



TEXAS
JUVENILE JUSTICE
DEPARTMENT

Update on COVID-19 at TJJJ Facilities

1 staff member at the Giddings State School has tested positive for COVID-19

No new youth cases have been reported since September 4

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AUSTIN—The Texas Juvenile Justice Department provided the following updates today related to COVID-19:

- 1 staff member at the Giddings State School tested positive for COVID-19 last night. The employee's last day on campus was September 4.
- At this time, the Giddings State School is the only campus in the TJJJ system with active cases of COVID-19.

Since the start of the pandemic, 174 staff members at the agency's secure facilities have tested positive for COVID-19:

Evins Regional Juvenile Center: 55

Gainesville State School: 11

Giddings State School: 43

McLennan County State Juvenile Correctional Facility: 23

Ron Jackson State Juvenile Correctional Complex: 42

Since the start of the pandemic, 201 youth at the agency's secure facilities have tested positive for COVID-19:

Evins Regional Juvenile Center: 31

Gainesville State School: 13

Giddings State School: 89

McLennan County State Juvenile Correctional Facility: 42

Ron Jackson State Juvenile Correctional Complex: 26

For more information about the agency's response to COVID-19, please visit the [TJJJ website](#).

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