

# Local Family Council COVID-19 Informational Call Notes

## Call Details

**Facility:** WCC

**Date and Time:** 7/30/2020, 1300

## Attendees

Justin Schlagel- Correctional Program Manager-Facilitator

Dan White – Superintendent

Jenn Bullard – Community Partnership Program Coordinator

Penny Marquart- AA3 to Associate Mason -Recorder

Norm Goodenough- Health Services Manager

Mike Eby –Community Correctional Specialist

LaQuesha Turner – Ombud

Portia Linear- Statewide Rep

Kaishanna Saunders- Family Secretary

Jasmine Bernardez

Candace Krueger

Jacki Racus

Amy Grubaugh

Wendy Schindler

## Weekly Update

415 Tests

4 ISO, 57 Quarantine.

262 negative, 2 positive

151 pending.

## Pre-Submitted Questions

**Krueger:** I have been informed that there was a positive case in R3. Since then, 59 were transferred to R5 and one went in the hole. Can you tell me how this is being handled regarding quarantine or isolation for offenders as well as staff, in order to prevent a much bigger outbreak?

**Answer:** 1) CPM Justin Schlagel – One person tested positive and was moved to isolation. The rest were moved to quarantine together.

2) Superintendent Dan White – He was A Symptomatic. Everyone in contact was has been moved; exactly what the unit was supposed to do. Some went to quarantine in the IMU because of STG status. They were all tested for COVID.

**Follow up question:** Linear – How is staff handling this?

**Answer:** 1) CPM Justin Schlagel – If they were in R3, they are allowed to work in other areas. They have appropriate PPEs. Mapping was done regarding further exposure.

2) Superintendent Dan White – There is no concern about exposure.

### Question 1

**Schindler:** How do you pre-submit a question?

**Answer:** CPM Justin Schlagel – Email it to Penny Marquart

### Question 2

**Schindler:** When in Isolation and quarantine, how much access to family do they have?

**Answer:** CPM Justin Schlagel – They have phone access.

### Question 3

**Racus** – The Sanitation lights have been on in Cedar for a few days.

**Answer:** CPM Justin Schlagel – I will look into that.

### Question 4

**Racus:** The vents in Cedar are plugged, they need to be cleaned.

**Answer:** CPM Justin Schlagel – We will look into that.

### Question 5

**Racus** - Maintenance workers want to know if they will be forced to go in to the RCF.

**Answer:** Associate Superintendent Dean Mason – No, they will be able to decline. There is no reason to have a crew go in, a lot of the RCF is new and should not require any maintenance.

### Question 6

**Linear:** How many floor sleepers?

**Answer:** CPM Justin Schlagel – 53 Floor sleepers.

### Question 7

**Linear:** Has Walla Walla ceased all movements?

**Answer:** Superintendent Dan White – We have not heard that. You can research the DOC website.

## Comments/Closing

**CPM Justin Schlagel-** We are changing how we do our weekly LFC meetings. The weekly meetings were set-up to address COVID related questions. We have been addressing all questions. This will start just doing COVID check-ins. We are going to schedule our regular LFC meetings starting in August. Our weekly COVID meetings will continue regarding COVID questions. And the regular LFC meetings will address other questions. We will send out a schedule with the dates.

**Reminder:** You can pre-submit questions for both to Penny Marquart.