



TEXAS
JUVENILE JUSTICE
DEPARTMENT

Update on COVID-19 at TJJJ Facilities

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

- Eight youth at the Giddings State School have tested positive for COVID-19 since Friday evening.
- One youth at the Evins Regional Juvenile Center, in Edinburg, tested positive for COVID-19 this afternoon.
- Three employees at the McLennan County State Juvenile Correctional Facility, in Mart, tested positive for COVID-19 this morning.
- One employee at the Evins Regional Juvenile Center tested positive for COVID-19 this morning.
- Two employees at the Ron Jackson State Juvenile Correctional Complex, in Brownwood, tested positive for COVID-19 today.
- One employee at the Giddings State School tested positive for COVID-19 this afternoon.
- At this time, TJJJ has 66 active cases across its facilities (46 staff and 20 youth).

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

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