



Texas Department of Criminal Justice

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TO: Recipients of the Infection Control Policy Manual

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Listed below are the updated policies for your Infection Control Manual. The Facility Management Team is expected to inform all employees of these policies before placing them in the manual.

Policy Number	Policy Name	Primary Change
B-14.52	Coronavirus Disease 2019 (COVID 19)	<p>Updates made within Definition section of policy.</p> <p>Clarification use of hand sanitizer. See policy.</p> <p>Recommendation of minimal intra-unit transfers. See policy.</p> <p>Additional statement added early education and warning signs for staff and offenders; rapid triage of patients with worsening symptoms. See policy.</p> <p>Additional statement added non transfer of offenders in medical isolation.</p> <p>Clarification release of offenders from medical restriction.</p> <p>Added determining quarantine clock, determination for patients in medical restriction. See policy.</p> <p>Added management of exposed staff.</p> <p>Clarification within Transportation section. See policy.</p> <p>Added proper handwashing prior to putting on PPE and immediately after removal; attachment J revised.</p> <p>Clarification within PPE Table 3. See policy.</p> <p>Updates made within "Clinical Management" section V., E, and updates made within Attachment E. See policy.</p>

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