Department of Public Safety COVID-19 Update for 12/28/20:

Inmate and Staff Testing Continues

The Halawa Correctional Facility (HCF) reported 42 more inmate test results over the holiday weekend, as part of surge testing efforts. Of that total, 10 were positive, 30 were negative, and 2 were inconclusive. There are seven (7) inmates hospitalized. Additionally, 39 HCF inmates have recovered bringing the total active positive inmate cases down to 275. There were three (3) more positive staff cases reported and seven (7) staff recoveries, dropping the total active positive staff cases to 27. Surge testing, with the assistance of DOH, the Hawai'i National Guard and Project Vision Hawai'i, will continue at HCF until there are no new positive cases at the facility.

All other facilities that experienced outbreaks have brought their COVID-19 count under control. The Oʻahu Community Correctional Center (OCCC) reports 32 more negative inmate test results over the holiday weekend. There are **zero** (0) active positive OCCC inmates. The Saguaro Correctional Center in Eloy, AZ is clear of the virus in their facility. One of the three (3) inmates in an Arizona hospital was medically cleared leaving two (2) active positive Hawaii inmates hospitalized. The Waiawa Correctional Facility (WCF) reported 18 more negative inmate results. There is only one (1) active positive inmate at the facility and one (1) in the hospital. 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/