



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 Evins Regional Juvenile Center, in Edinburg, tested positive for COVID-19 last night.
- 1 Youth Development Coach at the Giddings State School tested positive for COVID-19 last night.

Since the start of the pandemic, 207 staff members at the agency's secure facilities have tested positive for COVID-19:

Evins Regional Juvenile Center: 65
Gainesville State School: 13
Giddings State School: 45
McLennan County State Juvenile Correctional Facility: 40
Ron Jackson State Juvenile Correctional Complex: 44

Since the start of the pandemic, 242 youth at the agency's secure facilities have tested positive for COVID-19:

Evins Regional Juvenile Center: 44
Gainesville State School: 13
Giddings State School: 89
McLennan County State Juvenile Correctional Facility: 69
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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