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| | <u>Tests</u> | <u>Positive</u> | <u>Negative</u> | <u>Pending</u> | <u>Deaths</u> |
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| TOTALS | 99 | 13 | 79 | 7 | 0 |

Wharton County Office of Emergency Management has received one report of a new positive case of COVID-19 today. The new case is a male between twenty and thirty years old that resides outside of the city of Wharton. The details of the transmission of this case are unknown to us at this time. This brings the total positive COVID-19 patients in Wharton County to thirteen.

As testing continues, our efforts to stop the virus must not slow down and we must continue to work hard to slow the spread in our area. The Executive Orders issued by Governor Abbott remain in effect statewide. The Governor has ordered Texans to stay at home, only go out and about for essential work or to retrieve essential goods. This means that you may go out to the grocery store, seek medical care and continue the use of drive-thru, pick-up and delivery services for food and drinks from local restaurants. The order also mandates all non-essential businesses to close.

**WASH YOUR HANDS
STAY HOME**

Wharton County OEM will provide updates at <http://www.co.wharton.tx.us/> and on Facebook.