



COUNTY of KLEBERG



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**Kleberg County & City of Kingsville Confirm 34 COVID-19 Cases, 25 Probable COVID-19 Cases and Two COVID-19 Related Deaths**

KINGSVILLE, TX – Kleberg County Judge Rudy Madrid and the City of Kingsville Mayor Sam Fugate received confirmation from the Texas Department of State Health Services, Region 11 of 34 additional COVID-19 cases and 25 probable cases. All of today’s newly reported cases are considered active and being monitored by Region 11. The county judge and mayor have also received notification of two additional COVID-19 related deaths.

The newly confirmed novel coronavirus cases bring our cumulative count in Kleberg County to 1507. Our probable cumulative count is 399. To date, there have been 63 COVID-19-related deaths in Kleberg County. Texas DSHS is reporting 25 individuals removed from isolation today, our confirmed active COVID-19 case count increases to 290. Region 11 is no longer reporting transmission type, but they are reporting pervasive community spread of COVID-19 in our region. All individuals confirmed with active cases are in isolation and will continue to be monitored by Region 11.

Both city and county leaders are stressing the importance of following all CDC guidelines and recommendations. Please remember to socially distance, wear masks when distancing is not possible and frequently wash your hands. Stay home if you feel sick and isolate if you test positive for COVID-19. Kleberg County is currently working with the state to assure all eligible individuals in our region are vaccinated for protection from COVID-19.

Since March there have been **1,507 confirmed cases** of novel coronavirus in Kleberg County and **399 probable cases**. **Today’s reported cases represent four days of January data.**

Previously reported cases are as follows:

<b>KINGSVILLE COVID-19 CASE COUNT REPORT</b>				
<b>DATE</b>	<b>NEW CASES</b>	<b>PROBABLE CASES</b>	<b>CUMULATIVE/PROBABLE</b>	<b>TOTAL CASE COUNT</b>
<b>JANUARY Totals</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>91/90</b>	<b>1507/399</b>
<b>DECEMBER Totals</b>			<b>187/137</b>	<b>1416/309</b>
1/1/2021	0	0	187/137	1416/309
1/2/2021	6	5	6/5	1422/314
1/3/2021	0	0	6/5	1422/314
1/4/2021	28	15	34/20	1450/329
1/5/2021	4	5	38/25	1454/334
1/6/2021	1	3	39/28	1455/337

1/7/2021	4	30	43/58	1459/367
1/8/2021	14	7	57/65	1473/374
1/9/2021	6	4	63/69	1479/378
1/10/2021	9	8	72/77	1488/386
1/11/2021	9	9	81/86	1497/395
1/12/2021	10	4	91/90	1507/399
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<b>MONTH(s)</b>	<b>CASE COUNT</b>	<b>PROBABLE</b>	<b>CUMULATIVE</b>	
<b>Dec – 2020</b>	<b>187</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>1416/309</b>	
<b>Nov-2020</b>	<b>180</b>		<b>1218</b>	
<b>Oct-2020</b>	<b>68</b>		<b>1038</b>	
<b>Sep-2020</b>	<b>100</b>		<b>970</b>	
<b>Jul&amp;Aug 2020</b>	<b>794</b>		<b>868</b>	
<b>May&amp;Jun 2020</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>74</b>	
<b>Mar&amp;Apr 2020</b>	<b>9</b>		<b>9</b>	

Free COVID-19 testing is now available six days a week from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m. Monday through Friday and 9 a.m. to 1 p.m. on Saturdays at the City of Kingsville Health Department located at 3421 N. Farm to Market 1355. You may get the most up-to-date and accurate information on the official Kleberg County Facebook page @KlebergCountyCC and the official City of Kingsville Facebook page.

Individuals interested in receiving the COVID-19 vaccine who meet 1A or 1B criteria may call Kleberg County at (361) 595-8585 to receive a spot on the vaccine list. Appointments will be made as availability is confirmed on a first-come, first-serve basis.

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