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The H4672 Act Addressing COVID-19 Data Collection and Disparities in Treatment Massachusetts Department of Correction Mobile Testing – Staff

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Occupations of Staff Members Self-Reporting a Positive COVID-19 Test

Staff members self- reporting an active case as of March 7, 2023 are listed by occupation in the table below.

Positive COVID-19 Tests by Staff Members Occupation – Department of Correction Staff (March 7, 2023)

Occupation	Institution	City/Town ¹	Current Positives ²
Support Staff/Administrative	HQ – Milford	Milford	Less than 5
Correction Officer	MCI-Norfolk	Norfolk	Less than 5
Correction Officer	Souza Baranowski Correctional Center	Shirley	Less than 5

The Massachusetts Department of Correction (DOC) frequently offers voluntary, mobile COVID-19 testing to staff. Testing locations vary to allow staff working in all regions, a convenient test location.³ This report includes a culmination of data collected from the mobile testing sites when available.

For staff testing at mobile testing sites, there were zero new confirmed positive COVID-19 test results self-reported by staff as of March 7, 2023.

¹ Massachusetts city/town and county are based on the city/town and county of the Massachusetts Department of Correction facility where the staff member works on the report date.

 $^{^{2}}$ Staff counts of one (1) to four (4) are reported as 'Less than 5'; five (5) and over are reported as the actual count.

³ Staff counts are based on Massachusetts Department of Correction Mobile testing site location/ date of test and results selfreported by Massachusetts Department of Correction staff.