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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 staff member at the Evins Regional Juvenile Center, in Edinburg, tested positive for COVID-19 last night.
- 1 Youth Development Coach at the McLennan County State Juvenile Correctional Facility, in Mart, tested positive for COVID-19 this morning.
- The McLennan County facility completed a round of campus-wide testing yesterday, which revealed no new positive cases. All youth were tested and the results were negative.
- The Evins facility is undergoing campus-wide testing this week.
- At this time there are 14 active cases of COVID-19 across TJJD facilities. All of the cases involve staff members.

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

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