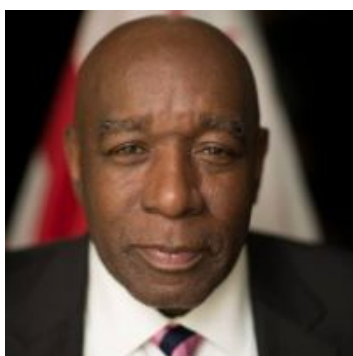




CIC BULLETIN

NEWS FROM DC CORRECTIONS INFORMATION COUNCIL

Message from the Executive Director



March 2022 marks two full years since the beginning of the pandemic. The CIC remains dedicated to continuing to improve our practices for reporting on conditions of confinement within the BOP and the DOC.

At the end of February, the agency returned from our visit to Lewisburg. Due to jurisdictional limitations, we were not able to meet with the individuals recently transferred from the DC jail based on the US Marshal's findings in November 2021, but we were able to view the facility and talk to other DC residents in custody. We are employing alternative methods of outreach, and our agency will continue to monitor any significant

developments.

During March, the CIC had its performance and budget oversight hearings before DC Councilmember Charles Allen, Chairman of the Committee on the Judiciary and Public Safety. The agency is using feedback from the performance hearing to adjust and restructure our practices, which includes maintaining a more frequent presence inside of DOC facilities. The CIC has visited the Correctional Treatment Facility and the Central Detention Facility within the past two weeks, and a visit to the Central Cell Block is planned for the first week in April. The CIC will also inspect additional BOP facilities, and report findings and recommendations to our website and social media platforms as information is published. We are grateful to hear the voices of the community, and the agency is committed to providing insightful information to the public regarding meaningful issues that affect the incarcerated population.

Donald Isaac, Sr.

Data Corner

Statistics on DC Residents in Custody

Census as of March 28, 2022

- The total number of D.C. adults in custody in DOC facilities is **1,341**

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court of jurisdiction, is **2,170**.

- **Increase since February 2022 (2,155 adults in custody)*
- The number of all DC Code adults who are in BOP custody, regardless of their residency, is **2,614**.
 - **Increase since February 2022 (2,584 adults in custody)*

DOC & COVID-19 as of February 28, 2022 (source: coronavirus.dc.gov)

Department of Corrections Residents in Custody

- Total Number of Residents Who Have Tested Positive: **771**
- Total Number of Residents Not in General Population Due to Positive Tests/Quarantine: **57**

Total Number of Lives Lost Among Residents: **1**

Department of Corrections Personnel

- Total Number of Personnel Who Have Tested Positive: **639**
- Total Number of Personnel Out Due to Positive Tests or Exposure: **8**

Total Number of Lives Lost Among Personnel: **3**

BOP & COVID-19 as of March 28, 2022 (source: bop.gov/coronavirus)

Bureau of Prisons Residents in Custody (Includes all residents as well as DC Residents)

- Total Number of Residents Who Have Tested Positive: **160**
- Total Number of Residents Who Have Recovered: **53,724**

Total Numbers of Lives Lost Among Residents: **291** (**11** occurred while on home confinement)

Bureau of Prisons Personnel

- Total Number of Personnel Who Have Tested Positive: **138**
- Total Number of Personnel Who Have Recovered: **12,527**

Total Number of Lives Lost Among Personnel: **7**

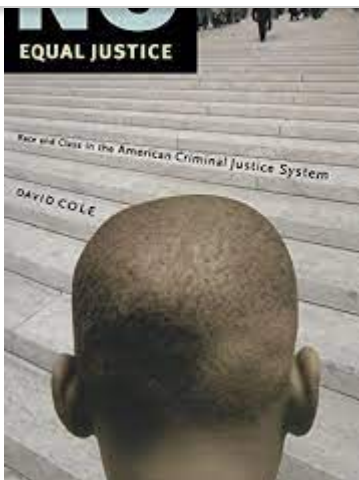


****All READY Center services are currently available; however, walk-in service is temporarily suspended due to COVID-19. Participants seeking READY Center services should contact the READY Center's main number at (202) 790-6790 to be connected to available services.**

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What We're Reading:
No Equal Justice: Race and Class in the American Criminal Justice System

by David Cole

No Equal Justice examines subjects ranging from police behavior and jury selection to sentencing and argues that our system does not merely fail to live up to the promise of equality, but actively requires double standards to operate. *No Equal Justice* argues that the system allows the privileged to enjoy constitutional protections from police power without paying the costs associated with extending those protections across the board to minorities and the poor.



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