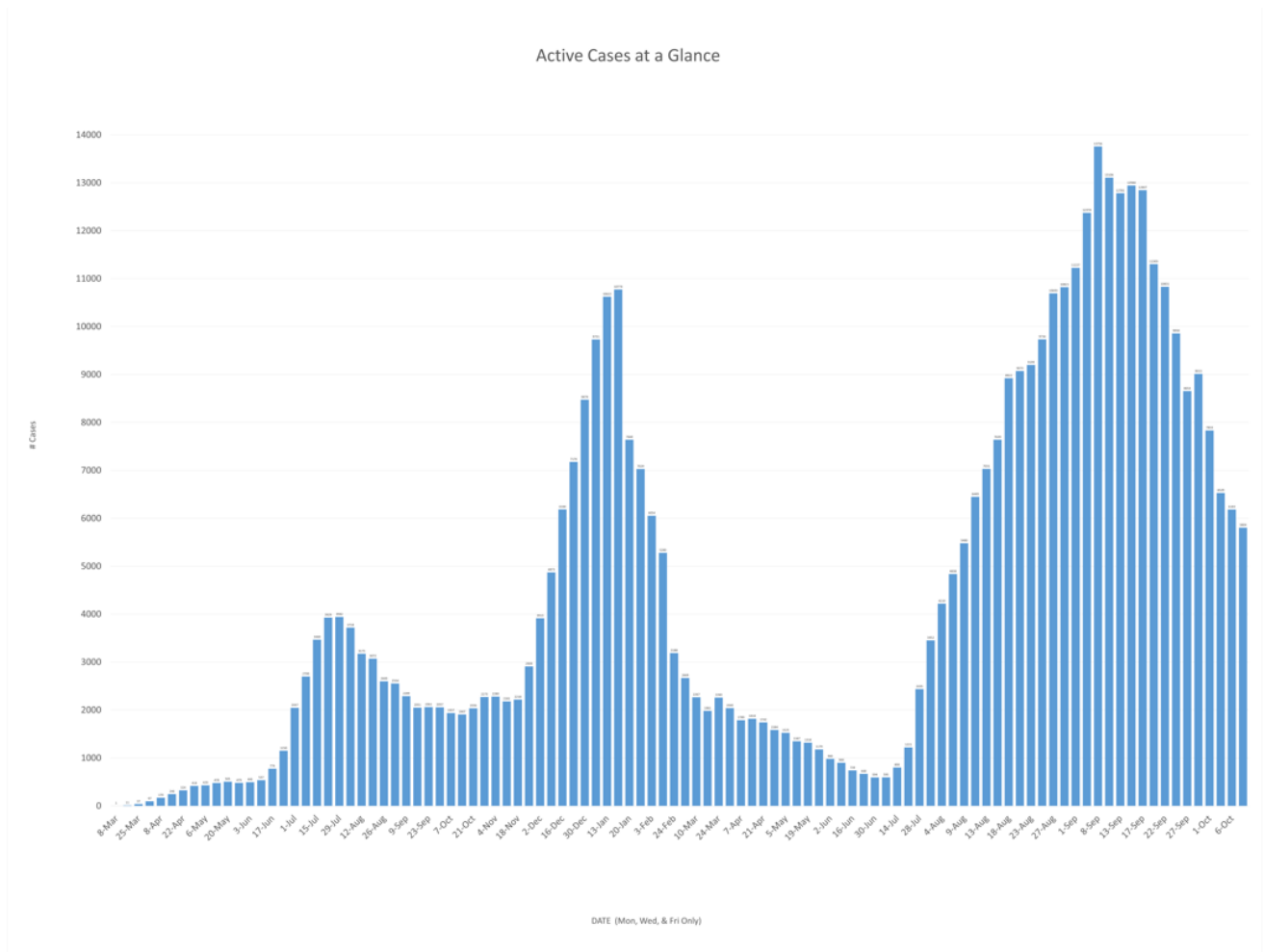 - Of the 315 new cases, 38 are under the age of 12 and not eligible for vaccination.

