Corrections' COVID-19 Bulletin

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Current Status

• Prison facilities in outbreak status publish weekly updates to staff and incarcerated. These updates can be found on the <u>Significant Events Timeline</u>.

Numbers at a Glance

- 954 Total Staff Cases to Date
- **15,111** November 2020 Total <u>Average Daily Population</u> of Incarcerated Individuals for Prison and Work Release Facilities
- **1,472** Total Active Incarcerated Cases
- 3,895 Total Recovered Incarcerated Cases
- 18th out of 50 states for number of positive cases (Data from covidprisonproject.com)
- **21st** out of 50 states for <u>cases as a percentage of the population</u> (Data from <u>covidprisonproject.com</u>)

Frequently Asked Question

What cleaning protocols are being used to clean the facilities?

All DOC locations instituted an intensive cleaning protocol focusing on sanitizing high touch surfaces, increased personal hygiene, and posting of DOH COVID-19 and hygiene related materials in public areas and areas visible to the incarcerated population. Hand sanitizer was authorized in prison facilities for use by employees and contract staff, and are placed in areas where soap and water are not readily available. Incarcerated individuals have access to hand sanitizer in supervised locations. We are also providing free access to sanitation products for individuals inside prisons.

Prison Facilities

Airway Heights Corrections Center (AHCC)

- Number of new cases in last 30 days: 634
- Number of confirmed cases to date: 1,503

Larch Correction Center (LCC)

- Number of new cases in last 30 days: 272
- Number of confirmed cases to date: 272

Monroe Correctional Complex (MCC)

- Number of new cases in last 30 days: 245
- Number of confirmed cases to date: 314

Stafford Creek Corrections Center (SCCC)

- Number of new cases in last 30 days: 733
- Number of confirmed cases to date: 1,024

Washington Corrections Center (WCC)

- Number of new cases in last 30 days: 389
- Number of confirmed cases to date: 882

Washington State Penitentiary (WSP)

- Number of new cases in last 30 days: 572
- Number of confirmed cases to date: 929

Work Release Facilities

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- Number of new cases in last 30 days: 4
- Number of confirmed cases to date: 4

Significant Event Timeline

The <u>COVID-19 Significant Event Timeline</u> is published publicly for interested parties and stakeholders to promote and cultivate an environment of integrity and trust, and to foster openness, values which are part of Corrections' mission to improve public safety. The following occurred today:

- 01/13/21 Straight Pay for Employees in Designated Overtime Exempt Positions (Teamsters)
- 01/12/21 Memo to MCC Prisons and Health Services Employees: COVID-19 Rapid Antigen Testing

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