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**Montgomery County**  
Public Health District

Date: 5/18/2021

## 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 against COVID-19. According to CDC guidelines, it is safe for fully vaccinated residents to forego wearing a mask in most instances.

Multiple providers are offering second doses only at Woodforest Stadium. **This site will close Tuesday, June 1st.** If you have questions, please call the Montgomery County COVID-19 Call Center at 936-523-3916. The call center is available Monday - Thursday from 8:00am - 4:30pm or Friday from 8:00 - 4:00pm.

Other hospitals, physicians' offices, and pharmacies also have vaccines available for all adults. Please check their websites and Facebook pages for additional information. You can find a list of providers and additional information on the DSHS website here: <https://www.dshs.state.tx.us/coronavirus/immunize/vaccine-hubs.aspx>.

Today, we can confirm:

- TOTAL cases of COVID-19 increased by 73 to 53,875 since Monday's (5/17) report.
- ACTIVE cases of COVID-19 decreased by 115 to 1,330 since Monday's (5/17) report. On Tuesdays and Fridays, we account for additional inactive cases who we have been unable to contact for 30 days or more. Today, we added 128 inactive cases.
- 78 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.
- 28,512 people have clinically recovered.

**The Testing Positivity Rate for Montgomery County is 7%, down from 8%. This number is updated weekly on Wednesdays.**

*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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## Active Cases: 1,330

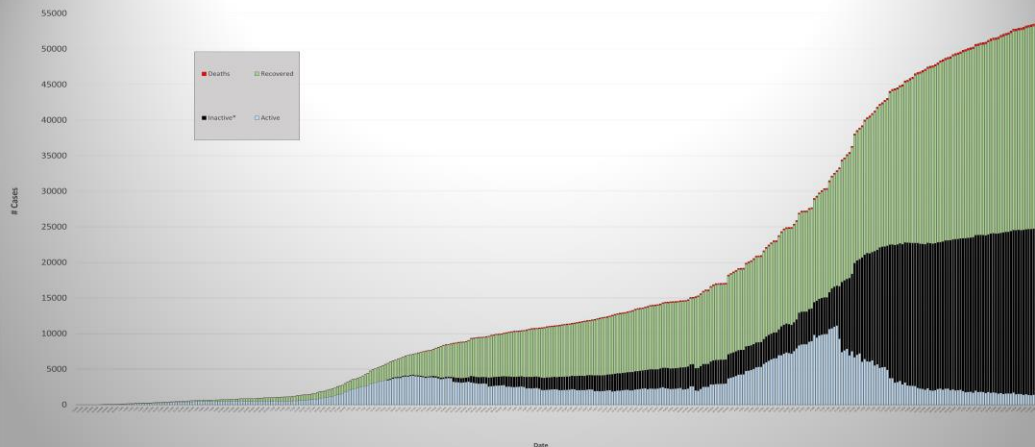
May 18, 2021  
Residents of  
Montgomery Co., TX

MCPHD includes both PCR &  
antigen (rapid) positive  
results.

Hospitalized: 78  
Recovered: 28,512  
Deaths: 300  
Total: 53,875

**KEY CHANGES**  
(vs. 5/17/2021)  
Active cases - 115  
Hospitalizations + 1  
Recoveries + 59  
Deaths + 1  
Total cases + 73

Montgomery County COVID-19 Positive Cases



Beginning on September 1, 2020, positive antigen tests are included in this data.  
Early numbers correspond to the date on which they were reported to MCPHD.  
\*Unable to contact within 30 days, after initial reporting to MCPHD.



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## PATIENTS HOSPITALIZED IN MONTGOMERY COUNTY

Updated May 17, 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](https://setrac.org).

Total Hospitalized: 74  
(- 3)  
ICU: 21  
General/Isolation: 53

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

The COVID-19 dashboard for Montgomery County can be found here: <https://coronavirus-response-moco.hub.arcgis.com/>.

***Do your part to slow the spread of COVID-19.***

- ***Get vaccinated.***
- ***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 **if you are NOT fully vaccinated**. Never share a mask with others.***
- ***Teach children proper hygiene and the correct way to wear a mask.***
- ***Wash your hands or use hand sanitizer frequently.***

***Disinfect surfaces in your car and around your home.***