COVID CASES IN CHILDREN
0-11 Years of Age

- ACTIVE cases of COVID-19 decreased by 379 to 5,804 since Wednesday's (10/6) report.

Active Cases at a Glance

- 374 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.

- 79,729 people have clinically recovered.

  - Reporting of inactive cases ended as of 10/1/2021. All cases who are not hospitalized or deceased will be considered "recovered" to support past data that the vast majority of patients clinically recover within 30 days.

The Testing Positivity Rate for Montgomery County remains at 12%, down from 14% on Monday.
Source: UT Health, School of Public Health

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

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October 8, 2021
Residents of
Montgomery Co., TX

*Reporting of inactive cases ended as of 10/1/2021. All cases who are not hospitalized or deceased will be considered "recovered" to support past data that the vast majority of patients clinically recover within 30 days.

Active Cases: 5,804

Reinfected: 37
Hospitalized: 374
Recovered: 79,729
Deaths: 425
Total: 86,176

KEY CHANGES
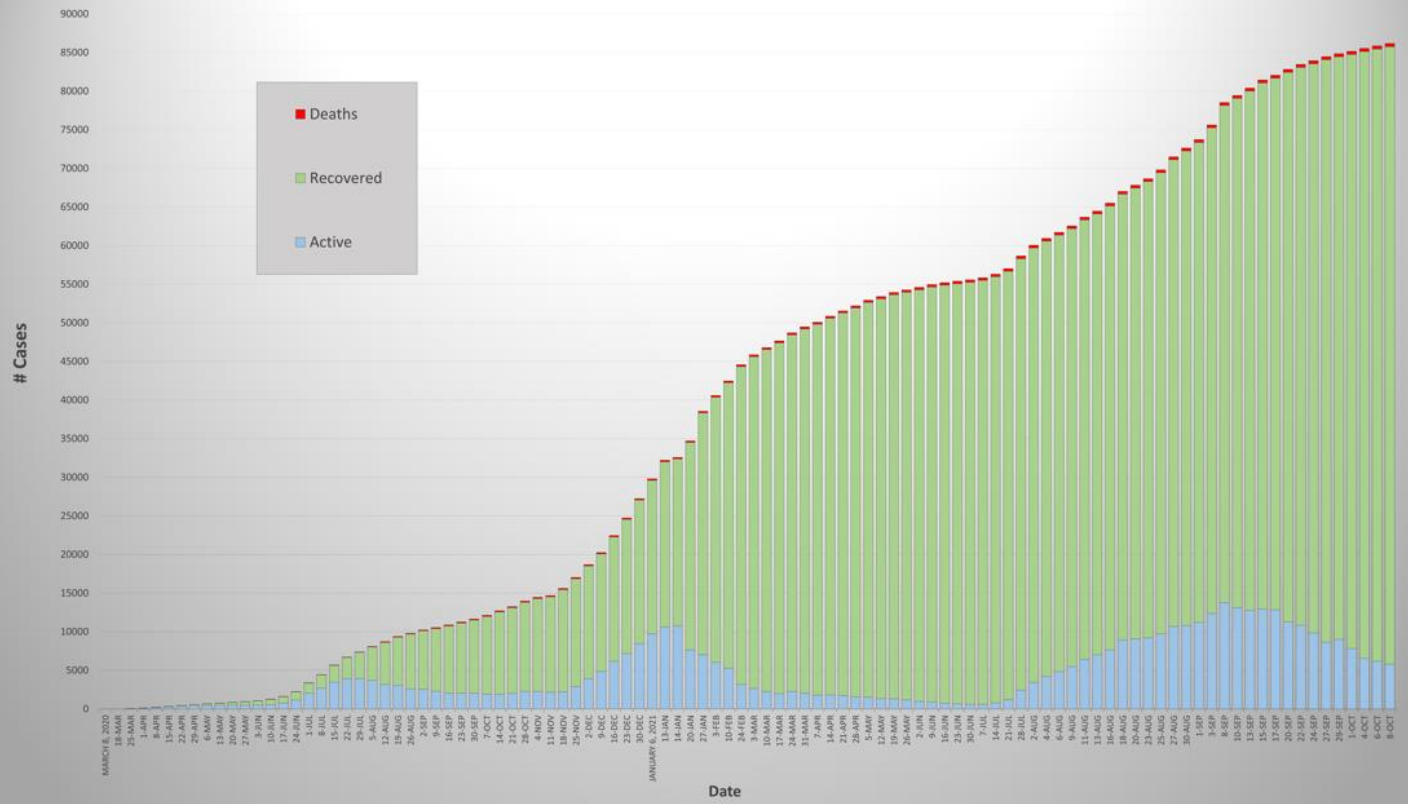(vs. 10/6/2021)
Active cases - 379
Hospitalizations - 2
Recoveries + 685
Deaths + 7
Total cases + 315

