



*Hardin County Judge Wayne McDaniel
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**EOC Provides Alternative Testing Sites in Port Arthur, Orange,
Saratoga, Fannett, Buna, and Kountze**

BEAUMONT, Texas – The Southeast Texas Regional Emergency Operations Center has announced alternative COVID-19 testing sites in Jefferson, Hardin and Orange counties.

COVID-19 tests will be provided at the alternative testing sites and will only be available for residents of that area as follows:

ORANGE COUNTY, TEXAS RESIDENTS

Tuesdays, May 5, 2020 and May 12, 2020
9:00 am – 4:00 pm
Orange County Convention and Expo Center
11475 FM 1442
Orange, Texas 77630

PORT ARTHUR, TEXAS RESIDENTS

Wednesday, May 6, 2020
9:00 am – 4:00 pm
Bob Bowers Civic Center
3401 Cultural Drive
Port Arthur, Texas 77642

WEST HARDIN RESIDENTS

Thursday, May 7, 2020
9:00 am – 4:00 pm
West Hardin CISD School
39221 Hwy 105
Saratoga, Texas 77585

HAMSHIRE-FANNETT RESIDENTS

Monday, May 11, 2020
9:00 am – 4:00 pm
St Mary's Catholic Church
9894 Gilbert Road
Beaumont, Texas 77705

JASPER COUNTY, TEXAS RESIDENTS

Wednesday, May 13, 2020
9:00 am – 4:00 pm
Jasper County Sub-Courthouse
33625 Hwy 96 S.
Buna, Texas 77612

HARDIN COUNTY, TEXAS RESIDENTS

Thursday, May 14, 2020
9:00 am – 4:00 pm
Hardin County Old Courthouse Annex
440 Monroe
Kountze, Texas 77625

Testing will be performed by appointment only. Only 100 appointments will be scheduled at each location. To schedule an appointment, please call **409-550-2536**. You do not have to have COVID-19 symptoms to request testing but you will have to show proof of residency to be tested at the alternative testing sites. The Call Center is open from 8:00 am until 5:00 pm, Monday through Friday. Testing is FREE.