Corrections' COVID-19 Bulletin

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Current Status

The Washington State Department of Corrections worked with staff and external stakeholders to create an equitable and informative video on COVID-19 vaccines from trusted voices for the incarcerated and resident populations. This video can be viewed here: DOC COVID-19 Vaccine PSA video for incarcerated individuals

A similar video was developed for staff, which can also be viewed here: <u>DOC COVID-19 Vaccine PSA Video for Staff</u>

Numbers at a Glance

- 1,208 Total Staff Cases to Date
- 14,510 February 2021 Total Average Daily Population
- of Incarcerated Individuals for Prison and Work Release Facilities
- 13 Total Active Incarcerated Cases
- **6,189** Total Recovered Incarcerated Cases
- 5,407 Incarcerated Individuals have received at least one dose of COVID-19 vaccine
- 3,667 Staff* have received at least one dose of COVID-19 vaccine
- 18th out of 50 states for <u>number of positive cases</u> (Data from <u>covidprisonproject.com</u>)
- **21st** out of 50 states for <u>cases as a percentage of the population</u> (Data from <u>covidprisonproject.com</u>)

Prison Facilities

Washington Corrections Center (WCC)

- Number of new cases in last 30 days: 4
- Number of confirmed cases to date: 980
- WCC has been removed from outbreak status on April 23, 2021.

Mission Creek Corrections Center for Women (MCCCW)

- Number of new cases in last 30 days: 9
- Number of confirmed cases to date: 9

Progress House Work Release

- Number of new cases in last 30 days: 8
- Number of confirmed cases to date: 24

^{*}This number includes Corrections Staff, Contract Staff, Office of the Ombuds and Disability Rights Washington

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.

- 4/27/2021 HQ EOC Memo to All Staff: <u>Resuming Use of J&J for COVID-19 Vaccine</u>
 Administration
- 4/27/2021 HQ EOC -Memo to Incarcerated Individuals and Work Release Residents:
 Resuming Use of J&J for COVID-19 Vaccine Administration
 - o <u>English</u>
- 4/27/2021 HQ EOC Memo to Prison Staff: <u>Resuming Routine Searches under Safe Start</u> Corrections
 - o English
 - o Spanish
- 4/27/2021 HQ EOC Memo to All Staff: <u>Expanded Use of Rapid Antigen Testing & Updates to</u> Serial Testing
- 4/26/2021 HQ EOC Memo to All Staff: <u>Continued Corrections</u>; <u>COVID-19 Protocols & Teleworking</u>
- 4/23/2021 HQ EOC Memo to WCC Staff: WCC COVID-19 Update
- 4/23/2021 HQ EOC Memo to Incarcerated Individuals: WCC COVID-19 Update
 - o English
 - o Spanish
- 4/23/2021 HQ EOC Memo to Progress House Staff: <u>COVID-19 Weekly Update for Progress</u> House Work/Training Release
- 4/23/2021 HQ EOC Memo to Progress House Staff: COVID-19 Weekly Update for Progress House Work/Training Release
 - o English
 - o Spanish
- 4/22/2021 HQ EOC DOC COVID-19 Vaccine PSA Video for Staff
- 4/21/2021 HQ EOC DOC COVID-19 Vaccine PSA video for incarcerated individuals
- 4/21/2021 HQ EOC Memo to All Incarcerated Individuals: Update Third Round of Economic Impact Payments
 - o English
 - o Spanish
- 4/21/2021 Memo to All Staff: DOC moves towards reopening in-person visitation
- 4/21/2021 Memo to All Incarcerated Individuals: <u>DOC moves towards reopening in-person</u> visitation

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