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DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY COVID-19 UPDATE

HONOLULU – The Department of Public Safety (PSD) was notified an administrative employee in the Corrections Division Mainland Branch has reported a positive test result. Notification was made to the Department of Health. Two previously reported positive admin employees have recovered.

COVID-19 testing is continuously being conducted in the state prisons and jails as well as in the contracted Saguaro Correctional Center in Eloy, AZ. The latest testing updates received for other correctional facilities are as follows:

Oahu Community Correctional Center – 22 inmate test results. One (1) positive, 21 negative. The two (2) remaining active positive employees have been medically cleared of COVID-19. One (1) previously reported hospitalized employee was released. The facility is clear of all active COVID-19 staff cases. There are just three (3) active positive inmate cases remaining.

Halawa Correctional Facility – One (1) positive inmate test result. An additional inmate is hospitalized, bringing the total to two (2).

Women's Community Correctional Center – Three (3) negative inmate test results.

Kauai Community Correctional Center – Three (3) negative inmate test results.

Kulani Correctional Facility – One (1) employee has recovered. The facility is clear of all active COVID-19 cases.

The Department of Public Safety (PSD) continues to encourage all staff and inmates to voluntarily get tested and receive the COVID-19 vaccination. For more detailed inmate testing data, PSD's Pandemic Plan and information on response efforts made to safeguard the inmates, staff and public, visit the dedicated COVID-19 webpage at: <http://dps.hawaii.gov/blog/2020/03/17/coronavirus-covid-19-information-and-resources/>.

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