Corrections’ COVID-19 Bulletin
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Current Status
The Washington State Department of Corrections (DOC) currently has 3 facilities on outbreak status. There were 20 prison and work release facilities on outbreak status on January 24, 2022. DOC’s priority is the health and safety of staff and everyone in its care and custody.

DOC facilities and living units that are not on outbreak status are finding ways to safely resume religious and educational programming, visitation, and other activities that are important for an individual’s successful reentry to the community. When a facility has a limited area outbreak in a specific living unit, only those living units are impacted, while the remainder of the facility is able to continue normal operations.

DOC announced an update to prison and work release visitation status on February 22, 2022.

Click here to read the most recent Safe Start updates.

When prison and work release facilities experience a COVID-19 outbreak they send out a weekly status update message that can be viewed on the department’s Significant Events Timeline (SET). You can search for information about a specific facility by visiting the SET, hitting ctrl+f, and typing in the acronym of the facility you are interested in.

Starting the week of April 25, 2022, the COVID-19 Bulletin moved from two times weekly, to one time weekly on Wednesdays, not to include holidays.

Numbers at a Glance

Average Daily Population
- 12,308 March 2022 Total Average Daily Population of Incarcerated Individuals for Prison and Work Release Facilities

Staff Cases
- Active Staff Cases 45
- Total Staff Cases To Date 4,224
- Total Staff Cases Recovered 4,175

Incarcerated Cases
- Active Incarcerated Cases 63
- Total Incarcerated Cases To Date 13,798
- Total Incarcerated Cases Recovered 13,717

Isolation & Quarantine
- Incarcerated Individuals in Medical Isolation 58
- Incarcerated Individuals in Quarantine 808

Vaccination Status
- Incarcerated Individuals vaccinated (at least one dose) 10,828

Frequently Asked Questions
To review DOC’s COVID-19 Frequently Asked Questions – visit the webpage, here.

Prison Facilities
Starting January 24, 2022, DOC will be including active cases from the last 14 days rather than confirmed cases in the last 30 days. This is in an effort to provide the most current, relevant information possible in the bulletin. You can still review confirmed cases in the last 30 days, and more data, on our COVID-19 data webpage, available here.
Limited-Area Outbreak

**Airway Heights Corrections Center**

**M Unit**

Incarcerated

- Active incarcerated cases: 1
- Total incarcerated cases to date: 2,949

Staff

- Active staff Cases: 1
- Total staff cases to date: 551

**Stafford Creek Corrections Center**

**H2, H3 and H4**

Incarcerated

- Active incarcerated cases: 60
- Total incarcerated cases to date: 1,637

Staff

- Active staff Cases: 2
- Total staff cases to date: 298

**Washington Corrections Center for Women**

Removed from Limited Area Outbreak status April 26.

Incarcerated

- Active incarcerated cases: 0
- Total incarcerated cases to date: 279

Staff

- Active staff Cases: 1
- Total staff cases to date: 220

Work Release Facilities

**Facility-Wide Outbreak**

**Peninsula Work Release**

Incarcerated

- Active incarcerated cases: 1
- Total incarcerated cases to date: 15

Staff

- Active staff Cases: 0
- Total staff cases to date: 11

**DOC’s COVID-19 Response**

Visit the COVID-19 Significant Event Timeline, which 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.

For additional information visit doc.wa.gov/corrections/covid-19/

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