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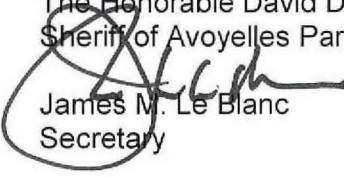
JAMES M. LE BLANG
SECRETARY

October 7, 2022



MEMORANDUM

TO: The Honorable David Dauzat
Sheriff of Avoyelles Parish

FROM: 
James M. Le Blanc
Secretary

RE: "Basic Jail Guidelines" Monitoring Report

Please see the attached monitoring report regarding the Basic Jail Guidelines (BJG) recertification inspection that was conducted at Avoyelles Detention Center on August 18, 2022.

The following guideline was found to be non-compliance:

IV-D-001 Health Care Quarterly Meetings

During the walk through of the living areas the following was noted:

- Dorms
 - Offender property not all stored in locker boxes. Staff advised facility is in the process of reducing the amount of personal items offenders can have.
 - Several mattresses were torn and had no protective covering. However, staff advised the facility was in the process of replacing mattresses. Offender property on bed area and hanging from beds.
- Cellblock
 - Several doors to the lock down areas are hard to open. Maintenance was present and made aware of the situation.
 - Due to there not being any locker boxes in the lockdown area, offender property was stored on their beds. Staff advised they are in the process of reducing the amount of offender property allowed in the lockdown area.
- Bathrooms
 - Floor drain in the sink and urinal area was stopped up and backed up on the floor.
 - Several showers in the lock down are in need of some cleaning.

DPS&C would like to encourage full compliance with BJD I-A-004 "Housekeeping" and IV-D-001 "HealthCare Quarterly Meetings". At this time DPS&C will return in 60 days from the date of this inspections to ensure compliance with the above referenced guidelines.

Thank you for your support of the BJD process.

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Attachment

c: Mike Ranatza, Executive Director, Louisiana Sheriffs' Association
Bruce Cazalot, Warden, Avoyelles Detention Center
Seth Smith, Chief of Operations
Marcus Myers, Warden, RLCC
Chad Firmin, BJD Team Leader



BJG RECERTIFICATION REPORT

Rev. 07/29/2022 mwk

Facility Name: Avoyelles Marksville Detention Center (DC-1)
BJG Team Leader & Monitors: Lt. Col. Chad Firmin BJJ Team Leader Central Region
Facility Warden & Email Address: Bruce Cazalot / bcazalot@avoyellesso.org
Facility Staff: Damion Jacobs
BJG Inspection Date: 8/18/22
Previous BJJ Inspection Date: 7/24/19
Operational Capacity: 438
Count on Day of Visit: 366

Please see attached Excel Spreadsheet for each area reviewed for BJJ compliance.

Concerns or Issues from the previous BJJ Monitoring Inspection:

	# MALE	# FEMALE	TOTAL
Number of DOC Offenders	162	0	162
Number of Local Offenders	204	0	204
Number of Out of State Offenders	0	0	0
Number of Federal Offenders	0	0	0
Number of ICE Detainees	0	0	0
TOTAL	366	0	366

Number of DOC Offenders that are:

Single Bunked 0
 Double Bunked 143
 Triple Bunked 0
Total 143

Number of DOC Offenders that are in Restricted Housing:

Single Bunked 2
 Double Bunked 17
 Triple Bunked 0
Total 19

ASSAULTS: (Please list monthly since the previous BJJ monitoring visit.)

Month/Year	Off/Off	Off/Off w/sig inj	Offender/Staff	Off/Staff w/sig inj
August 21	0	0	0	0
September 21	1	0	0	0
October 21	0	0	0	0
November 21	1	0	0	0
December 21	1	0	0	0
January 22	0	0	0	0
February 22	0	0	0	0
March 22	1	1	0	0
April 22	1	0	0	0
May 22	1	0	0	0
June 22	0	0	0	0
July 22	0	0	0	0

- March 22- Off/Off w/sig inj.-On March 17, 2022 offender Andriel Jones #108531 stabbed offender Michael Williams #737249 in the neck and chest area puncturing his lung. Injuries sustained during the incident was a punctured lung, partial lung collapse, fractured rib and cut forearm. Offender Williams was transported Rapides Hospital. Street charges were filed on offender Jones. Offender Williams was in the hospital for 2 ½ weeks then transferred to EHCC for medical.

SEIZURE FINDINGS: (Please list monthly since the previous BJJ monitoring visit.)

Month/Year	Illicit Substance	Alcohol	Weapon	Cell Phone	Other
August 21	0	0	3 homemade knives	3	2 cigarettes, 2 phone chargers, 1 lighter
September 21	0	0	2 shanks, 1 pocket knife	1	1 charger, 1 tattoo gun
October 21	1 mojo	0	2 shanks, 1 knife blade, 1 knife	3	1 tattoo gun
November 21	0	0	2 shanks	3	2 tobacco, 2 phone chargers, 1 lighter
December 21	0	0	2 shanks	0	0
January 22	0	0	0	1	1 battery pack
February 22	0	0	1 shank	2	0
March 22	0	0	1 curved knife, 1 razor knife, 2 shanks	3	1 tattoo gun
April 22	0	0	1 shank	1	0
May 22	0	0	1 shank	3	1 phone charger
June 22	43 syn. Mari. Papers, 8 crystal meth	0	1 knife blade, 2 shanks	3	1 piece of metal pipe
July 22	0	0	1 shank, 1 pocket knife	0	3 pills

GENERAL APPEARANCE, CLEANLINESS, AND COMMENTS OF THE FACILITY:

Living Area:

Dorms - A walk through was conducted in all dorms at the facility.

- A - Dorm: Some of the offender belongings are on the bed areas and not all stored in metal locker boxes due to limited number of boxes for offenders. The facility staff advised they are in the process of reducing the amount of personal belongings offenders can have due to storage. Several mattresses are torn or have no outer protective covering. Staff advised they have replaced some mattresses and more are being ordered to continue to replace mattresses. Mostly parish and pre-trial offenders are housed in this dorm.
- B – Dorm: This dorm was clean and organized. This dorm houses the facility trustees and some offender workers. In the event the facility is approved for TWP, this dorm will house those offenders as well. Offender belongings stored properly.
- C – Dorm: This dorm was clean. There are some mattresses in this dorm that are in need of being repaired or replaced also. Offenders in this dorm are issued orange clothing from the facility to wear. It was noted upon entry into the dorm, that some painting has been done and the dorm was cleaner than previous visits.
- D – Dorm: This dorm was clean. There are some mattresses in this dorm that are in need of being repaired or replaced also. Offenders in this dorm are issued orange clothing from the facility to wear. It was also noted upon entry into the dorm, that some painting has been done and the dorm was cleaner than previous visits.
- E – Dorm: This dorm was clean. This dorm houses mostly kitchen workers and other workers for the facility. Offender belongings were stored properly.

Cell Block: A walk through was conducted of all lock down areas. Several doors to the lock down areas are hard to open. Maintenance was present and made aware of the situation. Offender personal belongings are stored all over the bed area. There are no locker boxes in lock down to store belongings. Staff advised they are in the process of reducing the amount of belongings offenders will be allowed in the lockdown area.

Culinary/Dining: The kitchen and dining hall is clean. The dining hall is used for classes. During the walk through, there was a CTRP class being taught. The kitchen workers were preparing to serve the noon meal and some were beginning to cook the evening meal. Cooler and freezer temperatures are checked and logged. Hot water temperature are checked for the dishwasher. Tools are on inventory and being signed in and out. There is a bathroom available in the kitchen for use. Food is stored properly and dated.

Bathrooms: Bathrooms are in working order. It was noted, in A-Dorm that the floor drain in the sink and urinal area was stopped up and backed up on the floor. Several showers in the lock down are in need of some cleaning. Showers are on timers throughout the facility and only come on at certain hours of the day. This was done due to offenders leaving water running and using excessive amounts of water. Hot water is available and temperatures are logged.

D – Dorm: In the past under the previous administration, offenders would pull sink or toilet off the wall to enter the pipe chase, escaping the facility. **Plases note this issue has been resolved under the current administration.** The facility has bolted a metal sheet on the wall behind the sinks and toilets so in the event a sink or toilet is pulled off again the offender cannot access the pipe chase.

Yard Areas: There is a yard area for recreation purposes located to the side of the jail. The yard area is clean.

Maintenance: The maintenance shop is located behind the facility in a separate building outside the secured area. Only offenders working in the maintenance shop have access to the shop. Tools are on inventory and signed in and out.

II-A-007 COUNTS:

- How many formal counts are conducted each shift? 5 each shift
- How many counts are conducted each day? Minimum 10 counts
- **Stick outs counts**
 - How does the facility accomplish this? Stickout counts are done for offenders not in the housing units during count time. The employee will verify the location the offenders is housed and call into booking and give the count.
 - Does this process insure accountability and safe/secure operation of the facility? Yes

II-A-012 CLASSIFICATION SYSTEM:

Does the facility have any trustees that work outside the secure perimeter? (Yes or No)

If yes, Yes

- What is their classification process to determine who is eligible for trustee status? Offender's criminal history, disciplinary record, length of sentence, any medical or mental health concerns are all reviewed to determine who would be eligible for trustee then approved by administration.
- Does their classification process meet DPS&C, Corrections Services' criteria? Yes

II-A-018 OFFENDER DRUG TESTING: (Please list monthly since the previous BJJ monitoring visit.)

Month/Year	# DOC Tested	Total DOC Pop	% Tested	# Positive
August 21	35	71	49	0
September 21	30	77	39	0
October 21	35	80	44	0
November 21	45	99	45	0
December 21	50	95	53	0
January 22	40	112	36	0
February 22	45	135	33	0
March 22	40	139	29	0
April 22	35	137	26	0
May 22	45	145	31	0
June 22	45	143	31	0
July 22	35	149	23	0

III-A-0010 RULES AND DISCIPLINE:

- Does the facility's offender orientation include the application process for applying for restoration of good time? Yes
- What is their restoration of good time application process for the offender population? Offender will request the application form and fill it out and send it to the administration for review and approval. Once verified and approved then it will be sent to DPS&C.
- Does their restoration of good time application process meet DPS&C, Corrections Services' criteria? Yes

VII-B-010 BJJ AUTOMATED MONTHLY REPORTING REVIEW:

- Has the facility been inputting the correct info timely? Yes
- Does the reported info suggest any issues of concern or improvement? No

V-B-002 EDUCATIONAL PROGRAMING:

GED Program

Number of GED Slots	<u>30</u>
Number of Participants	<u>13</u>
YTD Number of Completions	<u>0</u>

LIST ALL CERTIFIED TREATMENT PROGRAMS: (Attach Form IS-B-8-b)

Thinking for a Change
 UCCI
 Inside Out Dads
 Victim Impact Listen & Learn
 LA Mind Altering Substance Phase I & II
 Partners in Parenting
 Understanding and Reducing Angry Feelings
 FDIC

LIST ALL OTHER OFFENDER PROGRAMS:

Church services

VI-B-002 GRIEVANCE PROCESS:

- Does grievance process include two levels of review?
Yes
- Who are the designees at each level?
1st Level R. Ducote, 2nd Level D. Jacobs
- What is the specified time period for response at each level?
40 days each level

PREA COMPLIANCE:

- Is this facility required to be PREA compliant due to contract language? (Yes or No) No

- Is this facility PREA compliant? (Yes or No) No
 - If yes, date compliance received:
 - If this facility is required to be PREA compliant due to contract language, and has not done so, what is their plan of action for compliance?

OTHER:

STAFF COMMENTS/MORALE/GENERAL OBSERVATIONS:

Sheriff Dausat along with other staff was present for the entire walk through of the jail. There have been improvements done throughout the jail from cleaning and painting and some maintenance concerns such as lighting has improved. Staff was courteous during the walk through. Staff morale appeared to be good. Sheriff Dausat said they are working on more improvements at the jail.

OFFENDER COMMENTS/MORALE/QUALITY OF LIFE:

Spoke to offenders during the walk through. Offenders have access to kiosk in the dorms to communicate with family and have video visits. Offenders can also send a requests to administration. Some concern was voiced by offenders in A-Dorm about the floor drain that was backing up and the showers not being on long enough. Other offenders were asking about TWP. No other concerns or comments were voiced by offenders. Offender morale and quality of life appeared to be good.

RECOMMENDATION:

At this time the monitoring team recommends recertification with semiannual monitoring visits.



