Department of Public Safety COVID-19 Update for 12/18/20:

Inmate and Staff Testing Continues

The Halawa Correctional Facility reported their second round of surge testing results. Of the 204 inmates tested, 93 were positive and 111 were negative. Surge testing, with the assistance of the Department of Health and Hawaii National Guard, will continue until there are no new positive cases. Saguaro Correctional Center reports 5 pending tests were negative. There are only 4 active positive Saguaro inmates, including three (3) in the hospital. The Oahu Community Correctional Center (OCCC) reported 21 negative inmate test results. There are only 3 OCCC inmates with active positive cases. Results of repeat testing were negative for 30 employees at the Kauai Community Correctional Center. For more information on PSD's planning and response efforts to COVID-19: http://dps.hawaii.gov/blog/2020/03/17/coronavirus-covid-19-information-and-resources/.