

COVID-19 Update - July 09, 2020

Hi all-

Special thanks to Bree for pinch hitting for me yesterday with the update. I'll keep it brief tonight.

Staff COVID Testing: It wasn't without some hiccups early, but our first mass staff testing event is underway. As of 1700 hours, 173 ISCC staff had been tested. We'll update numbers tomorrow. Earlier today, we had 6 additional staff test positive for COVID-19. 1 from IMSI, 2 from ISCC, 2 from ISCI and 1 from District 5 P&P. Anyone who might have had contact with the individuals has been notified by HR and directed to self-quarantine.

Incarcerated Population Testing Results: While we have not yet received the results of the C Block mass testing event, we tested everyone living on B Block today. As it stands as of this evening, we've tested 1,529 individuals with 18 symptomatic positives, 135 asymptomatic positives, 618 negatives and 758 pending. Included in those totals and of interest, we had two additional asymptomatic individuals at SICI Main Dorm test positive today.

We also will be working on an additional change to our tracking sheet on the website. We'll change our tracking sheet to account for cases that are no longer active. This will allow us to appropriately account for individuals who have tested positive and resolved all symptoms, completed a period of isolation without developing symptoms, or released from custody. We'll preview it for you before we go live with it.

I'll have more for you tomorrow on our staff testing event and hopefully results from C Block testing.

Please take care of yourself and stay safe!

Thanks-
Josh