08/01/2022 mwk

Facility: Avoyelles Marksville Detention Center DC-1		Date Conducted: August 18, 2022
Monitors: Lt. Col. Chad Firmin BJJ Team Leader Central Region		
BASIC JAIL GUIDELINES (BJG)		
PART I - SAFETY		
A. PROTECTION FROM INJURY AND ILLNESS		
References: ACA CJS 1-1A-01, 1-1A-02, 1-1A-03, 1-1A-04, 1-1A-05, 1-1C-05, 1-4A-03, 1-4A-04		
	Findings	Response
I-A-001 Safety/Sanitation/Inspections (MANDATORY) The facility complies with all applicable laws and regulations of the State Sanitation Officer and the State Fire Marshal. The following inspections are implemented: ●Weekly sanitation inspections of all facility areas by a qualified departmental staff member. ●Weekly inspections of all food service areas, including dining and food preparation areas and equipment. ●Water temperature in housing areas is checked and recorded daily. ●Comprehensive and thorough monthly inspections by a safety/sanitation specialist for compliance with sanitation, safety and fire prevention standards. ●At least annual inspections by the State Sanitation Officer and the State Fire Marshal. Visual Inspection: completed inspection checklists and reports, documentation of corrective action, inspection reports	Compliant- Weekly and monthly safety and sanitation inspections done. Copy in file. FM inspection done 3/24/22, DHH inspection done 2/11/22.	
I-A-002 Disposal of Materials Disposal of liquid, solid, and hazardous material complies with applicable government regulations. Visual Inspection: trash disposal contract, completed inspection reports, include documentation that deficiencies were corrected	Compliant- Contract on file for disposal of materials and hazardous waste.	
I-A-003 Vermin and Pests Vermin and pests are controlled. There is a written and implemented plan for the control of vermin and pests. Visual Inspection: pest control contracts, trash disposal contracts, inspection reports	Compliant- Contract for trash disposal. The facility is sprayed to control for vermin and pests.	
I-A-004 Housekeeping The facility is clean and in good repair. There is a written housekeeping plan that provides for the ongoing cleanliness and sanitation of the facility. Visual Inspection: inspection reports, completed forms, documentation of correction of identified deficiencies	Compliant- Policy in place for housekeeping plan and practices. Inspections reports on file. Some cleaning needs to be done in the shower areas mainly in lock down areas.	

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	Findings	Response
<p>I-A-005 Water Supply The facility's potable water source and supply is certified at least annually by an independent, outside source to be in compliance with the State Sanitary Code. The facility complies with the requirements of the state health officer. There is a specific plan for addressing deficiencies, if any, that is approved by the state health officer. Visual Inspection: documentation of approval by DHH or local authority, plan for addressing deficiencies</p>	<p>Compliant- Water supply provided and maintained by the city of Marksville.</p>	
<p>B. VEHICLE SAFETY</p> <p>References: Dept. Reg. OP-A-3</p>		
<p>I-B-001 Offender Transport Escorted and unescorted absences of state offenders are governed by R.S. 15:811 and 833 and DPS&C Department Regulation No. OP-A-3 "Escorted Absences." All funeral trips for DOC offenders shall be conducted via video visitation. Any exceptions require prior approval from the Chief of Operations. Visual Inspection: documentation of staff training, documentation of medical, funeral, etc. (outside trips)</p>	<p>Compliant- Facility follows department regulations on offender transport to medical facilities. Request for approval for funeral transport have been sent to DPS&C.</p>	
<p>C. EMERGENCY PREPAREDNESS/RESPONSE</p> <p>References: ACA CJS 1-1C-01, 1-1C-02, 1-1C-03, 1-1C-04, 1-1C-06, 1-1C-07, 1-7E-01, Dept. Regs. PS-D-3, OP-A-5, OP-B-3, AM-I-4</p>		
<p>I-C-001 Emergency Plan (MANDATORY) There is a written plan, submitted to the Secretary of DPS&C, that specify the procedures to be followed in situations that threaten facility security. Such situations include but are not limited to riots, hunger strikes, disturbances, taking of hostages, and natural or man-made disasters. These plans are made available to all applicable personnel and are reviewed annually and updated as needed. All facility personnel are trained annually in the implementation of the emergency plan. An evacuation plan is used in the event of fire or major emergency. The plan is approved by the state fire marshal, reviewed annually, and updated, if necessary. There are written procedures for significant unusual occurrences or facility emergencies including but not limited to natural or man-made disasters; major disturbances such as riots, hostage situations, escapes, fires, deaths, serious illness or injury and assaults or other acts of violence. Such procedures include the reporting of these incidents to the DPS&C, OAS, telephone 800-803-8748 during normal business hours or the control center at EHCC, telephone 800-842-4399 after hours, when they involve DPS&C offenders. In addition, the facility shall follow the incident reporting procedures as outlined in Dept. Reg. AM-I-4, "Activity Reports, UORs," Category A, B and C. Visual Inspection: training records, facility logs, documentation of approval of plan, documentation of annual review, documentation of staff receipt, training on the plan</p>	<p>Compliant- The facility has an emergency plan in place. The emergency plan has been submitted to the FM for review and approval. The FM received the emergency plans on 8/24 after the audit. A copy of the letter has been placed on file and the plans sent the DPS&C.</p>	



	Findings	Response
<p>I-C-002 Immediate Release of Offenders There is a means for the immediate release of inmates from locked areas in case of emergency and there are provisions for a backup system. The facility has exits that are properly positioned, are clear from obstruction, and are distinctly and permanently marked to ensure the timely evacuation of offenders and staff in the event of fire or other emergency.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: facility records/logs</p>	<p>Compliant- The facility has exits marked and are free from obstruction. All exits are operated manually by using a key to unlock the door to exit the facility. Some lockdown doors are hard to open. Maintenance was present to address the problems with the doors and repair them.</p>	
<p>I-C-003 Fire Safety/Code Conformance (MANDATORY) The facility complies with the requirements of the state fire marshal. There is a specific plan for addressing deficiencies, if any, that is approved by the State Fire Marshal. The State Fire Marshal approves any variances, exceptions, or equivalencies.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: documentation of fire alarm and detection system maintenance and testing, plans for addressing deficiencies</p>	<p>Compliant- Facility is inspected by the FM annually. The inspection was done 3/24/22 with no apparent deficiencies.</p>	
<p>I-C-004 Facility Furnishings Facility furnishings meet fire-safety-performance requirements.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: Specifications for all furnishings.</p>	<p>Compliant- Facility furnishings when purchased meet specifications. Mattresses need recovering.</p>	
<p>I-C-005 Flammable, Caustic and Toxic Materials Written policy, procedure and practice govern the control and use of all flammable, toxic and caustic materials.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: Staff training records, offender training records, internal inspection reports. Documentation of incidents that involved FTC materials. Inventories.</p>	<p>Compliant- FTC are stored properly.</p>	
<p>I-C-006 Operational Capacity The number of offenders present does not exceed the operational capacity as determined by the state fire marshal and state health officer. The state fire marshal will determine a capacity primarily based upon exiting capabilities. The state health officer will determine a capacity based upon the ratio of plumbing fixtures to offenders and square footage. The operational capacity will be the lower of these two figures.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: facility count sheets</p>	<p>Compliant- Facility operates within operational capacity. Count was 366 this day and operational capacity is 438.</p>	



	Findings	Response
PART II - SECURITY		
A. PROTECTION FROM HARM		
References: ACA CJS 1-2A-01, 1-2A-04, 1-2A-05, 1-2A-06, 1-2A-08, 1-2A-11, 1-2A-13, 1-2A-14, 1-2A-16, 1-2A-17, 1-2A-19, 1-2A-20, Dept. Regs. AM-F-47, IS-B-1, OP-C-3		
II-A-001 Control There is 24-hour monitoring and coordinating of the facility's security, life safety, and communications systems. Visual Inspection: facility records/logs, maintenance records, records of staff deployment	Compliant- Facility has staff working 24 hours daily and a camera monitoring room. Facility is faced with staff shortages at times.	
II-A-002 Secure Perimeter The facility's perimeter is controlled by appropriate means to ensure that offenders are secured remain within the perimeter and that access by the general public is denied without proper authorization. Visual Inspection: documentation of receipt of job description by staff, documentation of annual review and updating, photos of perimeter controls	Compliant- There is a perimeter fence around the jail.	
II-A-003 Sufficient Staff There is a written document describing the facility's organization and staffing plan. This should include an organizational chart that groups similar functions, services and activities. Each facility meets minimum security staffing requirements which reflect good correctional practice. Sufficient staff, including a designated supervisor, are provided at all times to perform functions relating to the security, custody, and supervision of offenders and, as needed to operate the facility in conformance with the BJC. Visual Inspection: records of staff deployment, facility logs, documentation of annual review of staffing analysis and plan	Compliant- Staff rosters and organizational chart on file. Adequate staff was present on the day of the audit. Facility faces staff shortages at times.	
II-A-004 Female Offenders and Female Staff When a female offender is housed in a facility, at least one female staff member is on duty at all times. Visual Inspection: records of staff deployment, facility logs	Compliant- Facility logs on file where female officer is present when a female offender is booked at the jail. Once booked she is transported to the female facility.	
II-A-005 No Offender Control Over Others No offender or group of offenders is given control, or allowed to exert authority over other offenders. Visual Inspection: written policy and procedure	Compliant- Policy on file where offenders have no control over others.	



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<p>II-A-006 Staff Log (MANDATORY) Correctional staff maintain a permanent log and prepares shift reports that record routine information, emergency situations and unusual incidents. The facility shall maintain written records or logs which continuously document the following information:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Personnel on duty; 2. Offender population; 3. Admission and release of offenders; 4. Shift activities; 5. Entry/exit of all visitors including legal/medical; 6. Unusual occurrences or facility emergencies (including but not limited to major and minor disturbances such as riots, hostage situations, fires, escapes, deaths, serious illness or injury and assaults or other acts of violence.) Refer to BJJG I-C-001 for reporting requirements to DPS&C. <p>Visual Inspection: copies of log book, records of staff deployment</p>	<p>Compliant- Staff rosters on file, a list of offender population present, any offenders being booked or released is logged. UOR's are written for any unusual incidents.</p>	
<p>II-A-007 Counts (MANDATORY) The facility has a system for physically counting offenders. At least one formal count is conducted for each shift, with no less than 3 counts daily. The system includes strict accountability for offenders assigned to work and other approved temporary absences.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: completed forms, facility records/logs.</p>	<p>Compliant- Counts sheets on file. Counts being conducted and called into booking.</p>	
<p>II-A-008 Offender Population Management System There is an offender population management process that includes records on the admission, processing, and release of offenders. Written policy, procedure, and practice provide for offender case record management that includes at a minimum, maintenance of the following documents and information. This offender record and any re-entry transition document envelopes shall be transferred with the offender at such time the offender is transferred to another local or DPS&C facility.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Master prison form; • Bill of Information and Court Minutes OR Uniform Commitment Order; • One photograph; • Reports of disciplinary actions, grievances, incidents or crimes committed while in custody; • Records of program participation, work assignments, and classification actions; • Any government issued identification (i.e., driver's license, social security card or birth certificate/birth card or any other valid identification); • Offender health record (see BJJG IV-D-004). • Cash receipts and property receipts 	<p>Compliant- Information kept on offenders to include master prison record, bill of information, photo, any disciplinary reports, participation in programs, id's, and property.</p>	



