

COVID-19 Update

May 6, 2020

4:30 p.m.

SCDC announced the death today of an offender from Allendale Correctional Institution, who died from complications of COVID-19.

Bryan Furman, 60, died at an outside hospital today after being hospitalized since May 4. Furman, who had several underlying medical conditions, tested positive for the coronavirus on May 5.

As of today, 15 offenders and eight staff members at Allendale have tested positive for COVID-19. The institution is on quarantine. SCDC, with about 17,330 offenders, currently has 39 positive offenders systemwide. There are 30 active staff cases. This is the department's second inmate death associated with the virus.

SCDC is working closely with the S.C. Department of Health and Environmental Control to ensure proper guidelines and protocols are being followed to safely manage our staff and offenders.

Further updates about the agency's response to the COVID-19 pandemic can be found on our website, www.doc.sc.gov.