

## DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY

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## 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 8/30/23 - 9/5/23 time period, are as follows:

**Waiawa Correctional Facility** – 13 inmate test results; three (3) positive, 10 negative. Two (2) inmates have recovered.

**Oahu Community Correctional Center** – Three (3) positive inmate test results. **Halawa Correctional Facility** – There were two (2) positive inmate test results during this time period. Those two along with 70 other inmates and one (1) employee have since recovered. The facility is completely clear of all active COVID-19 cases.

Hawaii Community Correctional Center – Three (3) inmates have recovered.

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

Detailed inmate testing data, PSD's Pandemic Plan and information on response efforts made to safeguard the inmates, staff and public, are updated daily on PSD's dedicated COVID-19 webpage at: <u>http://dps.hawaii.gov/blog/2020/03/17/coronavirus-covid-19-information-and-resources/</u>.

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