

COVID-19 Update - July 29, 2020

Hi all-

Today, I'm sharing some really sad news. In a few moments, we'll distribute the press release pasted below announcing the COVID-related death of someone in our custody, Mr. Frank Dawson Conover. Given this news, anything else I would normally share in an update seems inconsequential and can wait until tomorrow. Tonight, our thoughts and prayers are with Mr. Conover, his family, friends and everyone mourning his passing.

Take care-
Josh

Idaho Department of Correction

News release

Incarcerated man diagnosed with COVID-19 dies at Boise hospital

BOISE, July 29, 2020 -- With great sadness, the Idaho Department of Correction reports the death of an incarcerated person hospitalized with COVID-19.

On July 22, 2020, Frank Dawson Conover, 66, was transported from Idaho State Correctional Center to a Boise hospital for emergency treatment. While at the hospital, he tested positive for COVID-19 while being treated for other serious underlying health conditions-

Conover was pronounced dead at the hospital at 4:49am, July 29th.

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