

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

DAVID Y. IGE GOVERNOR

MAX N. OTANI DIRECTOR

FOR IMMEDIATE RELEASE May. 25, 2022

## **DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY COVID-19 UPDATE**

HONOLULU – Effective April 1, 2022, the Department of Public Safety switched to weekly reporting of COVID stats. The data is updated on PSD's dedicated COVID-19 webpage every Wednesday.

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 from the correctional facilities for the 5/18/22 – 5/24/22 time period, are as follows:

**Oahu Community Correctional Center** – 263 inmate test results; 45 positive, 218 negative. There was one (1) positive staff test results reported and four (4) staff recoveries.

**Kauai Community Correctional Center** – 194 inmate test results; 29 positive, 165 negative. Two (2) employees have recovered.

**Hawaii Community Correctional Center** – 64 inmate test results; Two (2) positive, 62 negative. Four (4) inmates have recovered. There were two (2) positive staff test results reported and one (1) staff recovery.

**Halawa Correctional Facility** – 170 inmate test results; One (1) positive, 169 negative. Three (3) inmates have recovered. Three (3) positive staff test results were reported and four (4) staff recoveries

**Maui Community Correctional Center** – 101 inmate test results; One (1) positive, 100 negative. 16 negative staff test results.

**Kulani Correctional Facility** – Two (2) positive staff test results reported and nine (9) negative inmate test results.

Women's Community Correctional Center – 158 negative inmate test results.

**Waiawa Correctional Facility** – 30 negative inmate test results.

COVID-19 updates for other PSD Divisions are as follows:

**Sheriff Division** – Five (5) positive staff test result were reported during this time. Three (3) employees have recovered and returned to duty.

**Administration Division** – Three (3) positive staff test results were reported during this time.

The Department of Public Safety (PSD) continues to encourage all staff and inmates to voluntarily get tested and receive the COVID-19 vaccination.

###

Toni Schwartz

Public Information Officer

Hawaii Department of Public Safety

Office: 808-587-1358 Cell: 808-683-5507

Toni. E. Schwartz@hawaii.gov

http://hawaii.gov/psd/