



TEXAS
JUVENILE JUSTICE
DEPARTMENT

Update on COVID-19 at TJJD Facilities
1 new staff case has been reported at the Gainesville State School
That staff member has not been on campus since July 24

August 10, 2020

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

- 1 staff member at the Gainesville State School tested positive for COVID-19 this afternoon. That staff member has not been on campus since July 24.
- No youth cases have been reported since August 5.
- At this time, across the agency TJJD has 9 active cases: 4 staff and 5 youth.

Since the start of the pandemic, 167 staff members at the agency's secure facilities have tested positive for COVID-19:

Evins Regional Juvenile Center: 55
Gainesville State School: 10
Giddings State School: 40
McLennan County State Juvenile Correctional Facility: 21
Ron Jackson State Juvenile Correctional Complex: 41

Since the start of the pandemic, 189 youth at the agency's secure facilities have tested positive for COVID-19:

Evins Regional Juvenile Center: 30
Gainesville State School: 13
Giddings State School: 82
McLennan County State Juvenile Correctional Facility: 41
Ron Jackson State Juvenile Correctional Complex: 23

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

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