



TEXAS
JUVENILE JUSTICE
DEPARTMENT

Update on COVID-19 at TJJD Facilities
1 new staff case has been reported

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

- 1 Youth Development Coach at the McLennan County State Juvenile Correctional Facility, in Mart, tested positive for COVID-19 this afternoon.
- TJJD currently has 5 active COVID cases across its facilities: 1 youth and 4 staff.
- As of today, TJJD has administered 1,445 COVID tests to youth.

Since the start of the pandemic, 178 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: 26
Ron Jackson State Juvenile Correctional Complex: 43

Since the start of the pandemic, 202 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: 43
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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