



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:

- Three youth at the Giddings State School tested positive for COVID-19 yesterday afternoon.
- One youth at the McLennan County State Juvenile Correctional Facility, in Mart, tested positive for COVID-19 this morning.
- Two staff members at the Gainesville State School have tested positive for COVID-19 since Friday evening.
- Three employees at the Ron Jackson State Juvenile Correctional Complex, in Brownwood, have tested positive for COVID-19 since Friday evening.
- One Youth Development Coach at the McLennan County State Juvenile Correctional Facility tested positive for COVID-19 on Friday evening.
- Two employees at the Giddings State School have tested positive for COVID-19 since Saturday.
- One staff member at the Evins Regional Juvenile Center tested positive for COVID-19 yesterday.
- At this time, TJJD has 59 active cases across its facilities (35 staff and 24 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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