



Louisiana Department of Public Safety & Corrections

COVID-19 Inmate Positives

Updated 04/19/2020 - Updated daily at 11 a.m. with results from the end of the previous day.

Prisons	Positives	Step Down	Recovered	COVID-19 Deaths (Underlying Medical Conditions)	COVID-19 Deaths	Total Deaths
Allen Correctional Center	0	0	0	0	0	0
B.B. Rayburn Correctional Center	28	7	3	0	0	0
David Wade Correctional Center	0	0	0	0	0	0
Dixon Correctional Institute	1	1	0	0	0	0
Elayn Hunt Correctional Center	5	2	0	0	0	0
Louisiana Correctional Institute for Women	34	12	0	0	0	0
Louisiana State Penitentiary	23	9	0	1	0	1
Raymond Laborde Correctional Center	2	2	0	0	0	0
TOTAL	94	33	3	1	0	1

Louisiana DOC reports first incarcerated inmate death related to COVID-19

(Baton Rouge, La.) April 19, 2020 – The Louisiana Department of Corrections (DOC) announced today the death of a 69-year old inmate with underlying medical conditions compounded by a positive COVID-19 diagnosis. The inmate was imprisoned at Louisiana State Penitentiary. He had been hospitalized in Baton Rouge, Louisiana since April 15, 2020, and was pronounced deceased on April 18, 2020. He conferred with the doctor at the hospital and requested and agreed to a do not resuscitate order. His family has been notified of his death.

The individual was serving a life sentence for first degree murder, and had been imprisoned at Louisiana State Penitentiary since January of 1978. For the privacy of his family and due to confidentiality laws, the DOC is not releasing the inmate's name nor his medical conditions.

The Louisiana DOC is working closely with the Louisiana Department of Health and is committed to following the proposed guidance from the CDC on Correctional and Detention Facilities.

"The entire Department is focused on minimizing the potential impact of this disease on our correctional system. We understand that this is a very trying time for everyone in Louisiana including our employees, prison population and their loved ones. We are making every effort to ensure that inmates in our state prisons are informed and able to remain connected to their loved ones throughout this time." – Secretary LeBlanc.

Numbers regarding confirmed COVID-19 positive tests results within the state-run prisons will be **updated at 11 am** on a daily basis.

Prisons where inmates are being tested

Allen Correctional Center
B.B. Rayburn Correctional Center
David Wade Correctional Center
Dixon Correctional Institute
Elayn Hunt Correctional Center
Louisiana Correctional Institute for Women
Louisiana State Penitentiary
Raymond Laborde Correctional Center

COVID-19 Staff Positives

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Prisons	Positives	Recovered	Deaths
Allen Correctional Center	0	0	0
B.B. Rayburn Correctional Center	2	0	0
David Wade Correctional Center	3	2	0
Dixon Correctional Institute	5	0	0
Elayn Hunt Correctional Center	9	1	0
Louisiana Correctional Institute for Women	17	1	0
Louisiana State Penitentiary	27	4	1
Raymond Laborde Correctional Center	11	6	0
TOTAL	74	14	1



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