Current Status
The Washington State Department of Corrections (DOC) currently has 2 prison facilities on limited area outbreak status.

DOC facilities and living units that are not on outbreak status are finding ways to safely participate in 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.

Numbers at a Glance

Average Daily Population
- **12,206**

May 2022 Total Average Daily Population of Incarcerated Individuals for Prison and Work Release Facilities

Staff Cases
- Active Staff Cases: 147
- Total Staff Cases To Date: 4,788
- Total Staff Cases Recovered: 4,637

Incarcerated Cases
- Active Incarcerated Cases: 12
- Total Incarcerated Cases To Date: 14,502
- Total Incarcerated Cases Recovered: 14,472

Isolation & Quarantine
- Incarcerated Individuals in Medical Isolation: 20
- Incarcerated Individuals in Quarantine: 532

Vaccination Status
- Incarcerated Individuals vaccinated (at least one dose): 10,867

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

Washington State Penitentiary

IMU South and Fox West

Incarcerated
- Active incarcerated cases: 4
- Total incarcerated cases to date: 2,126
- Fox West Unit is now on Limited Area Outbreak status.

Staff
- Active staff Cases: 17
- Total staff cases to date: 767
Washington Corrections Center of Women
MSU

Incarcerated
- Active incarcerated cases: 2
- Total incarcerated cases to date: 304

Staff
- Active staff Cases: 13
- Total staff cases to date: 268

Facility Wide Outbreak
Stafford Creek Corrections Center
Removed from Outbreak June 22, 2022.

Incarcerated
- Active incarcerated cases: 0
- Total incarcerated cases to date: 2,230
- The facility is developing plans to reopen visitation for individuals housed in cleared pods starting Friday, June 24, 2022.

Staff
- Active staff Cases: 14
- Total staff cases to date: 358

DOC’s COVID-19 Response
Visit the [COVID-19 Significant Event Timeline](doc.wa.gov/corrections/covid-19/), 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.

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