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TO: All WSP Staff and Incarcerated Individuals
FROM: Donald Holbrook Superintendent *DH*
SUBJECT: WSP COVID-19 Weekly Update

On July 21, 2021, Washington State Penitentiary confirms that zero incarcerated individuals have tested positive for COVID-19 in the last fourteen days. As of July 16, 2021, the Intensive Management Unit (IMU) North has come off of Limited Area Outbreak status and returned to the normal movement schedule.

As our communities see an uptick in COVID-19 cases, it is imperative to make sure you continue to wear your appropriate [Personal Protective Equipment \(PPE\)](#), as well as social distancing at all times. Please encourage and model the same behavior that we expect from our incarcerated population.

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. Staff must remain diligent in wearing your masks at all times, as your safety, as well as your family's, are a priority.

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