

ICIO QUESTIONS

What is the number of inmates you have in Orofino?

Today's count is 560 prisoners.

Have any inmates in Orofino tested positive for coronavirus?

We had one man test positive during the mass testing that took place at ICIO last week. He had been transferred from NICI because he was being dropped from the facility's rider program. The man had been quarantined since his arrival at ICIO from NICI. All prisoners arriving at ICIO are quarantined for 14 days upon.

If so, how many and over what time frame, and what were the age groups involved?

One man - 30 years old.

How serious were those cases? How many had to be hospitalized and in what age groups?

He is asymptomatic

How were they separated from other inmates?

When ICIO receives prisoners from NICI, they are quarantined in 2-person cells in one housing unit. They have limited access to other areas except the shower and the telephone. After prisoners use these areas, a cleaning crew thoroughly disinfects them. All staff and cleaning crews wear gowns, gloves, masks(N95) and face shields while working on this housing unit.

What is the number of employees you have in Orofino?

A total of 143 people work at ICIO.

How many have tested positive for coronavirus?

We conducted mass testing on 09/17/2020. One staff member had a result of positive from the testing.

In what age groups?

The person is 30 to 40 years old.

How serious were the cases?

The person is asymptomatic.

Did any employees have to be hospitalized? If so, what were the age groups?

No

If there was an outbreak in Orofino, what was the cause?

There has been no outbreak at ICIO.

What precautions were being taken previously and what additional measures were added?

Staff are screened upon entry into the facility. They are asked four questions regarding symptoms and their temperature is taken. If they cannot pass the screening, they are sent home and referred to HR for further guidance. If an offender shows symptoms, they are moved to a quarantine cell, tested for COVID-19 and monitored by medical staff until the results are provided from the test and/or symptoms go away and medical clears them to return to their housing unit.

Staff and prisoners are required to wear cloth masks in areas that do not have COVID-19 patients or suspected patients. The exception is for the staff in their personal offices when they are alone. Prisoners may remove their masks in their cell or immediate bunk area. We clean the general common areas constantly. Janitors clean regularly on each housing unit.

We have a crew specifically trained for cleaning in the quarantine areas. Staff that work the quarantine housing unit must wear N95 masks, face shields, paper gowns, and gloves.