



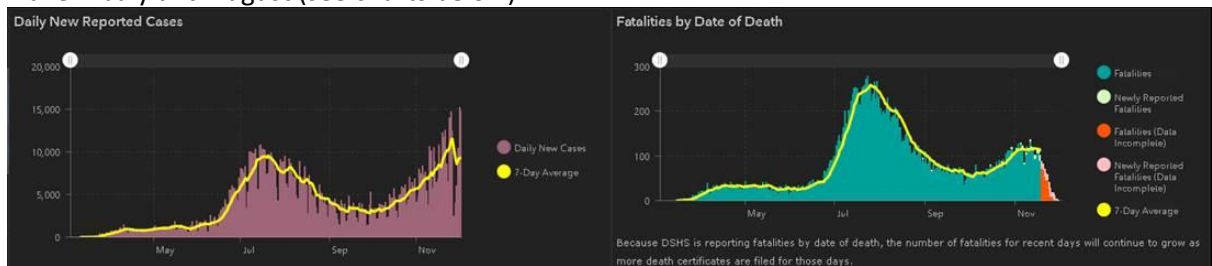
The City of West University Place

Emergency Management

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COVID-19 Local Weekly Update – December 3, 2020

- The Fire Department’s application to be a COVID-19 vaccination provider has been approved by the Texas Department of State Health Services. This means that the City is now eligible to receive and administer the vaccine (when available). The intention of this City sponsored “voluntary” vaccination program is to provide City employees with the COVID-19 vaccine. We do not yet have a target date to receive the vaccine. The vaccine and the administration materials are 100% free to the City (federally funded).
- In Texas, the COVID cases dropped some during the Thanksgiving holiday only to climb back to 15,182 cases recorded on 12/1/2020 which is a new record for new cases in a single day. Meanwhile, the fatality rate has only marginally increased as compared to the second wave in July and August (see charts below).



- The COVID Hospital Census for Trauma Service Area “Q” (includes: Austin, Colorado, Fort Bend, Harris, Matagorda, Montgomery, Walker, Waller, Wharton counties) is at 12.6%, which is still below Governor Abbott’s 15% threshold.
- Harris County Public Health data indicates West University to have 264 total “Confirmed Cases”, 60 “Active Cases”, 204 “Recovered Cases” and Zero “Deaths”.
- Positivity Rates: Texas – 14.35%, Harris County – 8.9%, TMC – 7%
- TMC is reporting the ICU’s to be 95% full under Phase I configurations.

