



TEXAS
JUVENILE JUSTICE
DEPARTMENT

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UPDATE on COVID-19 at TJJD Facilities

AUSTIN – The Texas Juvenile Justice Department has experienced an uptick in COVID-19 cases at our secure campuses and halfway houses in June, compared with the month of May and since our last update to media on May 20.

20 youth tested positive for COVID-19 between May 21 and June 24 at two secure campuses and one halfway house:

- Giddings State School (5)
- McLennan County State Juvenile Correctional Facility, in Mart (14)
- Halfway Houses (1)

76 staff tested positive for COVID-19 between May 21 and June 24:

- Evins Regional Juvenile Facility, in Edinburg (25)
- Gainesville State School (2)
- Giddings State School (24)
- McLennan County State Juvenile Correctional Facility, in Mart (18)
- Ron Jackson State Juvenile Correctional Complex, in Brownwood (1)
- Halfway Houses (6)

Today, the agency reported it has 16 active youth cases (12 at our Mart campus and 4 at Giddings) and 30 active staff cases (8 at Evins, 7 at Giddings, 14 at Mart and 1 at a halfway house).

You may find a timeline and cumulative case counts, updated regularly, at the [COVID Response page](#) at our website.

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