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<p>In addition to the maintenance of the above information, the following shall be collected after sentencing and forwarded to the appropriate DPS&C Pre-Class Coordinator, along with any additional sentencing information, within three working days either by fax to 225-342-3759 or email to DOC- HQ_supplemental@la.gov.</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Master prison form; 2. DPS&C Credit for DOC Commitment (Jail Credit letter); 3. AFIS suspect Rap Sheet with Photo (to include offender's SID # and ATN # for the disposition of the Hard Labor disposition); 4. Bill of Information and Court Minutes or Uniform Commitment Order (UCO) for each conviction (for probation violators both the original sentencing minutes and the revocation UCO or minutes are required); and 5. DPS&C Acknowledgements and Signature Statement form. <p>Visual Inspection: completed forms, reports, offender record</p>		
<p>II-A-009 Intake - Legal Commitment and Medical Service Prior to accepting custody of an offender, staff determine that the offender is legally committed to the facility, and that the offender is not in need of immediate medical attention and/or mental health services.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: Completed Admission forms, facility logs.</p>	<p>Compliant- Transfers of offenders to the facility is on file. Approved transfer sheets on file.</p>	
<p>II-A-010 Admissions Admission processes for a newly admitted offender include, but are not limited to:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> ●Searching of the offender and personal property; ●Inventorying and providing secure storage of personal property; ●Providing an itemized receipt for personal property; ●Recording of basic personal data; ●Performing a criminal history check; ●Photographing and fingerprinting; ●Separating from the general public; ●Providing a health screening to assess and identify any health and safety needs in accordance with BJJ IV-C-006; ●Providing information about access to health services, copay requirements and submitting grievances. <p>Visual Inspection: intake and admission forms, screening forms, inventory form, receipt form</p>	<p>Compliant-Offender property searched and inventoried. Offenders sign for property. Health screening done upon admission.</p>	
<p>II-A-011 Out of State Offenders The names of any out of state offender (federal or state) to be housed at a local jail or privately managed facility shall be submitted to the Chief of Operations prior to the offender(s) entering the State of LA. No such offender shall be housed if the offender would be classified as maximum custody under the LA DPS&C classification procedures. Any offender convicted and sentenced to incarceration by a court in another state (federal or state) shall not be released in the State of LA. Any out of state offender (federal or state) housed in a local jail or privately managed facility shall be returned to an appropriate correctional facility located within the state where the offender was convicted and sentenced for release in that state, prior to the offender's release date.</p>	<p>Compliant- No out of state offenders housed at the facility.</p>	



	Findings	Response
Visual Inspection: offender record, submittal to chief of operations of out-of-state offenders to be housed at the facility, release/transfer documentation		
II-A-012 Classification System Written policy, procedure, and practice provide for a written offender classification plan that includes custody required and assignment to appropriate housing. Offender management and housing assignment considers age, gender, legal status, custody needs, behavioral issues, and other unique needs or issues as they arise. All offenders are classified using an objective classification process that at a minimum: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Identifies the appropriate level of custody for each offender • Identifies appropriate housing assignment • Identifies the offender's interest and eligibility to participate in available programs 	Compliant- There is a classification process in place to assign offenders custody level, housing assignments and any programs the offender may be eligible to participate.	
Visual Inspection: offender housing records, offender classification records		
II-A-013 Prohibition on Youthful Offenders Offenders subject to juvenile jurisdiction are housed in adult facilities only under the conditions established by law. If juveniles are committed to the facility, a plan is in place to provide for the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Supervision and programming needs of the juveniles to ensure their safety, security, and education; • Classification and housing plans; • Appropriately trained staff. OAS shall be notified of offenders who are under the age of 18 that are sentenced to the DPS&C as an adult for transfer to the appropriate institution.	Compliant- The facility houses some juvenile offenders from OJJ in Bunkie. The juveniles are kept separate from all other offenders.	
Visual Inspection: admission and housing, offender records, classification records		
II-A-014 Separation in Classification Male and female offenders must be housed in separate rooms/cells with reasonable sight and sound separation.	Compliant- Male and female offenders are housed in 2 separate facilities. Females are not housed at DC1.	
Visual Inspection: offender housing records, offender classification records, diagram of facility showing male/female housing areas		
II-A-016 Photo Identification (MANDATORY) The facility shall provide each DPS&C offender with photo identification, which the offender shall carry/wear on their person at all times.	Compliant- Offenders are issued photo identification.	
Visual Inspection: Offender identification card/wristband.		
II-A-017 Drug Free Workplace Written policy, procedure, and practice provide for a drug-free workplace, which includes at a minimum pre-employment testing, post-accident testing, reasonable suspicion/probable cause testing, and quarterly random testing of all employees.	Compliant- Facility conducts employee drug testing. Testing is reported on monthly report.	
Visual Inspection: drug testing lab fee bills for drug testing of facility employees (including pre-employment, post accident, reasonable suspicion/probable cause, random).		
II-A-018 Offender Drug Testing (MANDATORY) Written policy, procedure, and practice provide for alcohol/drug testing, both randomly and for probable cause. Facility policy will require that a minimum of 5% of the DPS&C offender population shall be drug tested on a monthly basis.	Compliant- Offender drug testing being done and facility meets the 5% minimum.	



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Visual Inspection: Facility log, documentation of alcohol/drug testing of offenders.		
<p>II-A-019 Offender Transfers All transfers of DPS&C offenders to other than DPS&C facilities shall be reported to the OAS, at least one day prior to all scheduled transfers and within one business day for all non-scheduled transfers. The DOC offender transfer form shall be submitted by the transferring facility to OAS at least one day prior to the transfer occurring by fax to 225-342-2439 or by email to LocalJailTransfers@la.gov. Offenders should not be transferred to other than DPS&C facilities within 60 days of release, unless for disciplinary reasons. An offender scheduled for an appearance before the Committee on Parole shall not be transferred prior to the scheduled hearing date. However, if the transfer is deemed unavoidable by the Warden due to security concerns, the Warden shall obtain prior approval for an exception from the DPS&C Chief of Operations or designee. Staff from the sending facility shall notify the Committee on Parole as soon as it is known that the offender must be transferred.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: facility logs, documentation of transfers of DPS&C offenders to other than DPS&C facilities</p>	<p>Compliant- Any transfers done are submitted to OAS for approval prior to transfer. Documentation on file with approval of transfers.</p>	
<p>II-A-020 Cell Checks Written policy, procedure, and practice provide secure, safe housing by establishing the frequency of cell checks in all cellblock areas not to exceed four (4) hours. Staff will document these checks in their staff logs.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: Facility logs, documentation of frequency of cell checks.</p>	<p>Compliant- Log book documentation of rounds/cell checks. Checks do not exceed the 4 hour time frame.</p>	



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B. USE OF PHYSICAL FORCE		
References: ACA CJS 1-2B-01, 1-2B-02, 1-2B-03, 1-2B-05, 1-2B-06, 1-4D-12, Dept. Regs. HCP33, HCP40, OP-A-19, OP-A-16, OP-A-3		
<p>II-B-001 Use of Force The use of force is restricted to instances of justifiable self-defense, protection of others, protection of property, and prevention of escapes, and then only as a last resort and in accordance with appropriate statutory authority. Written policy, procedure, and practice govern the use of force and provide that force shall never be used as punishment. When an incident involving use of force with a DPS&C offender results in the termination and/or arrest of an employee, the facility shall immediately report the incident to the DPS&C, Office of Adult Services, telephone number 800-803-8748 during normal business hours or the control center at Elayn Hunt Correctional Center, telephone number 800-842-4399 after hours. In addition, the facility shall provide a written report of the incident to the DPS&C, Chief of Operations within three business days.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: facility records, logs, incident reports, training records</p>	<p>Compliant-Policy in file for use of force. Employees receive training on use of force during annual training. Incident reports in file.</p>	
<p>II-B-002 Use of Restraints Written policy, procedure, and practice provide that mechanical restraints, such as handcuffs and leg irons, are never applied as punishment. There are defined circumstances under which supervisory approval is needed prior to application. Restraints on offenders for medical and psychiatric purposes are only applied in accordance with policies and procedures approved by the health authority, including:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Conditions under which restraints may be applied; • Types of restraints to be applied; • Identification of a qualified medical or behavioral health professional who may authorize the use of restraints after reaching the conclusion that less intrusive measures are not a viable alternative; • Monitoring procedures; • Length of time restraints are to be applied; • Documentation of efforts for less restrictive treatment alternatives; • An after incident review. <p>Visual Inspection: facility records, logs</p>	<p>Compliant- Policy in file for proper use of restraints. Employees are trained in the use of restraints. Incident reports on file with use of restraint.</p>	



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<p>II-B-002-1 Use of Restraints for Pregnant Offenders Written policy, procedure, and practice complies with the following requirements: Restraints During Pregnancy The Warden or designee shall ensure the following protocols regarding the use of restraints on pregnant offenders are adhered to: 1. Restraints During the Second and Third Trimester a. The type of restraint applied and the application of the restraint shall be done in the least restrictive manner necessary; b. An electronic restraint belt shall never be used; c. The offender shall never be handcuffed behind the back; d. The offender shall never be restrained using leg irons; and e. The offender shall never be placed in a face down position. 2. Restraints During Active Labor and Delivery a. Restraints shall not be utilized on a pregnant offender during active labor and delivery unless a health care practitioner orders restraints for an offender who, due to a psychiatric or medical disorder, is a danger to herself, her child, her unborn child, or other persons. b. If restraints are utilized during active labor and delivery, the type of restraint applied and the application of the restraint shall be done in the least restrictive manner necessary. c. The Unit Medical Director shall provide guidance on the use of restraints on pregnant offenders prior 3. Restraints During Pregnancy-Related Medical Distress, Transportation, and the Period Following Delivery a. Restraints shall not be used on a pregnant offender 1) During any pregnancy-related medical distress,</p>	<p>Compliant- Policy in place for the use of restraints on pregnant female offenders. Female offenders not housed at the facility. If a female is booked at the jail she is then transported to the female facility. Copy on file of pregnant female booked and transported to the female facility only using handcuffs placed in front.</p>	



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<p>2) While she is being transported to a medical facility or LCIW for delivery or any pregnancy-related medical distress, or 3) During the period following delivery before the offender has been discharged from the medical delivery, unless there are compelling grounds to believe that the offender presents either of the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> i. An immediate and serious threat of physical harm to herself, staff, or others; or ii. A substantial flight risk and the offender cannot be reasonably contained by other means. <p>b. If restraints are utilized during transportation or the period following delivery, the offender shall not be restrained using waist restraints under any circumstances.</p> <p>4. Removal of Restraints: If a health care professional treating the pregnant offender requests, based on his or her professional medical judgment, that restraints not be used, the correctional personnel accompanying the pregnant offender shall immediately remove all restraints.</p> <p>5. Documentation of Restraints on Pregnant Offenders</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> a. Should restraints be used on a pregnant offender, within ten days of the use of restraints a written record shall be made to include the following: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> 1) The type of restraint used; 2) The circumstances that necessitated the use of restraints; and 3) The length of time the restraints were used. b. This written record shall be retained in the offender's master record for a minimum of five years, but shall not constitute a medical record. c. This written record shall be made available as a public records request with the offender's identifying information redacted, unless the offender gives prior written consent for the public release of the record. <p>Visual Inspection: facility records, logs</p>		
<p>II-B-003 Use of Firearms The use of firearms complies with the following requirements.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Weapons are subject to stringent safety regulations and inspections. •A secure weapons locker is located outside the secure perimeter of the facility. •Except in emergency situations, firearms and authorized weapons are permitted only in designated areas to which offenders have no access. •Employees supervising offenders outside the facility perimeter follow procedures for the security of weapons. •Employees are instructed to use deadly force only after other actions have been tried and found ineffective, unless the employee believes that a person's life is immediately threatened. •Employees on duty use only firearms or other security equipment that have been approved by the facility administrator. •Appropriate equipment is provided to facilitate safe unloading and loading of firearms. <p>Visual Inspection: training records, safety regulation and inspection reports, photos of equipment used for unloading and reloading</p>	<p>Compliant- Employees are trained annually in use of firearms.</p>	



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<p>II-B-004 Written Reports Written reports are submitted to the facility administrator or designee no later than the conclusion of the tour of duty when any of the following occur:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Discharge of a firearm or other weapon •Use of less lethal devices to control offenders •Use of force to control offenders •Offender(s) remaining in restraints at the end of the shift •Emergency distribution of security equipment <p>Visual Inspection: completed reports, facility records and logs</p>	<p>Compliant- Reports are done and on file of incidents that occurred at the facility.</p>	
<p>C. CONTRABAND/SEARCHES</p>		
<p>References: ACA CJS 1-2C-01, 1-2C-04, Dept. Reg. OP-A-8</p>		
<p>II-C-001 Procedures for Searches Written policy, procedure and practice guide searches of facilities and offenders to control contraband. Manual or instrument inspection of body cavities is conducted only when there is reasonable belief that the offender is concealing contraband and when authorized by the facility administrator or designee. Health care personnel will conduct manual or instrument inspections in private.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: observation, facility records and logs, offender and staff interviews</p>	<p>Compliant-Policy on file for search procedures. Searches of offenders and there property being done. Logs on file of searches.</p>	
<p>D. ACCESS TO KEYS, TOOLS, UTENSILS</p>		
<p>References: ACA CJS 1-2D-01</p>		
<p>II-D-001 Key, Tool, and Utensil Control (MANDATORY) Keys, tools, culinary equipment and medical/dental instruments and supplies (syringes, needles and other sharps) are inventoried and use is controlled. Written policy, procedure and practice govern the control and use of keys, tools, culinary equipment, and medical/dental instruments and supplies.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: documentation of perpetual inventories</p>	<p>Compliant- Keys are being logged in logbooks, tools and kitchen utensils are all on inventory and being signed in and out properly. Tools are on inventory.</p>	



