



TEXAS
JUVENILE JUSTICE
DEPARTMENT

Update on COVID-19 at TJJD Facilities
2 staff members have tested positive for COVID-19

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

- 2 Youth Development Coaches at the McLennan County State Juvenile Correctional Facility, in Mart, have tested positive for COVID-19. The first case was confirmed last night, and the second case was confirmed this morning.

Since the start of the pandemic, 176 staff members at the agency's secure facilities have tested positive for COVID-19:

Evins Regional Juvenile Center: 55
Gainesville State School: 11
Giddings State School: 43
McLennan County State Juvenile Correctional Facility: 25
Ron Jackson State Juvenile Correctional Complex: 42

Since the start of the pandemic, 201 youth at the agency's secure facilities have tested positive for COVID-19:

Evins Regional Juvenile Center: 31
Gainesville State School: 13
Giddings State School: 89
McLennan County State Juvenile Correctional Facility: 42
Ron Jackson State Juvenile Correctional Complex: 26

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

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