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St. Croix Human Resources Office Closed Due to COVID-19 Exposure

ST. CROIX, USVI – The Virgin Islands Department of Education will close its Human Resources Office on St. Croix, Sept. 13-17, due to COVID-19 exposure.

The office is expected to reopen to the public on Mon., Sept. 20, following thorough sanitization using CDC-approved products.

The closure will not affect office operations, as employees will work remotely and can be reached via email. All calls can be routed to the Human Resources Office on St. Thomas at (340) 774-0100.

St. Croix HR Staff

Amiquah Freeman - <u>Amiquah.freeman@vide.vi</u>

- Ricardo Richards Elementary School
- Arthur A. Richards K-8
- John H. Woodson Junior High School
- Juanita Gardine K-8

Brenda Grey - brenda.grey@vide.vi

- Claude O. Markoe Elementary School
- Pearl B. Larsen PreK-8
- St. Croix Educational Complex
- Alfredo Andrew Elementary School

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- Lew Muckle Elementary School
- Eulalie R. Rivera K-8
- Career & Technical Vocational School
- Substitute Teacher Pool/General & Federal Per Diems

Althea Jacobs - <u>althea.jacobs@vide.vi</u>

- Adult Day School
- Positive Connections/YRC
- St. Croix Central High School
- All non-school activity centers

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• Questions and/or HR guidance

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- Database/Reports
 - Certifications

The Department wishes to remind employees who are sick to remain at home. If an employee has undergone COVID-19 testing, he or she should remain quarantined until negative COVID-19 test results are received. If an employee tests positive for COVID-19, he or she should seek further guidance from the V.I. Department of Health or a healthcare provider. To knowingly expose others to COVID-19 is punishable by fines and imprisonment.

The COVID-19 vaccine is available to all USVI residents age 12 and up. Visit www.covid19usvi.com/vaccines for more information and to schedule an appointment to receive the free COVID-19 vaccine.

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