Corrections' COVID-19 Bulletin

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Current Status

The Washington State Department of Corrections' (DOC) Prisons and Work Release facilities are currently mirroring the current increase of COVID-19 cases across the state with 16 currently on outbreak status. DOC's priority is the health and safety of staff and everyone in its care and custody and has taken the following measures to mitigate the transmission of COVID-19 and continue maintaining safe and humane correctional environments. The department has also taken a number of steps to address staffing shortages. You can read about those steps, <u>here</u>.

DOC has been using the Incarcerated Individual Betterment Fund (IIBF) to do a variety of things for incarcerated individuals to help the time pass more smoothly. Additionally, a <u>message was sent to incarcerated individuals and family</u> <u>members</u> on January 28, 2022, that invites ongoing input from families and incarcerated individuals the opportunity to offer up suggestions for future expenditures from the IIBF.

Visitation at prisons and work release facilities continues to be suspended, with a re-evaluation date of March 3, or sooner. <u>Read more here.</u>

Each prison and work release facility on outbreak status sends out a weekly status update message, that can be viewed on the department's <u>Significant Events Timeline (SET)</u>. You can search for information about a specific facility by visiting the SET, hitting ctrl+f, and typing in the acronym of the facility you are interested in.

Numbers at a Glance

Average Daily Population

• **12,546** December 2021 Total <u>Average Daily Population</u> of Incarcerated Individuals for Prison and Work Release Facilities

Staff Cases

Active Staff Cases	593
Total Staff Cases To Date	3,789
Total Staff Cases Recovered	3,192
Incarcerated Cases	
Active Incarcerated Cases	2,561
Total Incarcerated Cases To Date	12,391
 Total Incarcerated Cases Recovered 	9,814
Isolation & Quarantine	
Incarcerated Individuals in Medical Isolation	2,853
 Incarcerated Individuals in Quarantine 	6,430

Vaccination Status

• Incarcerated Individuals vaccinated (at least one dose) 10,231

*This number includes Corrections Staff, Contract Staff, Office of the Ombuds and Disability Rights Washington who received vaccine doses from DOC and does not include those staff members who were vaccinated elsewhere.

Frequently Asked Questions

Each week, DOC will be responding to top questions received by the Office of the Corrections Ombuds. To learn more about this, and to see the full list of this week's questions – <u>visit the webpage, here</u>.

Prison Facilities

Starting January 24, 2022, DOC will be including active cases from the last 14 days rather than confirmed cases in the last 30 days. This is in an effort to provide the most current, relevant information possible in the bulletin. You can still review confirmed cases in the last 30 days, and more data, on our <u>COVID-19 data webpage, available here</u>.

Facility-Wide Outbreak

Airway Heights Corrections Center

Incarcerated

- Active incarcerated cases: 730
- Total incarcerated cases to date: 2,840

Staff

- Active staff Cases: 116
- Total staff cases to date: 502

Cedar Creek Corrections Center

Incarcerated

- Active incarcerated cases: 34
- Total incarcerated cases to date: 183
- Rapid Antigen Testing (RAT) done Monday January 31, 2022, in both quarantined units (Cascade and Olympic) with zero positive tests.
- Polymerase Chain Reaction (PCR) tests were performed February 2, 2022 in Cascade and Olympic Units.
- When cleared from outbreak status CCCC will be offering a vaccination clinic and a bag of comfort items.
- Alpine Unit, and the Visit room have been opened temporarily to house individuals who have tested positive.

Staff

- Active staff Cases: 11
- Total staff cases to date: 59

Clallam Bay Corrections Center

Incarcerated

- Active incarcerated cases: 57
- Total incarcerated cases to date: 411
- Facility wide COVID-19 testing occurred February 2, 2022.

Staff

- Active staff Cases: 20
- Total staff cases to date: 174

Coyote Ridge Corrections Center

Incarcerated

- Active incarcerated cases: 170
- Total incarcerated cases to date: 917

Staff

- Active staff Cases: 90
- Total staff cases to date: 475

Mission Creek Corrections Center for Women

Incarcerated

- Active incarcerated cases: 1
- Total incarcerated cases to date: 49
- Gold Unit may now utilize the yard on their hour out the Gym is closed.
- Mission Unit is off quarantine, but on limited movement.

