



TEXAS JUVENILE JUSTICE DEPARTMENT

Update on COVID-19 at TJJD Facilities

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

- 1 youth at the McLennan County State Juvenile Correctional Facility, in Mart, tested positive for COVID-19 yesterday.
- 1 youth at the Ron Jackson State Juvenile Correctional Complex, in Brownwood, tested positive for COVID-19 this morning.
- 1 member of the Inspector General's staff at the McLennan County State Juvenile Correctional Facility tested positive for COVID-19 yesterday.

Since the start of the pandemic, 196 staff members at the agency's secure facilities have tested positive for COVID-19:

Evins Regional Juvenile Center: 60
Gainesville State School: 12
Giddings State School: 43
McLennan County State Juvenile Correctional Facility: 38
Ron Jackson State Juvenile Correctional Complex: 43

Since the start of the pandemic, 227 youth at the agency's secure facilities have tested positive for COVID-19:

Evins Regional Juvenile Center: 35
Gainesville State School: 13
Giddings State School: 89
McLennan County State Juvenile Correctional Facility: 64
Ron Jackson State Juvenile Correctional Complex: 27

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

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