

The number of deaths because of COVID-19 in Bowie County, Texas, increased by two from Tuesday to Wednesday.

The county death toll went up from 62 to 64, according to the local emergency Joint Operations Center. COVID-19 deaths are recorded where patients die, not where they lived.

The confirmed number of coronavirus cases in the county increased from 923 to 936, with 420 recoveries and 452 active cases being traced.

Cass County, Texas', case count rose from 227 to 229, with 178 recoveries, nine deaths and 42 active cases, according to the JOC.

Elsewhere in Northeast Texas, Morris County's tally increased from 142 to 147 and Titus County's from 1,293 to 1,295, according to the Texas Department of State Health Services. Red River County's count held at 144.

In Southwest Arkansas, Miller County's case count rose from 578 to 584, with 537 recoveries, five deaths and 42 active cases, according to the Arkansas Department of Health.

Lafayette County's tally increased from 65 to 66, Pike County's from 161 to 163, Little River County's from 265 to 271, Hempstead County's from 312 to 318 and Sevier County's from 1,134 to 1,142. Nevada County's count held at 158 cases and Howard County's at 398.

Caddo Parish in Northwest Louisiana added eight cases to reach 7,225, according to the Louisiana Department of Health. Bossier Parish added 34 cases to reach a total of 2,653.

Statewide, Texas reported 592,137 cumulative cases and 11,576 deaths, Louisiana reported 144,960 cases and 4,688 deaths, and Arkansas reported 58,023 cases and 732 deaths.

The Centers for Disease Control and Prevention reported 5,752,653 total cases so far in the U.S., with a national death toll of 177,759.