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PART III - ORDER		
A. OFFENDER DISCIPLINE		
References: ACA CJS 1-2A-15, 1-3A-01, 1-6C-02, 1-6C-03, 1-6C-04, Dept. Reg. OP-C-1		
<p>III-A-001 Rules and Discipline (MANDATORY) Prior to being placed in the general population, each offender is provided with an orientation that includes facility rules and regulations, including access to medical care and the process for applying for restoration of good time. The facility shall follow and provide the DPS&C "Disciplinary Rules and Procedures for Adult Offenders", to the offender population. The offender must sign and date a statement acknowledging receipt of this information. •If the Sheriff or local jail administrator believes that a loss of good time is appropriate, then the incident shall be fully documented and the offender transferred to the DPS&C for a disciplinary hearing to ensure due process in accordance with La. R.S. 15:571.4.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: offender records, disciplinary records, receipt of disciplinary rules, documentation of orientation</p>	<p>Compliant- DPS&C offenders are sent to regional court at RLCC via phone in order to take good time for disciplinary reports.</p>	



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PART IV - CARE		
A. FOOD SERVICES		
References: ACA CJA 1-4A-01, 1-4A-02, 1-4A-04, 1-4A-06, Dept. Reg. IS-C-1		
IV-A-001 Food Storage Facilities There are sanitary facilities for the storage of all foods that comply with applicable state and/or federal guidelines. Visual Inspection: DHH inspection reports, internal inspection reports	Compliant- Food storage facilities are clean. DHH inspection for retail food done 2/11/22.	
IV-A-002 Food Service Facilities Toilet and hand basin facilities are available to food service personnel in the food preparation area. Visual Inspection: DHH inspection reports, photos	Compliant- Toilet and hand wash basin is working and available in the kitchen for food service personnel.	
IV-A-003 Food/Dietary Allowances (MANDATORY) The facility's dietary allowances are reviewed at least annually by a qualified nutritionist or dietician to ensure they meet the national recommended dietary allowances for basic nutrition for appropriate age groups. Menu evaluations are conducted at least quarterly by food service supervisory staff to verify adherence to the established basic daily servings. Written policy, procedure, and practice require that food service staff plan menus and substantially follow the plan. The planning and preparation of all meals shall take into consideration nutritional characteristics and caloric adequacy. The facility shall provide a tray/plate and utensil(s) for each hot meal. Visual Inspection: annual reviews, nutritionist or dietician qualifications, documentation of at least annual review and quarterly menu evaluations	Compliant- A licensed dietician from Lamn Food services (Jennifer Jackson) reviews the meals and prepares the menus for the facility.	
IV-A-004 Records of Meals Served Written policy, procedure, and practice require that accurate records are maintained of all meals served. Visual Inspection: facility logs	Compliant- A record of meals served is kept and number of offenders fed at the facility.	
IV-A-005 Denial of Food as Discipline Prohibited Written policy, procedure, and practice preclude the denial of food as a disciplinary measure. Visual Inspection: facility logs	Compliant- Denial of food is not used for disciplinary reasons.	



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<p>IV-A-006 Food Service Management (MANDATORY) Written policy, procedure, and practice require that three meals (including two hot meals) are provided under staff supervision at regular meal times during each 24-hour period, with no more than 14 hours between the evening meal and breakfast. Variations may be allowed based on weekend and holiday food service demands provided basic nutritional goals are met. Offenders shall be provided an ample opportunity to eat for each meal.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: records of meals served and times served, facility logs</p>	<p>Compliant- Facility has policy for meals served and at least 2 hot meals are provided. Breakfast 530am, lunch 1100am, dinner 330pm.</p>	
<p>IV-A-007 Therapeutic/Special Diets Therapeutic and/or special diets are provided as prescribed by appropriate clinicians or when religious beliefs require adherence to religious dietary laws. Written policy, procedure, and practice provide for special diets as prescribed by appropriate medical or dental personnel.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: health records, diet records or forms, documentation of warden's approval of religious diet</p>	<p>Compliant- special diets are available as prescribed by medical.</p>	
<p>IV-A-008 Health Protection for Food Service There is adequate protection for all offenders and staff in the facility and for offenders and other persons working in food service. All persons involved in the preparation of the food receive a pre-assignment inspection by appropriate kitchen staff, to ensure freedom from diarrhea, skin infections, and other illnesses transmissible by food or utensils. Offenders working in food services are monitored each day for health and cleanliness by appropriate kitchen staff. All food handlers are instructed to wash their hands upon reporting to duty and after using toilet facilities.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: inspection reports, completed forms, documentation of daily monitoring for health and cleanliness</p>	<p>Compliant- Inspections and health screenings are done on offender kitchen workers.</p>	
<p>B. HYGIENE</p>		
<p>References: ACA CJS 1-4B-01, 1-4B-02, 1-4B-03, 1-4B-04, Dept. Reg. IS-C-3</p>		
<p>IV-B-001 Plumbing Fixtures - Toilets and Washbasins (MANDATORY) Offenders have access to toilets and washbasins with temperature-controlled hot and cold running water 24 hours per day. Offenders are able to use toilet facilities without staff assistance when they are confined in their cells/sleeping areas.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: maintenance records or reports, inspections, documentation of periodic measurement of water temperature, offender grievances</p>	<p>Compliant- Toilets and wash basins are available and in working condition. Hot and cold running water is available in sinks.</p>	
<p>IV-B-002 Plumbing Fixtures - Showers (MANDATORY) Offenders, including those in medical housing units or infirmaries, have access to operable showers with temperature-controlled hot and cold running water 24 hours per day, on a reasonable schedule, (a minimum of three times per week). Water for showers is thermostatically controlled to temperatures ranging from 100 degrees to 120 degrees Fahrenheit.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: maintenance records or reports, inspections</p>	<p>Compliant- Showers are available. Hot water temperatures are checked and logged. Dorms showers are set for about a two hour time frame. Lock down showers are set for a 3 hour time frame. They are set on timers to assist with water conservation. Showers need some cleaning especially in lock down areas.</p>	



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<p>IV-B-003 Clothing The facility has an obligation to provide adequate institutional clothing appropriate to the season and the offender's work status, including adequate changes of clothing to allow for regular laundering. The facility may fulfill this obligation by furnishing clothing or permitting the offender to secure and wear his own clothing, except that when the offender does not provide adequate clothing for himself, the facility shall furnish same.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: documentation of clothing issue, documentation of cleaning and storage</p>	<p>Compliant- The facility has issued orange clothing for offenders to wear in C & D dorms. The facility is working on having all offenders wearing orange clothing that is housed at the jail.</p>	
<p>IV-B-004 Hygiene/Bedding Issue The facility shall provide adequate bedding and linen, including a clean mattress, sheets, pillow and blanket, not to exclude a mattress with integrated pillow. There are provisions for linen and towel exchange at least weekly. There are provisions for blanket exchange at least monthly.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: documentation of issue and exchange</p>	<p>Compliant- Offenders have mattresses. Several mattress are torn with little or no outer covering. Staff has replaced several mattresses and ordered more to replace or repair other mattresses.</p>	
<p>IV-B-005 Personal Hygiene (MANDATORY) Articles and services necessary for maintaining personal hygiene shall be available to all offenders including items specifically needed for females. Such items shall be provided to any offender (male or female) who is indigent. Each offender shall be provided soap, toilet paper, toothbrush, toothpaste and shaving equipment.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: documentation that items are provided, list of items available</p>	<p>Compliant- A list of hygiene items the facility provides to offenders is on file. Offenders can also purchase additional hygiene items through the commissary.</p>	



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C. CONTINUUM OF HEALTH CARE SERVICES		
References: ACA CJS 1-2A-14, 1-4C-01, 1-4C-03, 1-4C-04, 1-4C-06, 1-4C-07, 1-4C-08, 1-4C-09, 1-4C-10, 1-4C-13, 1-4C-15, 1-4D-01, 1-4D-03, 1-4D-04, 1-4D-06, Dept. Regs. IS-D-2, HP13, HCP14, HCP20, HCP41, HCP42, HCP46, HCP33, HCP22, HCP34, HCP16, HCP7, HCP30, AM-C-4, OP-C-9, AM-I-4		
<p>IV-C-001 Access to Care/Clinical Services (MANDATORY) At the time of admission/intake, all offenders are informed about procedures to access health services, including any copay requirements, as well as procedures for submitting grievances. Medical care is not denied based on an offender's ability to pay. The facility has a designated health authority with responsibility for health care services. The health authority is the health administrator or agency responsible for the provision of health care services at an institution; the responsible physician may be the health authority. When the health authority is other than a physician, final clinical judgments rest with a single, designated, responsible physician.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Written policy, procedure, and practice provide for the delivery of health care services, including medical, mental health, dental and behavioral health services under the control of a designated health care authority who shall be a physician or a licensed or registered health care provider or health agency. Access to these services shall be unimpeded in the sense that correctional staff should not approve or disapprove offender requests for services in accordance with the facility's health care plan. Oral health services include access to diagnostic x-rays, treatment of dental pain, development of individual treatment plans, extractions of non-restorable teeth, and referral to a dental specialist, including an oral surgeon. Specialty non primary clinical services are covered by DPS&C. The requests shall be submitted by the facility staff using the software provided by DPS&C. • In accordance with La. R.S. 15:831, DPS&C offenders may be assessed a co-payment for receiving medical or dental treatment, including prescription or nonprescription drugs. The co-payment fee schedule shall be approved by the DPS&C. Such fee schedule for DPS&C offenders housed in local jail facilities shall not exceed the DPS&C approved rate in accordance with Department Regulation HCP14, unless prior approval has been granted by the Secretary of the DPS&C. • DPS&C offenders may be required to file a claim with his/her private medical or health care insurer, or any public medical assistance program, under which he/she is covered and from which the offender may make a claim for payment or reimbursement of the cost of any such medical treatment. <p>Visual Inspection: Documentation that offenders are informed about health care and the grievance system, a health record, medical copayment fee schedule.</p>	<p>Compliant- Offenders have access to medical care. There are nurses at the facility to provide care to offenders. Medical request by offenders and log of offenders receiving medical treatment is on file.</p>	
<p>IV-C-002 Adequate Equipment and Supplies (MANDATORY) Adequate equipment and supplies for medical services are provided as determined by the health care authority and are in working order. This includes but is not limited to the following; automatic external defibrillators (AEDs) available and in working order, a stock of first aid supplies for the treatment of minor injuries, ambu bag, and a cut down tool.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: Photos</p>	<p>Compliant- An adequate amount of equipment and supplies is kept for the medical services provided.</p>	



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<p>IV-C-003 Provision of Treatment (MANDATORY) The facility has a designated health authority responsible for health care services. Requests for health services are triaged by health trained persons to ensure that needs are addressed in a timely manner in accordance with the severity of the illness. Written policy, procedure and practice provide that anyone who provides health care services to offenders be licensed, registered or certified as appropriate to their respective professional disciplines. Such personnel shall only practice as authorized by their license, registration or certification. Standing orders are used in the treatment of offenders only when authorized in writing by a physician or dentist. (Standing orders are used in the treatment of identified conditions and for the on-sight emergency treatment of an offender.)</p> <p>Visual Inspection: documentation of health authority designation, contract, billing records, sick call request form, a health record, clinical provider schedules, current credentials/licensure</p>	<p>Compliant- The facility has Dr. James Bordelon as the health authority. Offender sick call request is on file.</p>	
<p>IV-C-004 Personnel Qualifications/Credentials Correctional or other personnel who do not have health care licenses may only provide limited health care services as authorized by the responsible health care authority and in accordance with appropriate training. This would typically involve the administration of medication, the following of standing orders as authorized by the responsible health care authority and the administration of first aid/CPR in accordance with POST training. Written policy, procedure and practice approved by the health authority require dispensing and administering prescribed medications by qualified personnel.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: health records, completed medication administration form, personnel records, copies of current credentials or licensure, documentation of compliance with standing orders, health record entries, staff training records</p>	<p>Compliant- Nurses license on file and current.</p>	
<p>IV-C-005 24 Hour Care (MANDATORY) Written policy, procedure, and practice ensure that offenders have access to 24-hour emergency medical, dental, and mental health services, including on-site first aid, basic life support, and transfer to community based services. This requirement may be met by agreement with a local state hospital, a local private hospital, on-call qualified health care personnel (see IV-C-003), or on-duty qualified health care personnel. Decisions regarding access to emergency medical services shall not be the sole province of correctional or other non-health personnel except in accordance with IV-C-004.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: designated facility, provider lists, transportation logs</p>	<p>Compliant- A list of designated facilities are on file to be used in the event medical care is needed.</p>	



