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Wharton County Office of Emergency Management has received a report today from the Texas Department of State Health Services that we have nine (9) new positive case of COVID-19 and NO (0) new recoveries were reported. Sadly, we must also report that we have been notified of **one (1)** death, a female in the El Campo area. We grieve with the family for their loss.

The total who have tested positive for COVID-19 is now **sixty-seven (67)** in Wharton County and we have had thirty-eight (38) reported cases who have recovered. Wharton County has twenty-nine (29) active COVID-19 cases.

Gender	Age	City
F	10-20	El Campo
F	10-20	El Campo
М	30-40	El Campo
F	20-30	El Campo
F	20-30	El Campo
F	40-50	Wharton
М	60-70	Wharton
F	40-50	El Campo
F	50-60	El Campo

Of the nine new cases, we can share the following:

Of the above, only one (1) contracted the virus from an unknown source, all the others were exposed either at work, from a family member, or at a family gathering.

We must be diligent in our social-distancing and hygiene efforts.

Changes as of June 1

School districts can hold summer school with social distancing guidelines in place. Under the current orders, interactive amusement venues such as video arcades, amusement parks and water parks remain closed.

Wharton County school districts have scheduled their graduations. Check their websites for specific dates and times. All graduations are scheduled outside at the football stadiums.