



TEXAS  
Health and Human  
Services

# Abilene State Supported Living Center

**OUR MISSION:**  
To empower people to make choices  
that result in a life of dignity and  
increased independence.

## AbSSLC News

Abilene SSLC

Week of March 22<sup>nd</sup>, 2021

### AbSSLC COVID19 Status (as of COB 03.19.2021)

Individuals currently in Isolation	0
Total Individuals Tested Positive	117
Total Individuals Recovered	117
Total Staff Tested Positive	546
Total Staff Recovered	542

Please note that this information is subject to change daily. The numbers shown are current as the date shown at the top of the chart.

### Calling in Sick

- If you are calling in for any kind of illness, you **MUST** call the Nursing Hotline **FIRST**. If you or anyone in your household is tested for COVID-19 you must call the Nursing Hotline immediately. You can reach this line by dialing **INFO (x4636)** from any campus phone or by calling **692-4053 x4636** from off-campus.
- After talking with Nursing, you must also contact **Risk Management** to discuss your return to work clearance.



### As a Reminder ...

For the safety of those that live and work at AbSSLC, we are considered a “no scent” campus. This means you cannot be wearing any type of perfume or cologne. This also includes scented body sprays and lotions.

### COVID19 Testing Week of 03.22.21

#### Round 1

**Tuesday, 03.23** or

- 0530-1130
- 1300-1500

**Wednesday, 03.24**

- 0700-1130
- 1300-1500

#### Round 2

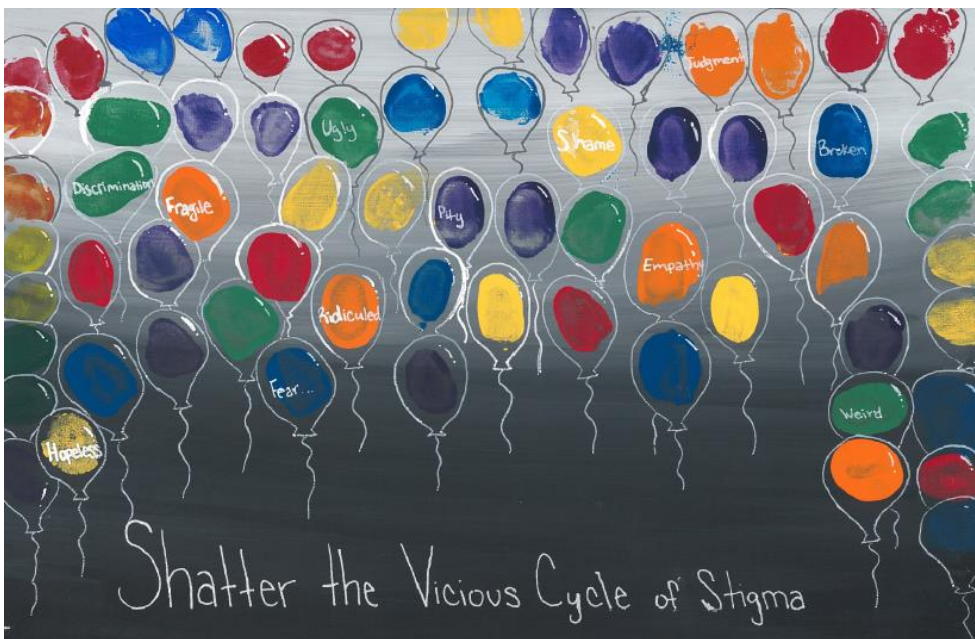
**Thursday, 03.25** or

- 0700-1130
- 1300-1500

**Friday, 03.26**

- 0530-1130
- 1300-1500

Due to the increased positivity rate in Taylor County we have now changed back to **2x per week testing**. You must attend one day of each round!



This amazing piece was submitted by the Individuals & Staff from 6510 Peach Street for the 2021 Texas Mental Health Creative Arts contest

### Life Safety Code Tip of the Week

Fire alarm panels and pull stations must be accessible at all times. At no time, can they be blocked or covered.

Your **AbSSLC Badge** is  
required for campus entry!

# Shout Outs!

I would like to do a shout out to **Cameron Wiley** at 6480 Mimosa - he is always going above and beyond his job requirements.

Shout out to **Jamie Wade** at 6690 Circle Drive for independently following helpful techniques for optimal communication success with an individual with a hearing loss.

**Toieasha Cooper** always does her job and never complains about doing more than she is supposed to. She's always picking up other people slack. She's an awesome worker.

Big shout out to **Barbara Hale** for responding quickly to a broken doorbell at Audiology and doing a fantastic job getting a new one in place!!!

SHOUT OUT to our **COVID19 testing team**. It has become a smooth operation based on my experience, and I thank all involved.

I want to give a BIG SHOUT OUT to **Marizsa Arrazola**! This young lady has gone above and beyond! She's a hard worker! She's caring and loving to the individuals! She has never missed a day of work. She's always giving 100% to the individuals by teaching, interacting, and providing great care! Thank Marizsa for all you!!!! 6450 and Activity Center 5921 is very proud to have you working with us!!!!

## Shout Out!

Have you seen someone do the above & beyond or just want to recognize great work?

It's easy to do a Shout Out!

- "Reply" to any of the update texts you receive through the AskAdmin Text Group
- Email Jeff Goza with their name and your comments
- Text their name and your comments to 325.370.4525

Let's **Shout Out** and recognize others!