Cinderela Guevara



Presidio County Judge

Nov 17th, 2020

PRESS RELEASE, FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE: IMPACT OF COVID-19

As of 11/16/2020 there are 50 known active cases in Presidio County. This information is from the DSHS website.

We would like to once again reiterate the dire impact of the recent surge in Coronavirus cases has had on the Texas Department of Health Region 9/10 of El Paso. I was informed by our Regional Medical Director, Dr. Rachel Sonne, that there several significant factors that have caused the disruption of their ability to report cases at the current time.

Due to the high number of persons currently infected in the community, they are no longer able to report cases in the same manner as in the past. Also, due to a high number of staff in Region 9/10 being quarantined, and the subsequent closure of one of their buildings, they are not currently able to gain access to their hard drive storage location, and until such time when they can regain access they will not be able to provide the different jurisdictions with the information needed to provide press releases.

Please be patient as they work to adapt to a sustainable mode of operation.

The Texas Department of Health Region 9/10 of El Paso sent a PSAP (Public Service Answering Points) Report, which was in a new format so at this time we are able to report 23 new cases, with 19 in Presidio and 3 in Marfa (1 unknown).

In the meantime please continue to be vigilant in practicing as much social distancing as possible, wash your hands frequently and ALWAYS WEAR A MASK.

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Texas Dept. of State Health website link: https://www.dshs.texas.gov/coronavirus/public-health.aspx

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Thank You, Cinderela Guevara, Presidio County Judge



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The Texas Department of Health has informed the County Judge's office of 23 new cases in Presidio County:

Case # 208 is a female from Presidio in their teens
Case # 209 is a female from Presidio in her fifties
Case # 210 is a female from Presidio in her fifties
Case # 211 is a male from Presidio in his fifties
Case # 212 is a female from Presidio in her seventies
Case # 213 is a female from Presidio in her teen
Case # 214 is a female from Presidio under 10
Case # 215 is a female from Presidio unknown age
Case # 216 is a female from Marfa in her forties
Case # 217 is a person from Presidio in their fifties
Case # 218 is a person from Marfa in their thirties
Case # 219 is a female from Presidio unknown age
Case # 220 is a male from Presidio in his twenties
Case # 221 is a male from Presidio in his twenties
Case # 222 is person from Presidio in their twenties

Case #223 is a male, no address given in his twenties Case #224 is a person from Presidio in their fifties Case #225 is a female from Presidio in her sixties Case #226 is a person from Presidio in their thirties Case #227 is a person from Presidio in their forties Case #228 is a person from Presidio in their teens Case #229 is a person from Marfa in their seventies Case #230 is a person from Presidio in their thirties

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