



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:

- Five youth at the Giddings State School tested positive for COVID-19 last night.
- Three youth at the Evins Regional Juvenile Center, in Edinburg, tested positive for COVID-19 this morning.
- One staff member at the Evins Regional Juvenile Center tested positive for COVID-19 last night.
- At this time, TJJD has 25 active cases across its facilities (6 staff and 19 youth).

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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