Montgomery County COVID-19 Positive Cases

 # Cases (y-axis)

90000
85000
80000
75000
70000
65000
60000
55000
50000
45000
40000
35000
30000
25000
20000
15000
10000
5000
0

Legend:
- ■ Deaths
- ■ Recovered
- ■ Active

Date (x-axis)

MARCH 8, 2020, 18-MAR, 25-MAR, 1-APR, 8-APR, 15-APR, 22-APR, 29-APR, 6-MAY, 13-MAY, 20-MAY, 27-MAY, 3-JUN, 10-JUN, 17-JUN, 24-JUN, 1-JUL, 8-JUL, 15-JUL, 22-JUL, 29-JUL, 5-AUG, 12-AUG, 19-AUG, 26-AUG, 2-SEP, 9-SEP, 16-SEP, 23-SEP, 30-SEP, 7-OCT, 14-OCT, 21-OCT, 28-OCT, 4-NOV, 11-NOV, 18-NOV, 2-DEC, 9-DEC, 16-DEC, 23-DEC, 30-DEC, JANUARY 6, 2021, 13-JAN, 14-JAN, 20-JAN, 27-JAN, 3-FEB, 10-FEB, 24-FEB, 3-MAR, 10-MAR, 17-MAR, 24-MAR, 31-MAR, 7-APR, 14-APR, 21-APR, 28-APR, 5-MAY, 12-MAY, 19-MAY, 26-MAY, 2-JUN, 9-JUN, 16-JUN, 23-JUN, 30-JUN, 7-JUL, 14-JUL, 21-JUL, 28-JUL, 2-AUG, 4-AUG, 6-AUG, 9-AUG, 11-AUG, 13-AUG, 16-AUG, 18-AUG, 20-AUG, 23-AUG, 25-AUG, 27-AUG, 30-AUG, 1-SEP, 3-SEP, 8-SEP, 10-SEP, 13-SEP, 15-SEP, 17-SEP, 20-SEP, 22-SEP, 24-SEP, 27-SEP, 29-SEP, 1-OCT, 4-OCT, 6-OCT, 8-OCT

- Data posted every Mon, Wed, & Fri, beginning August 2, 2021.

- Data includes PCR & antigen tests.

- Inactive cases have been rolled into *Recovered cases* due to data showing majority of cases recover within 30 days.

COVID-19 UPDATE
PATIENTS HOSPITALIZED IN MONTGOMERY COUNTY

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Updated October 8, 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: 177
(– 12)
ICU: 58
General/Isolation: 119

SETRAC data for regional hospitalizations can be found here: https://bit.ly/3jwhdiV.

Looking for a downloadable case list? The COVID-19 dashboard for Montgomery County can be found here: https://coronavirus-response-moco.hub.arcgis.com/.

Have a question about COVID-19? You can reach the Montgomery County COVID-19 Call Center at 936-523-3916. It is open Monday-Thursday from 8:00am-4:30pm and Friday 8:00am-4:00pm.

Do your part to slow the spread of COVID-19. The best way to protect yourself and those around you is to be vaccinated. You should also:

- *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.*
- *Wash your hands or use hand sanitizer frequently.*
- *Disinfect surfaces in your car and around your home.*