

MIDDLE RIVER REGIONAL JAIL

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MIDDLE RIVER REGIONAL JAIL AUTHORITY January 11, 2021

In coordination with the Central Shenandoah Health District MRRJ conducted the 7th consecutive weekly COVID test for inmates and staff on January 8, 2021.

Summary:

- 1 staff tested positive from the January 8, 2021 test; 2 additional staff tested positive since the December 29, 2020 they are self-isolating at home; a total of 75 staff have tested positive for COVID since November 13, 2020.
- 13 additional inmates tested positive for a total of 556 inmates positive for COVID since November 25, 2020; MRRJ has 805 inmates in custody as of January 11, 2021.
 - 1. Staff have met with each inmate and provided them their individual test result.
 - 2. No female inmates tested positive
 - 3. Of the 30 inmate housing units 24 had no inmates test positive.
 - 4. 5 housing units had only one positive case.
 - 5. MRRJ does not have any test results pending.
 - 6. MRRJ does not currently have any inmates in the hospital due to COVID related symptoms.
- Restrictions implemented November 17, 2020 remain in effect for the foreseeable future.
- Staff continue to coordinate with Dr. Kornegay, Health Director, Central Shenandoah Health District at Virginia Department of Health. Current plan is to retest staff and inmates again this week.