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<p>IV-C-006 Health Screens Written policy, procedure and practice require that all DPS&C offenders receive a health screening by health trained or qualified health care personnel upon intake into the facility unless there is documentation of a health screening within the previous 90 days. Screening is conducted in accordance with protocols established by the health authority. If completed by health trained personnel, all intake health screens are to be reviewed by health care personnel as soon as possible. If a facility uses a different screening form, it shall be required to have at a minimum the questions in the Intake Health Care Screening form (IV-C-006-A) provided by DPS&C. The purpose of the health screening is to protect newly admitted offenders who pose a health safety threat to themselves or others from not receiving adequate medical attention. This should include inquiry into:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Current medical, dental or behavioral health problems and communicable diseases; 2. Current treatment plan; 3. Current medications, including psychotropic; 4. History of hospitalization; 5. Suicidal risk assessment; 6. Use of alcohol or other drugs including need for possible detoxification; 7. Possibility of pregnancy; 8. Observation of the following: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Appearance and behavior; b. Body deformities and other physical abnormalities; c. Ease of movement; d. Current physical traumas or characteristics and a determination of whether or not the offender should be recommended for immediate transfer to the DS&C for appropriate care; e. Any physical impairment (hearing, vision, mobility) or other disability which would impede the offender's access to programs or services. Offenders identified with such an impairment or disability shall be transferred to the DPS&C for further evaluation and determination of appropriate housing placement. [Reference 2008 Resolution Agreement: US DOJ and LA DPS&C.] 9. Current health insurance. <p>Visual Inspection: health records, completed screening form, transfer logs</p>	<p>Compliant-Health screening forms during intake/booking process on file.</p>	
<p>IV-C-006-1 Pregnancy Management (MANDATORY) Written policy, procedure and practice require that all pregnant offenders have access to obstetrical services by a qualified provider, including prenatal, peripartum, and postpartum care. The local jail facility shall notify the Department's Medical Director when a DPS&C offender is pregnant to ensure proper placement in a DPS&C facility including transfer if necessary.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: written policy and procedure, health record where pregnant offender received obstetrical services by a qualified provider, notification to DPS&C when DPS&C offender is pregnant , transfer logs</p>	<p>Compliant-No females housed at the facility. Females are housed at another facility.</p>	



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<p>IV-C-007 Communicable Disease and Infection Control Program Communicable diseases are managed in accordance with a written plan approved by the health authority in consultation with local public health officials. The plan includes for the screening, surveillance, treatment, containment, and reporting of infectious diseases. The plan shall comprise of testing to detect communicable diseases, including TB testing, HIV testing, and HCV testing within 14 days of arrival at the facility. If there is documented evidence of TB, HIV, or HCV testing within the last 12 months, new testing is not required. Qualified health care staff will evaluate for signs and symptoms of TB. Infection control measures include the availability of personal protective equipment for staff and hand hygiene promotion throughout the facility. Procedures for handling biohazardous waste and decontaminating medical and dental equipment must comply with applicable local, state, and federal regulations.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: health records, clinic visit logs, documentation of waste pic up and/or cleaning logs</p>	<p>Compliant- Policy in file for infection control program.</p>	
<p>IV-C-008 Annual TB Testing Written policy, procedure and practice require annual testing or medical evaluation for signs and/or symptoms of tuberculosis on all offenders. Annual TB testing will be provided at no cost to the offender. The facility's designated health care authority shall contact the DPS&C Medical Director, telephone number 225-342-1320, when an offender's test for medical signs and/or symptoms of tuberculosis is reported positive. The DPS&C Medical Director will determine if the offender requires physician or mid-level evaluation, based on the reported positive signs or symptoms.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: health records</p>	<p>Compliant- TB testing is done annually at the facility.</p>	
<p>IV-C-009 Chronic Care Program (MANDATORY) At a minimum, offenders with the chronic conditions, diabetes, hypertension, congestive heart failure, asthma, HIV, seizures, conditions requiring Coumadin therapy, or mental illness receive periodic evaluations by a qualified health care provider in accordance with individual chronic care plans. For offenders whose chronic disease cannot be reasonably managed by the local jail facility, a Medical/Mental Health Transfer Request for DOC Offenders at Local Facilities Form JO-1-b shall be completed and email to DOC Headquarters Medical Department at HQ-Medical-MentalHealthtransfers@la.gov. The intake screening form and any other supporting documentation shall also be included when requesting transfers.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: health records</p>	<p>Compliant- Nurses provide medical care and treatment to offenders at the facility. If an offender is needing chronic care then the facility will request a medical transfer for the offender to be transferred to a facility that can provide such treatment.</p>	
<p>IV-C-010 Pharmaceuticals Written policy, procedure, and practice approved by the health authority provide for the proper management of pharmaceuticals. Offenders are provided medication as prescribed.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: health records, completed medication administration forms, inventories</p>	<p>Compliant- Offender medication is dispensed by nurses. MARS are on file for medication given to offenders.</p>	



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<p>IV-C-011 First Aid Kits First aid kits are available in areas of the facility as designated by the responsible health care authority and shall be immediately accessible to housing units.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: location of first aid kits within the facility</p>	<p>Compliant- First aid kits are available throughout the facility.</p>	
<p>IV-C-012 Access to Sick Call (MANDATORY) There is a process for all offenders to initiate requests for health services on a daily basis. Written policy, procedure and practice require that sick call is conducted by a physician and/or other qualified health care personnel who are licensed, registered or certified as appropriate to their respective professional discipline and who practice only as authorized by their license, registration or certification. Sick call shall be available to all offenders as follows:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> •Facilities with fewer than 100 offenders - 1 time per week; •Facilities with 100 to 300 offenders - 3 times per week; •Facilities with more than 300 offenders - 4 times per week. <p>If an offender's custody status precludes attendance at sick call, then arrangements shall be made to provide such services in the place of the offender's detention.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: written policy and procedure</p>	<p>Compliant- Offenders have access to sick call Monday through Friday. They can fill out paper request or send a request on the kiosk in the dorms.</p>	
<p>IV-C-013 Infirmary Care If infirmary care is provided onsite, it complies with applicable state regulations and local licensing requirements. Provisions include 24-hour emergency on-call consultation with a physician, dentist and behavioral health professional. Written policy, procedure and practice provide that any offender who is identified as requiring a medical, dental, or behavioral health need for which care is not readily available from the local facility shall be immediately transferred to DPS&C. It is particularly important that smaller facilities recognize the commitment of the DPS&C to accept into their custody any DPS&C offender whose condition is problematic.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: admission or inpatient records, staffing schedule, completed form C-05-004-B</p>	<p>Compliant- The facility does not have an infirmary. There is a nurses station at the jail where medical care is given.</p>	
<p>IV-C-013-1 Medical Releases (Medical Parole, Medical Treatment Furlough, Compassionate Release) Any offender sentenced to DPS&C custody that meets the medical criteria to be released on Medical Parole, Medical Treatment Furlough or Compassionate Release may be considered after submission of the required documentation in accordance with the corresponding Department Regulation to the DPS&C's Chief Nursing Officer via email to HQ-Medical-MentalHealthTransfers@la.gov or by fax to 225-342-1329.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: health records, documentation of approval of DPS&C's Chief Nursing Officer</p>	<p>Compliant- There has been no medical releases, medical furloughs or compassionate releases from the facility.</p>	

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<p>IV-C-014 Suicide Prevention and Intervention (MANDATORY) There is a written suicide prevention and intervention program that is approved by a behavioral health professional who meets the educational and license/certification criteria specified by his/her respective professional discipline. The program must include specific procedures for handling intake, screening, identifying and continually supervising the suicide-prone offender. All suicide attempts and completions will be reported to the Mental Health Director of DPS&C at mentalhealth@doc.la.gov or (225)202-809. Observation of the suicide-prone offender will vary from continual observation to intervals no greater than fifteen (15) minutes. All staff with responsibility for offender supervision are trained annually in the implementation of the program. Such procedures also shall include the reporting requirements as outlined in BJJ 1-C-001.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: health records, documentation of staff training, documentation of observation of suicide watches.</p>	<p>Compliant- Suicide prevention policy in place. Staff receive training in suicide prevention. The mental health facility located behind the jail Caring Choices provides mental health services. Policy is reviewed by Ms. Regard a mental health professional at the facility.</p>	
<p>IV-C-015 Offender Deaths (MANDATORY) Written policy, procedure, and practice specify and govern the actions to be taken in the event of an offender's death, which includes notification of the coroner of all offender deaths. All attempts to contact the coroner regarding any death shall be thoroughly documented. Such procedures shall also include the reporting requirements as outlined in BJJ I-C-001. In addition, a written report of all offender deaths shall be submitted to DPS&C on Form AM-I-4-x (via email to _DOC-HQ_Cat_A_Notifications@la.gov or via fax to (225) 342 3349).</p> <p>Visual Inspection: notification, reporting requirements, report to DPS&C</p>	<p>Compliant- No offender deaths reported as of day of the audit. Notification will be done in the event of offender death.</p>	
<p>IV-C-016 Notification A visit with an immediate family member shall be granted when an offender is admitted to an intensive care unit (ICU) or trauma center due to a serious bodily injury or due to being a terminally ill offender for the duration of the offender's admission to the ICU or trauma center, unless the Warden or designee provides written notice within 6 hours of the offender's admission to the ICU or trauma center to any immediate family member seeking visitation why such visitation cannot be granted, pursuant to La. R.S. 15:833(A) and Department Regulation OP-C-9; <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • If the offender's admission to the ICU or trauma center occurs between 8:00 p.m. and 4:00 a.m., the Warden or designee shall provide the required written notification within 24 hours of the time the serious bodily injury occurred. • Pursuant to La. R.S. 15:833(A), the Warden or designee shall attempt to notify the offender's immediate family within 8 hours of the medical decision to transport the offender to the ICU or trauma center. • Based on extenuating circumstances, the Warden or designee may extend the definition of an offender's immediate family member. <p>Visual Inspection: notification records</p> </p>	<p>Compliant-No offender admitted to trauma center or ICU for notification to take place. Emergency contact or immediate family member will be notified in the event the offender is admitted.</p>	



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D. HEALTH SERVICES STAFF		
References: ACA CJS 1-4D-02, 1-4D-04, 1-4D-05, 1-4D-07, 1-4D-08, 1-4D-09, 1-4D-10, 1-4D-17, 1-4D-18, Dept. Regs. HCP44, HCP9, HCP10, AM-D-5		
IV-D-001 Health Care Quarterly Meetings (MANDATORY) The health authority meets with the facility administrator at least quarterly. Visual Inspection: documentation of meetings	Non compliant- There was no documentation of quarterly meeting with health authority and facility administrator on file at the day of the audit.	
IV-D-002 Research Written policy, procedure, and practice prohibit offender participation in pharmaceutical, medical, or cosmetic experiments. This policy does not preclude individual treatment of an offender based on his/her needs using a specific medical procedure that is not generally available. Visual Inspection: written policy and procedure	Compliant-Policy in place to prohibit offenders from being used in research.	
IV-D-003 Health Care Personnel/Job Descriptions Health care staff work in accordance with professional specific job descriptions approved by the health authority. Visual Inspection: job descriptions	Compliant-Health care job descriptions on file.	
IV-D-004 Confidentiality of Health Information Information about an offender's health status is confidential. Nonmedical staff only have access to specific medical information on a "need to know" basis in order to preserve the health and safety of the specific offender, other offenders, volunteers, visitors, or correctional staff. An individual health record is maintained for all offenders in accordance with policies and procedures established by the health authority. The health record is made available to, and is used for documentation for all health care personnel. The active health record is maintained separately from the confinement case record and access is controlled. When an offender is transferred to DPS&C or another local facility, the offender's medical record is transferred as well. Visual Inspection: health records, completed consent forms, completed refusal forms	Compliant-All offender health information is kept confidential and in a secure area.	
IV-D-005 Informed Consent Informed consent standards of the jurisdiction are observed and documented for offender care in a language understood by the offender. In the case of minors, the information consent of a parent, guardian or legal guardian applies when required by law. Offenders routinely have the right to refuse medical interventions. When health care is rendered against an offender's will, it is in accordance with state laws and regulations. Involuntary administration of psychotropic medications to offenders may only be accomplished by DPS&C. Visual Inspection: health records, completed consent forms, completed refusal forms	Compliant- Offender consent for medical treatment and refusal forms on file.	
IV-D-006 Emergency Response Emergency medical care, including first aid and basic life support, is provided by all health care professionals and those health-trained correctional staff specifically designated by the facility administrator. All staff responding to health emergencies are trained in CPR. The health authority approves policies and procedures that ensure that emergency supplies and equipment, including automatic external defibrillators (AEDs) are readily available and in working order.	Compliant- Staff is trained in first aid/cpr and AED.	



