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TO: All CRCC Staff
FROM: Jeffrey Uttecht, Superintendent *Jeffrey Uttecht*
SUBJECT: CRCC COVID-19 Weekly Update and Important Information

Coyote Ridge Corrections Center (CRCC) G Unit A Pod is now off Limited Area Outbreak status, and the facility is now back to normal COVID operations.

It is imperative that staff continue to wear a Surgical Mask, or appropriate [Personal Protective Equipment \(PPE\)](#), and practice social distancing at all times and hold the incarcerated responsible to meet these standards. Similarly, it is vital that we continue to follow the [Centers for Disease Control \(CDC\) guidelines](#), ensuring to follow the six (6) foot social distancing rule, washing your hands, and keeping areas of the institution sanitized.

Surgical Mask compliance and social distancing are crucial to our safety and to the safety of the incarcerated and demonstrates that we follow the requirements expected of us. When we follow the requirements, it increases compliance with the population.

Close contact with staff or the incarcerated is still not authorized unless proper PPE is worn or safety precautions are in place for the area, such as protective barriers. Potluck type meals are not authorized and sharing of food is discouraged. If you or someone you know is a close contact to a coworker that is positive/ suspected positive for COVID-19 or an isolated individual, please let screening staff know.

Corrections is committed to everyone's safety. We will continue to communicate with you as we progress through this pandemic.