

COVID-19 Update

July 27, 2020

9:30 a.m.

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

Carl Frazier Good, 55, died at an outside hospital on Sunday, July 26, after being hospitalized since July 20. He tested positive for the coronavirus July 13.

As of today, 103 offenders and 26 staff members at Perry have tested positive for COVID-19. SCDC, with 16,767 offenders, has had 729 offenders test positive for the coronavirus systemwide. Of those, 194 have recovered and 526 are active cases. There are 117 active staff cases. This is the department's ninth 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.