Staff

- Active staff Cases: 3
- Total staff cases to date: 32

Monroe Correctional Complex

Incarcerated

- Active incarcerated cases: 618
- Total incarcerated cases to date: 1,612

Staff

- Active staff Cases: 43
- Total staff cases to date: 413

Stafford Creek Corrections Center

Incarcerated

- Active incarcerated cases: 119
- Total incarcerated cases to date: 1,525
- PCR tests will be conducted on Tuesday, February 8, 2022.

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Staff

- Active staff Cases: 29
- Total staff cases to date: 268

Washington Corrections Center

Incarcerated

- Active incarcerated cases: 326
 - Total incarcerated cases to date: 2,117
- Inter-facility transports have also resumed for specific Individuals as cleared by medical.

Staff

- Active staff Cases: 28
- Total staff cases to date: 398

Washington Corrections Center for Women

Incarcerated

- Active incarcerated cases: 10
- Total incarcerated cases to date: 247
- The law library will open for incarcerated individuals in 30-minute increments.
- Individuals who test positive for COVID-19 will be temporarily housed in Segregation, Gym and L Unit with other individuals who have also tested positive for COVID-19.

Staff

- Active staff Cases: 34
- Total staff cases to date: 204

Limited-Area Outbreak

Olympic Corrections Center

Removed from Facility Wide Outbreak February 2, 2022

Incarcerated

- Active incarcerated cases: 17
- Total incarcerated cases to date: 147
- February 4, 2022, medical Isolation housing will be relocated to the Ozette Programming Complex (Bogachiel Unit).
- Are providing recovered and non-quarantined individuals opportunity to program outside of the unit in essential roles.

Staff

- Active staff Cases: 6
- Total staff cases to date: 57

Washington State Penitentiary

Adams Unit, Baker Unit, Delta Unit, Echo Unit, Fox Unit, Health Services IPU, IMU North, Rainier Unit, Unit 6, Unit 8, Victor Unit, William Unit

Incarcerated

- Active incarcerated cases: 474
- Total incarcerated cases to date: 1,780
- IMU South is not on Limited Area Outbreak
- The entire population was COVID-19 tested February 3, 2022

Staff

- Active staff Cases: 142
- Total staff cases to date: 615

Work Release Facilities

Facility-Wide Outbreak

Ahtanum View Work Release

Incarcerated

- Active incarcerated cases: 0
- Total incarcerated cases to date:26

Staff

• Active staff Cases: 11

• Total staff cases to date: 24

Bellingham Work Release

Removed from outbreak status February 2, 2022

Incarcerated

- Active incarcerated cases: 1
- Total incarcerated cases to date: 28

Staff

- Active staff Cases: 0
- Total staff cases to date: 3

Brownstone Work Release

Incarcerated

- Active incarcerated cases: 2
- Total incarcerated cases to date: 35

Staff

- Active staff Cases: 4
- Total staff cases to date: 11

Peninsula Work Release

Incarcerated

- Active incarcerated cases: 1
- Total incarcerated cases to date: 12

Staff

- Active staff Cases: 1
- Total staff cases to date: 8

Progress House Work Release

Incarcerated

- Active incarcerated cases: 1
- Total incarcerated cases to date: 51

Staff

- Active staff Cases: 2
- Total staff cases to date: 8

Reynolds Work Release

Incarcerated

- Active incarcerated cases: 0
- Total incarcerated cases to date: 45

Staff

- Active staff Cases: 0
- Total staff cases to date: 13

Tri-Cities Work Release

Removed from outbreak status February 3, 2022

Incarcerated

- Active incarcerated cases: 0
- Total incarcerated cases to date: 10

Staff

- Active staff Cases: 2
- Total staff cases to date: 12

DOC's COVID-19 Response

Visit the <u>COVID-19 Significant Event Timeline</u>, which is published publicly for interested parties and stakeholders to promote and cultivate an environment of integrity and trust, and to foster openness, values which are part of Corrections' mission to improve public safety.

For additional information visit <u>doc.wa.gov/corrections/covid-19/</u> <u>Manage your Subscription</u>