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Visual Inspection: verification of training, records and certificates		
<p>IV-D-006-1 Emergency Assessment for Intoxication or Suspected Intoxication (MANDATORY) Written policy, procedure, and practice require that presumptively intoxicated offenders are assessed immediately by medical personnel in order to provide lifesaving intervention and make a determination of need for offsite medical attention. Written policy, procedure, and practice provide for access to Naloxone for officers and medical staff, as well as training for its administration.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: verification of training, records and certificates</p>	<p>Compliant- Policy in place for the assessment of offenders for intoxication. Offenders will be assessed by medical if suspicion of intoxication.</p>	
<p>IV-D-007 Internal Review/Quality Assurance (MANDATORY) The health authority approves policies and procedures for identifying and evaluating major risk management events related to offender health care, including offender deaths, preventable adverse outcomes and serious medication errors.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: evaluation of major risk management events</p>	<p>Compliant- Health authority is Dr. James Bordelon and approves the medical procedures and policies.</p>	



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E. SEXUAL ASSAULT		
References: ACA CJS 1-4D-13, 1-4D-15, 1-4D-16, Dept. Regs. PS-D-3, OP-A-15		
<p>IV-E-001 Alleged and Substantiated Sexual Assaults Written policy, procedure, and practice provide for the prevention, detection, response, reporting and investigating of alleged and substantiated sexual assaults. Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) information provided to offenders about sexual abuse/assault includes:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Prevention/intervention; • Self-protection; • Multiple channels of reporting sexual assault and sexual misconduct; • Protection from retaliation; • Treatment and counseling; and • DPS&C zero tolerance for sexual assault and sexual misconduct <p>When the occurrence/allegation of sexual assault or threat involves a DPS&C offender, the facility shall report the incident to DPS&C immediately, as outlined in BJJ I-C-001. An investigation is conducted and documented whenever a sexual assault or threat is reported. Investigative reports shall be submitted to the appropriate DPS&C Regional BJJ Team Leader on Form OP-A-15-e "Standardized Case Report Form." The Regional BJJ Team Leader shall forward any investigation report to the DPS&C PREA Investigation Colonel at Joel.Odom@la.gov. Victims of sexual assault are referred under appropriate security provisions to a community facility for treatment and gathering of evidence.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: documentation of reports to DPS&C, investigative reports</p>	<p>Compliant- Policy on file to address any alleged or substantiated sexual assaults. Any such reports will be reported to DPS&C. Employees are trained in PREA.</p>	



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PART V - OFFENDER PROGRAMS AND ACTIVITY		
A. OFFENDER OPPORTUNITIES FOR IMPROVEMENT		
References: ACA CJS 1-5A-01, Dept. Reg. PS-F-1		
V-A-001 Volunteers/Registration There is an official registration and identification system for volunteers. Visual Inspection: activity schedules, facility logs	Compliant- Copy of a volunteer registration on file, list of volunteer schedule on file.	
V-A-002 Volunteer Services A current schedule of volunteer services is available to all offenders and is posted in appropriate areas of the facility. Visual Inspection: activity schedules, facility logs	Compliant-Facility has a list of volunteer services.	
V-A-003 Visiting Written policy, procedure, and practice govern visiting. The number of visitors an offender may receive and the length of the visits may be limited only by the facility's schedule, space, and personnel constraints, or when the facility administrator can present clear and convincing evidence that such visitation jeopardizes the safety and security of the facility. Conditions under which visits may be denied and visitors may be searched are defined in writing. Provisions are made for special visits in accordance with Department Regulation OP-C-9. Visual Inspection: activity schedules, facility logs	Compliant-The facility is not doing in person visiting. Visiting is done by video visiting. Offenders have kiosk in the dorms for video visits.	
V-A-004 Religious Programs Written policy, procedure, and practice define and provide reasonable offender opportunity for religious practice. Visual Inspection: activity schedules, facility logs	Compliant- Church services are provided	
V-A-005 Exercise and Recreation Access (MANDATORY) Offenders have access to exercise and recreation opportunities. Written policy, procedure, and practice provide for exercise opportunities adequate to ensure major muscle activity. Outdoor exercise shall be available on a regular basis (at least three times per week-weather permitting) for DPS&C offenders. If a DPS&C offender requires special management or has security supervision needs which preclude the opportunity for outdoor exercise at a facility, then he or she shall be transferred to the DPS&C. If a facility based on location, or other legitimate concern, does not make provision for outdoor exercise, then compensating dedicated exercise facilities of adequate size to provide three exercise opportunities per week shall be available. Visual Inspection: activity schedules, facility logs	Compliant-Offenders have access to yard for recreation. Documentation in log book with offenders going out on the yard.	



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B. PROGRAMS AND SERVICES		
References: ACA CJS 1-4C-02, 1-5B-01, 1-5B-01-1, 1-5B-01-2, 1-5B-01-3, 1-5B-02, 1-5B-02-1, 1-5B-02-2, 1-5B-04, 1-5C-01, 1-5C-04, 1-5C-06, Dept. Regs PS-D-3, IS-B-1, HCP7, PS-E-1, PS-C-1, AM-C-2, PS-I-1, OP-C-9, OP-C-7		
<p>V-B-001 Programs and Services Written policy, procedure, and practice provide for the availability of offender programs, services, and counseling. Such programming may be obtained from acceptable internal or external sources which should include, at a minimum, assistance in obtaining individualized educational program instruction at a variety of levels. The local jail facility shall maintain class files on all DPS&C approved programming, whether the program is administered by DPS&C or other staff. The class files should include at a minimum:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Screening of the offender(s) for program placement; 2. Offender application to program; 3. Program sign-in sheets and/or attendance rosters; 4. Student Education Records shall be maintained at the facility. The student record includes but is not limited to the WorkReady U Intake form (which includes Demographics, Self-Disclosure Information, Release Statement, Family Educational Rights and Privacy Act- FERPA, Grievance Procedure, Class Rules, test scores, certificates, diplomas, etc.; 5. Copies of certificates of program completion, skills certifications, etc.; 6. Signed copy of CTRP credit forms; 7. Documentation for staff oversight if program is not administered and/or overseen by DPS&C staff; and/or 8. Signed Reentry Preparation Refusal form if offender refused program. 	<p>Compliant- A list of CTRP classes provided for offenders to participate.</p>	
<p>Visual Inspection: activity schedules, facility records and logs, offender records</p>		



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<p>V-B-002 Educational Programming The DPS&C and the facility encourage educational programming which includes: Adult Basic Education and/or Literacy; Industry Based Certification Training; Pell-eligible Post-Secondary Training; Peer Tutor/Mentor Implementation. Any planned or proposed programs for education in local jail facilities that house DPS&C offenders shall be submitted to the DPS&C Education Director for review and approval. If the DPS&C implements the educational program in cooperation with the facility, compliance measures must be followed to abide by the terms of the funding sources, as well as state and federal regulations. A determination of ATLO needs will be determined with the facility during implantation of education programs. During this time the party responsible for cost of ATLO lab, devices, etc. will be determined. In some cases, technology is utilized for Education and Reentry purposes (ATLO Software). This will be determined during the needs assessment of the facility. The cost of ATLO lab and services will be determined.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: activity schedule, facility logs</p>	<p>Compliant- Educational classes offered to offenders. Class rosters on file.</p>	
<p>V-B-003 Substance Abuse Programs The facility encourages offender participation in substance abuse programs when available. The continuum of substance abuse programming includes:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Substance Abuse Education/Relapse Prevention; 2. 12 Step Recovery Meetings (i.e., Alcoholics Anonymous/Narcotics Anonymous); 3. Living in Balance: Moving from a Life of Addiction to a Life of Recovery. <p>Provisions for offender referrals and transfers to DPS&C approved intensive residential substance abuse programs are made prior to placement in a transitional work program or release from custody.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: activity schedule, facility logs</p>	<p>Compliant-Programs offered. List of programs on file.</p>	
<p>V-B-004 Library Services Reading materials shall be available to offenders on a reasonable basis.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: activity schedule, facility logs</p>	<p>Compliant- A library cart goes to the dorms providing reading material.</p>	



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<p>V-B-005 Mail and Correspondence Offenders may send and receive mail. Indigent offenders shall have access to postage necessary to send two personal letters per week, postage necessary to send out approved legal mail. Offenders are notified in writing when incoming or outgoing letters are withheld in part or in full. Written policy, procedure, and practice govern offender correspondence. Such policy shall include the following provisions:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Both incoming and outgoing offender mail (except privileged mail) may be opened and inspected for contraband. Mail may be read or rejected only when the facility administrator or his designee determines through relevant information that the correspondence contains material that interferes with legitimate penological objectives (including but not limited to deterrence of crime, rehabilitation of offenders, or maintenance of internal/external security of a facility); 2. Privileged correspondence is defined as mail to or from: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Identifiable courts; b. Identifiable prosecuting attorneys; c. Identifiable Probation and Parole Officers, Parole and Board of Pardons; d. State and local chief executive officers; e. Identifiable attorneys; f. Secretary, Deputy Secretary, Chief of Operations, Undersecretary, Assistant Secretary and other officials and administrators of the grievance system of the DPS&C; g. Local, state, or federal law enforcement agencies and officials. 3. Incoming privileged correspondence shall not be opened or inspected except in the presence of the offender to verify that the correspondence does not contain material that is not entitled to privilege; 4. Outgoing privileged mail may be posted sealed; <p>5. Incoming and outgoing privileged mail may be opened and inspected outside the offender's presence in the following circumstances:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. Letters that are unusual in appearance or appear different from mail normally received or sent by the individual or public entity; b. Letters that are of a size or shape not customarily received or sent by the individual or public entity; c. Letters that have a city and/or state postmark that is different from the return address; d. Letters that are leaking, stained, or emitting a strange or unusual odor or have a powdery residue; and/or e. When reasonable suspicion of illicit activity has resulted in a formal investigation and such inspection has been authorized by the Secretary or designee. <p>Visual Inspection: activity schedule, facility logs</p>	<p>Compliant- Offenders can receive and send out mail. Logs on file showing offenders receiving mail.</p>	
<p>V-B-006 Packages and Publications Written policy, procedure, and practice govern offender access to publication and packages from outside source.</p> <p>Visual Inspection:</p>	<p>Compliant-Offenders can receive packages that is approved by administration.</p>	



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V-B-007 Canteen/Commissary Spending Limits The offender commissary spending limit shall be \$200. Visual Inspection: facility logs/store sheet	Compliant- Policy in place for commissary and when offenders can access commissary. Store sheets on file.	



