



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:

- 1 Youth Development Coach at the Gainesville State School tested positive for COVID-19 this morning.
- Facility-wide testing among staff and youth at a TJJD halfway house revealed no positive cases.
- TJJD has 12 active cases across our facilities. All of the positive cases are among 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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