



ADVISORY: NYC DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTION IS SUSPENDING IN-PERSON VISITS EFFECTIVE WEDNESDAY MARCH 18TH

- In light of the ongoing spread of COVID-19, out of an abundance of caution, and in an effort to protect the health and safety of those who live and work on Rikers Island and other city jail facilities, DOC is suspending in-person visits beginning Wednesday, March 18.
- The City is continuing its policies of providing all persons in custody with domestic phone calls - free of charge, to help people in custody stay in contact with their families and communities.
- The Department is also working to implement a televisit initiative that will allow family and chosen family of people in custody the ability to remain in contact using their own personal PC or mobile device.
- This page will be periodically updated with additional information.