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To: All Prisons Staff at Male Facilities

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RE: UPDATE - Incoming Incarcerated Individuals from CRCC

On June 26, 2020, we distributed a memo to all staff and incarcerated individuals at male facilities statewide regarding transfer requirements for individuals from Coyote Ridge Corrections Center (CRCC). On June 24, 2020, testing of all incarcerated individuals began at CRCC Medium Security Complex, and shortly thereafter, staff serial testing began as well. As of today's date, there are currently no active COVID-19 cases in the population at CRCC.

With no current active COVID-19 cases in the population, the previously imposed requirement of double negative test results for individuals transferring out of CRCC is rescinded and no longer necessary.

Thank you for your ongoing commitment to help us keep each other safe. Please continue to wash your hands frequently, practice social distancing, wear your face coverings as directed, and report any symptoms immediately. We will get through this together.

CC: Emergency Operations Center Manager  
Robert Herzog, Assistant Secretary Prisons Division

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