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C. REENTRY		
References: Dept. Regs. IS-B-6, BOP3, IS-B-7, HCP31		
<p>V-C-001 Releasing Offenders</p> <p>Procedures for releasing offenders from the facility include, but are not limited to, the following:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Return of personal property, to include any government issued identification card (i.e., driver's license) that may have been collected from the offender during the intake process. Provide offender with/and have him/her sign for any DPS&C Transition Document Envelopes (TDE) and all its contents if present at the facility. Otherwise, inform offender their TDE (if they have one) will be mailed to their release address on record. • Provision of a listing of available community resources. • Consideration by the prescribing health care practitioner for a provision of a 5-day supply of current maintenance medication (medication prescribed to stabilize a chronic medical or behavioral health illness), along with a prescription for thirty (30) days of medication upon transfer or discharge. • Prior to release, offenders with serious medical and behavioral health conditions are referred to available community services. All efforts shall be made to schedule any medical/mental health appointments prior to release. Appropriate health information is shared with the new providers in accordance with consent requirements. This information shall be documented in the offender's medical record. • Offenders identified as needing transportation, should be afforded a bus ticket from the facility to the residence plan address listed on the release paperwork. • For offenders with out of state residence plans, screen and complete an ICOT 4-6 months prior to release and submit to local P&P district. If offender has no address, shelter placement shall be done by Local Jail Transitional Specialist or staff. • Provision of adequate street clothing for indigent offenders. Offenders shall not release in any prison issued attire, including but not limited to jumpsuits, striped scrubs, or stenciled clothing. <p>Visual Inspection: facility log, activity schedule</p>	<p>Compliant- Offenders are releasing with Id's, list of community services and receive any property belonging to them.</p>	



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<p>V-C-002 Regional Reentry Programs Facilities shall remain in compliance with any separate contract with the facility through which the DPS&C reimburses for reentry programming which includes:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Employment opportunities through referral and transfer to transitional work programs, or when inappropriate, for transitional work program placement, enrollment in the Reentry Workforce Portal, and outside service providers to connect discharging offenders with employment opportunities upon release; 2. At least two forms of valid identification upon release, preferably a Louisiana State ID and Social Security Card; 3. The development of a residential plan prior to release; 4. Referral to community based service providers upon release. 5. Ensuring that all DPS&C offenders complete 100 hours of pre- release training at a regional reentry center prior to transfer to a transitional work program or release from custody. <p>Regional Reentry Programs shall maintain reentry transition document envelopes for all DPS&C offenders housed in local jails in their region, which include at a minimum, if applicable:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Any valid forms of identification; 2. Prescriptions and Medicaid card; 3. Community service referrals; and 4. CRANNUAL printed report. <p>Regional Reentry Programs shall coordinate with local jails and Probation & Parole Districts in their region to insure offenders receive their Transition Document Envelopes (TDE) either prior to release or upon release. Regional Reentry programs shall mail TDE's to the release address on record for offenders who release full term and cannot be provided the TDE before release.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: documentation of employment opportunity, documentation of two forms of identification, residential plan</p>	<p>Compliant- Offenders release with 2 forms of ID, community services, personal property, and any medication.</p>	
<p>V-C-003 Pre-Parole Preparation The facility shall complete Form IS-B-7-c "Pre-Parole TIGER Questionnaire for Local Jail Facilities" and submit via e-mail to DPS&C Headquarters at mleger@la.gov or by fax to (225) 342-3095 within the first two weeks of the month preceding the scheduled hearing.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: offender record, completed questionnaire</p>	<p>Compliant- Tiger questionnaire is being done. Copy on file.</p>	
<p>V-C-004 Parole Board Procedures The facility Warden or his/her designee, of the local level facility in which the offender is housed, shall be present to provide information to members of the Parole Board regarding the offender's progress and disciplinary infractions during incarceration.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: offender record, trip log, documentation showing facility Warden or designee presence at parole board</p>	<p>Compliant- Parole hearings are done by zoom. Staff is present for parole hearings.</p>	

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D. TRANSITIONAL WORK PROGRAMS		
References: Dept. Regs. PS-D-3, ISB-1		
V-D-001 Transitional Work Program/Standard Operation Procedures Transitional Work Programs shall be operated in accordance with the Standard Operating Procedures for Offender Transitional Work Programs established by DPS&C. Visual Inspection: DPS&C Monitoring Report	Facility does not have a TWP	
V-D-002 Participation in Transitional Work Program Participation in Transitional Work Programs by DPS&C offenders shall comply with La. R.S. 15:711 and DPS&C Department Regulation IS-B-1 "Assignment and Transfer of Offenders." Specific approval by the Secretary of DPS&C is required prior to program assignment of DPS&C offenders. Refer to Standard Operating Procedures for Offender Transitional Work Programs. Visual Inspection: approval for participation by the Secretary of DPS&C	Facility does not have a TWP	
V-D-003 Offender Work Programs Participation in Offender Work Programs by DPS&C offenders shall comply with the provisions of La. R.S. 15:708 (parish jails) or La. R.S. 15:832 (police maintenance). Visual Inspection: offender voluntary participation, sheriff's approval of work program request, facility logs	Facility does not have a TWP	
V-D-004 Approval for Transitional Work Programs Any sheriff interested in operation of a Transitional Work Program facility shall obtain prior approval from the Chief of Operations. Refer to Standard Operating Procedures for Offender Transitional Work Programs. Visual Inspection: approval of Chief of Operations	Facility does not have a TWP	



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PART VI - JUSTICE		
A. OFFENDER'S RIGHTS		
References: ACA CJS 1-6A-01, 1-6A-02, 1-6A-03, 1-6A-06, Dept. Reg. OP-C-10		
VI-A-001 Access to Courts/Access to Legal Materials Written policy, procedure, and practice ensure the right of offenders to have access to courts. This includes reasonable access to legal reference materials or access to legal or paralegal assistance. Illiterate offenders shall be provided the assistance of a fellow offender or be furnished adequate assistance from the facility staff or other persons who have a legitimate connection with the legal issues being pursued. If an offender's requirements in this area are significant and complex, exceeding the capability of the local facility to meaningfully provide assistance, then the inmate shall be transferred to the DPS&C. Visual Inspection: facility log	Compliant- Offenders have access to law library and legal materials. Log on file of offenders requesting legal assistance from law library.	
VI-A-002 Access to Counsel Written policy, procedure, and practice ensure offenders' confidential access to counsel. Such contact includes, but is not limited to telephone communications, uncensored correspondence and visits. Visual Inspection: facility log, record of attorney interviews	Compliant- Offenders have access to counsel and communicate and visit with attorneys. Log showing attorneys at the facility with offenders is on file.	
VI-A-003 Protection from Abuse Written policy, procedure, and practice protect offenders from personal abuse, corporal punishment, personal injury, disease, property damage, or harassment. Visual Inspection: facility log, incident reports, staff training records	Compliant- Policy in place for the protection of offenders from abuse. Incident report on file.	
B. FAIR TREATMENT OF OFFENDERS		
References: ACA CJS 1-2A-16, 1-4C-01, 1-6B-01, 1-6B-02, Dept. Reg. OP-C-13		
VI-B-001 Discrimination Written policy, procedure, and practice provide that program access and administrative decisions are made without regard to offenders' race, religion, national origin, gender, sexual orientation, or disability. Visual Inspection: facility records, grievances, activity logs	Compliant- Offenders are not discriminated against from participating in programs. List of offenders in such programs on file.	
VI-B-002 Grievance Process (MANDATORY) Offenders have reasonable access to a grievance remedy procedure that includes at least two levels of review if necessary. The grievance remedy procedure shall be an administrative means through which an offender may seek formal review of a complaint which relates to any aspect of his imprisonment if less formal procedures have not resolved the matter. Such complaints and grievances include, but are not limited to, actions pertaining to conditions of confinement, personal injuries, medical complaints, time computations, the classification process, or challenges to rules, regulations, or policies. Through this procedure, offenders shall receive reasonable responses within a specified time period and where appropriate, meaningful remedies. Visual Inspection: grievances	Compliant- Offenders have access to ARP. Copy of ARP's on file.	



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PART VII - ADMINISTRATION AND MANAGEMENT		
A. RECRUITMENT, RETENTION, AND PROMOTION		
References: ACA-CJS 1-1A-01, 1-1B-01, 1-1C-01, 1-1C-07, 1-4C-13, 1-4D-05, 1-4D-14, 1-7B-02, 1-7B-04, 1-7B-06, Dept. Regs. AM-F-22, OP-A-19		
VII-A-001 Training and Staff Development The facility conducts or participates in a training program which includes orientation for all new employees (appropriate to their job) prior to assuming a position or post. Such training must include: 1. Security procedures; 2. Hostage procedures – including staff roles and safety; 3. Fire and emergency plan/ procedures; 4. Suicide precaution and signs of suicide risks; 5. Use of force policies; 6. Inmate rules and regulations; 7. CPR and first aid; 8. Requirements of the Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA); 9. Employees whose duties are the care, custody and control of offenders must complete the Peace Officers Standards and Training (POST) Level 3 certification training program, which consists of the ACA core curriculum, within one year of employment. Visual Inspection: lesson plans, staff training records	Compliant-Staff are trained annually. Record of classes and staff present at training is on file.	
VII-A-002 Weapons Training All personnel authorized to use firearms and less-than-lethal weapons must demonstrate competency at least annually. Training includes decontamination procedures for individuals exposed to chemical agents. Visual Inspection: personnel records, training records	Compliant- Staff is trained annually	
B. FACILITY ADMINISTRATION		
References: ACA CJS 1-4D-02, 1-7D-01, 1-7D-03, Dept. Reg. AM-I-4		
VII-B-001 Authority There is a statue or constitutional provision authorizing the establishment of the local jail facility or its parent agency. Visual Inspection:	Compliant- copy on file	
VII-B-002 Legal Assistance for Staff Written policy, procedure and practice specify the circumstances and methods for the facility administrator and other staff to obtain legal assistance as needed in the performance of their duties. Visual Inspection: personnel or training records	Compliant-Provosty Law Firm Attorney Brad Calvert is the attorney	

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<p>VII-B-003 Independent Financial Audit Written policy, procedure, and practice provide for an independent financial audit of the facility. This audit is conducted annually or as stipulated by statute or regulation, not to exceed three years.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: annual audit</p>	<p>Compliant- Financial audit is done by Kolder, Slaven Company</p>	
<p>VII-B-004 Facility Insurance Written policy, procedure, and practice provide for institutional insurance coverage, including at a minimum: worker's compensation, civil liability for employees, liability for official vehicles, and either a commercial crime/employee theft insurance policy, or public employee blanket bond.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: insurance policy</p>	<p>Compliant- Copy of facility insurance and amount is on file.</p>	
<p>VII-B-005 Mgmt. of Offender Personal Funds Written policies and procedures shall govern the management of offender personal funds held in trust by the facility. The policies and procedures shall include:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Specific guidelines and controls for collecting, safeguarding, and disbursing offender personal funds; • Require offenders be provided receipts for all financial transactions; • Comply with general accounting procedures and state law; and • Establish a system of checks and balances. <p>Any interest earned on monies other than operating funds accrues to the benefit of the offenders.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: offender records</p>	<p>Compliant- Policy in place to handle offender personal funds. Copy of receipts of offender receiving money is on file.</p>	
<p>VII-B-006 Disposition of an Offender's Account upon Death The facility shall complete its fiduciary duty to ensure all of the deceased offender's funds due to the estate are properly accounted for, safeguarded, and disbursed. Upon the death of an offender, facility staff shall do the following:</p> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Complete the Disposition of Offender Funds upon Death (DPS&C Form AM-C-2-b) to determine the amount owed to the decedent's estate and to determine what a claimant shall submit to receive the amount owed to the estate. 2. Check the offender's Master Record and Visiting Lists to determine if there is a living spouse or other living heirs listed in the offender's personal information. 3. If so, facility staff shall attempt to notify the spouse or heirs of the amount owed to the estate, after all debts have been cleared, and the documentation required to receive the funds. <ol style="list-style-type: none"> a. If the amount owed to the estate is less than or equal to \$2,500, provide the claimant a copy of the Claimant's Request for Offender Funds Upon the Offender's Death and Due to the Offender's Estate (Form AM-C-2-a). The claimant must submit the completed and notarized form to receive the amount owed to the estate. b. If the amount owed to the estate is greater than \$2,500, inform the claimant he/she must obtain a Judgement of Possession or Louisiana Small Succession Affidavit to receive the amount owed to the estate. 	<p>Compliant- No offender death as of date of audit to dispose of offender account.</p>	



