



STATE OF WASHINGTON
DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS
AIRWAY HEIGHTS CORRECTIONS CENTER
P.O. Box 1899, Airway Heights, WA 99001

August 26, 2021

To: All Incarcerated Individuals

From:  James Key, Superintendent

Subject: **COVID-19 Weekly Update**

On August 20, 2021, Airway Heights Corrections Center (AHCC) confirmed that (2) incarcerated individuals in R-Unit tested positive for COVID-19. As a result of these positive test results, and per Department protocol, R-Unit was put on Limited Area Outbreak status.

The first round of COVID-19 testing for R-Unit did not result in any additional positive test results. R-Unit remains on quarantine status, per our current protocols, and second round testing for the unit's incarcerated population is scheduled for tomorrow, Friday, August 27, 2021.

While R-Unit will remain quarantined and unable to participate in visitation, the rest of the facility will continue with normal movement and operations.

Please continue to wear your issued surgical masks, follow PPE protocols and socially distance. These continued preventative measures will help us limit the outbreak effect on the facility and hopefully assist in resolving this as quickly as possible.