

Washington State Penitentiary

Superintendent's Office

DATE: March 21, 2022
TO: All WSP Incarcerated Individuals
FROM: Assoc. Supt. Steve Barker, Incident Commander
SUBJECT: WSP II Weekly Facility Update 03/21/2022



The Washington State Penitentiary is no longer on what is known as Facility Wide Cluster Status due to staff positives and has moved back to once weekly staff testing. While this is a change in the right direction for the facility, it is still important to follow appropriate social distancing and masking guidelines to keep another outbreak from developing.

The Intensive Management Unit (IMU) South is still on what is known as Limited Area Outbreak Status due to positive COVID-19 results from staff and incarcerated individuals.

Delta Unit was removed from Limited Area Outbreak Status Friday, March 18, 2022, and will remain operating in cohorts for 14 days.

Facility locations under Limited Area Outbreak Status:

- IMU South

Current numbers as of March 18, 2022:

- Current positive cases among incarcerated (in the last 30 days) – 72
- Number of confirmed cases of incarcerated to date – 2,115
- Number of confirmed staff cases to date – 686