	Findings	Response
<p>4. Pay all remaining debts of the decedent. 5. Release the funds to the claimant upon receipt of the required form/judgement/affidavit. 6. Forward subsequent monies received on behalf of the decedent to the claimant on file. Supporting documentation of funds received and forwarded should be maintained in the offender's file. 7. Maintain the decedent's funds within the facility's bank account designated for offender personal funds until the decedent's individual account balance has been depleted. 8. Upon the death of an ex-offender after release, but before all funds have been distributed to him, facility staff shall do the following: a. Follow the above steps required for disposition of funds upon death. b. Obtain a certified death certificate from the claimant. c. Attach the certified death certificate to form AM-C-2-b. Unclaimed funds of deceased offenders are not considered abandoned property as provided in La. R.S. 15:866.2. If attempts to notify a spouse or heirs have been unsuccessful for a period of five years, the money in the offender's account should be submitted along with an unclaimed property report to the Department of Revenue and Taxation in compliance with La. R.S. 9:151 through 9:156.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: offender records</p>		
<p>VII-B-007 Offender Records Security Written data security policy, procedure, and practice govern the collection, storage, retrieval, access, use, secure placement and preservation of records, and transmission of sensitive or confidential data contained in paper, physical, or electronic format. Access to any information system by an offender in the custody or supervision of the Department is strictly prohibited. All personnel having access to the information systems are responsible for ensuring the security of the computer equipment and preventing unauthorized access.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: offender records</p>	<p>Compliant- Offender records are kept secure. Any computers containing information on offenders is kept secure and require passwords to unlock.</p>	
<p>VII-B-008 Organization Written policies and procedures describe all facets of facility operation, maintenance, and administration, are reviewed annually and updated, as needed. New or revised policies and procedures are disseminated to staff. A file for each guideline shall be maintained with documentation (primarily written) to support compliance.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: annual review, dissemination to staff</p>	<p>Compliant- Policies are reviewed and changed or updated as needed.</p>	
<p>VII-B-009 Annual Compliance Statement Written policy, procedure and practice demonstrate that the facility shall submit an annual statement confirming continued compliance with the BJJ to the appropriate DPS&C Regional Team Leader. This statement, submitted by January 31st each year, is in writing and shall include: 1. A copy of the current Fire Marshal Report; 2. A copy of the current Health Inspection Report; 3. Any proposed or projected expansions; 4. Any rehabilitative programs that are available; 5. Summary of any re-entry initiatives/programs implemented by the facility.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: annual statement</p>	<p>Compliant- Annual compliance statement turned in on time. Copy in file.</p>	



	Findings	Response
<p>VII-B-010 Monthly Reporting Written policy, procedure and practice ensure that any facility with DPS&C offenders report activities to the Chief of Operations on a monthly basis in accordance with Dept. Reg. C-05-001/AM-I-4. These reports shall be submitted on automated reporting forms provided by the DPS&C, no later than the 15th day of the month for the previous month's activities. Automated reporting shall be completed, by the appropriate DPS&C Regional Team Leader, no later than the 20th day of the month for the previous month's activities.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: monthly report</p>	Compliant- Reports turned in a timely manner.	
<p>VII-B-011 Staff Meetings Written policy, procedure and practice provide for regular meetings between the Sheriff, facility administrator, or designee and all department heads. There is formal documentation that such meetings are conducted at least monthly.</p> <p>Visual Inspection: staff meeting minutes/notes</p>	Compliant-Staff meetings being held. A sign in sheet and topics discussed is on file.	
<p>VII-B-012 Proposed Expansion Any planned or proposed expansions for transitional work program or jail facilities that house DPS&C offenders shall be submitted to the Secretary of the DPS&C and the Executive Director of the LSA for consideration and approval.</p> <p>Visual Inspection:</p>	Compliant- No proposed expansions of the facility at this time. The facility is working towards getting approval for TWP at this facility.	
C. REASONABLE ACCOMMODATION		
References: ACA CJS 1-7E-01		
<p>VII-C-001 Facility Equipment/Reasonable Accommodation Reasonable accommodations is made to ensure that all parts of the facility are accessible to the public are accessible and usable by staff and visitors with disabilities.</p> <p>Visual Inspection:</p>	Compliant-Facility is handicap accessible.	



	Findings	Response
INSPECTION REPORTS		
DEPARTMENT	Deficiencies	Corrective Action Taken
Fire Marshall Date of Current Report: 3/24/22 Maximum Capacity: 438	None	
DHH - Health Date of Current Report: 2/11/22 Maximum Capacity: 438	walls in disrepair, ceilings not in good repair, peeling paint on walls in showers, hand lavatory in disrepair.	Correction action letter attached. Crews have been repairing and painting walls, ceilings and shower walls. The hand lavatory has been replaced and working.
DHH - Retail Food Date of Current Report: 2/11/22	raw food was not separated from ready to eat food or stored above, bulk containers not properly labeled, food not thawed properly, light bulbs not shielded in exposed food areas.	Corrective action letter attached. Raw food issue, bulk containers labeled, food not thawed properly, food scoop without a handle all COS. Plastic shields with end caps have been placed on lights in question.



John Bel Edwards
GOVERNOR

Office of State Fire Marshal

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Daniel H. Wallis
FIRE MARSHAL

Inspection Report

Report # CB-21-019423-3

No Deficient/Cautionary Codes cited.

Location Information			
Inspection Type	Compliance Building Inspection		Inspection Date 3/24/2022 1:45:10 PM
Structure ID	5724	No. of Buildings	5
Capacity	438	Year Built	1987
Building/Trade Name		Address	
AVOYELLES PARISH JAIL		675 GOVERNMENT STREET, MARKSVILLE, LA 71351	
Owner Information			
Owner Type	Name	Contact Phone	Contact Email
Municipal Project	AVOYELLES PARISH SHERIFF DEPARTMENT		DJACOBS@AVOYELLESSO.ORG
Address			
675 GOVERNMENT STREET, MARKSVILLE, LA 71351			
Tenant Information			
Name	Suite Number	Floor Number	Square Footage
Occupancy Details			
Occupancy Type	Details		
Institutional	INSTITUTIONAL BUILDING TYPE: GROUP I-3 (DETENTION/CORRECTION); DETENTION/CORRECTION FACILITY TYPE: CONDITION 5		
Comments			
CONFIRMED BLUE TAG REPAIR WAS MADE ON SPRINKLER SYSTEM. NO APPARENT DEFICIENCIES. IN COMPLIANCE.			
Inspector Information			
Name: Samuel Propst	Badge Number: 730	Inspector Signature:	
Person to whom requirements were explained			
Name: Bruce Cazalot	Title: Warden	Signature:	

For questions regarding the contents of this report, please call: (318) 767 6099

R. S. 40: 1621 Whoever fails to comply with any order issued by the Fire Marshal or his authorized representative under any provision of Part III, Chapter 7, Title 40 of the Louisiana Revised Statutes of 1950, R.S. 40:1569 excepted, shall be fined not more than five hundred dollars or imprisoned, for more than six months or both. Each day's violation of an order constitutes a separate offense and may be punished as such at the discretion of court.



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L.R.S. 40:1577 APPEAL FROM ORDER

When an order is made by one of the deputies or representatives of the Fire Marshal, the owner or occupant of the building or premises may, within three days, appeal to the Fire Marshal. The Fire Marshal shall, within five days, review the order and advise the owner or occupant of his decision thereon. The owner or occupant may, within five days after the making of affirming of any such order of the Fire Marshal, file an application with the Board of Review.

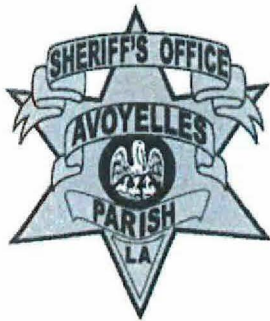
RULES FOR APPEALING TO THE FIRE MARSHAL BOARD OF REVIEW

- I. Any application to the Board of Review shall contain the following basic information set off in organized fashion with captions indicating that the paragraph in question contains the following basic information.
 1. The name of the applicant.
 2. A brief description of the facts.
 3. A copy of the order of the Fire Marshal which is being appealed.
 4. A reference to the section of the law or code being reviewed.
 5. A brief description of why the applicant feels the requirements of the Fire Marshal is not within the Fire Marshal's authority, or brief description of why the interpretation of the Fire Marshal is incorrect or what specific relief is required by the applicant.
 6. A list of the individuals who will be appearing before the Board, and a brief description of the testimony or information they will be providing the Board.
 7. A list of all the documents which will be introduced or provided to the Board along with a brief description of the documents, and if possible, a copy of said documents.
 8. A list of each exhibit except for documents, and a brief description of the exhibit.

- II. Whenever possible, a notice of the meeting, date and place, and the agenda will be recorded in the Louisiana Register, however, whenever that is not possible, a copy of the meeting notice including the date, time and place, and agenda of the meeting of the Board will be published in the official notices of the official state journal; furthermore, a press release containing the same information will be mailed to the official journals of the cities of Shreveport, Monroe, Lafayette, Lake Charles, Alexandria, New Orleans, and Baton Rouge and any city or town in which the meeting of the Board is to be held if it is not one of the aforementioned major cities; and the same information shall be mailed to each individual who has notified the Fire Marshal of his desire to receive a notice of such appeal.

- III. A copy of the determination of the Board as prepared by the Chairman will be mailed to each individual who requests a copy of that specific determination as well as to the applicant.

- IV. The time delays for filing an appeal shall be those specified in R.S.40:1577 and 40:1578 1 D.



Sheriff David L. Dauzat
Avoyelles Parish Sheriff's Office

675 Government Street ☞ Marksville, LA 71351 ☞ (318) 253 - 4000

Date: 3-07-2022

From: Richard Ducote
Compliance Director-APSO

To: DOC Auditor

Re: Office of Fire Marshal Latest Inspection Plan of Action

Sir, as noted in the attached Fire Marshall Inspection Report for DC-3, there were no listed deficiencies noted.
For your information.

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be "RD", is written above a horizontal line.

Richard Ducote
Compliance Director-APSO

14-3.5.1 Owner shall maintain sprinkler system. Currently there are multiple sprinkler heads throughout the facility not covered by a protective cap to keep inmates from tampering with the sprinkler heads.

R—Our provider sent in a crew and replaced any and all sprinkler heads that had any problems at all.

At this time all cautionary and deficient items have been addressed.



JOHN DEL EDWARDS
GOVERNOR

LOUISIANA DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY & CORRECTIONS
PUBLIC SAFETY SERVICES



DANIEL H. WALLIS
STATE FIRE MARSHAL

OFFICE OF STATE FIRE MARSHAL

August 29, 2022

APSO- Richard Ducote
Marksville Detention Center (DC-1)
675 Government Street
Marksville, Louisiana
Re: Marksville Detention Center (DC-1) Emergency Plan Evaluation

Dear Mr. Ducote:

This office is in receipt of your August 24, 2022 request for a review of your Emergency Plan for the above referenced facility and after review, makes the following determination.

NFPA 101:22.7.1, states the following, "The administration of every detention or correctional facility shall have, in effect and available to all supervisory personnel, written copies of a plan for the protection of all persons in the event of fire, for their evacuation to areas of refuge, and for evacuation from the building when necessary. All employees shall be instructed and drilled with respect to their duties under the plan. The plan shall be coordinated with and reviewed by the fire department legally committed to serve the facility."

After a review of the information provided, the emergency response and evacuation plan appears to be acceptable in meeting the requirements of NFPA 101 Life Safety Codes and Standards.

If you have any questions or further clarification is needed, please call the Alexandria Office at 318-767-6099.

Sincerely,

James Edwards
Major- Enforcement
Louisiana State Fire Marshal's Office



**STATE OF LOUISIANA
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
OFFICE OF PUBLIC HEALTH**

**Detention or Incarceration
Notice of Violations**

Routine/Renewal

Permit Number 05-03-224	Permit Name Avoyelles Parish Jail-224		
Name of Establishment Avoyelles Parish Jail-224		Owner Name	
Address 675 Government ST Marksville, LA 71351		Date 02/11/2022	Time 01:40 PM

LAC TITLE 51 PART XVIII

NON-CRITICAL ITEMS: These items should be corrected by the next regular inspection or according to the compliance schedule (see below) established by this office.

Category	Code Reference	Description of Violations
Building Requirement	101	3 - The walls are in disrepair. [Repeat]
Building Requirement	101	6 - The ceilings are not in good repair.
Building Requirement	101	7 - There is peeling paint on the walls in the shower. [Repeat]
Handwashing Lavatories	101	16 - The hand lavatory is in disrepair. [Repeat]

Comments:

verbal acknowledgement of report provided by Randy Normand/ Chief of Security
Copy of report emailed to djacobs@avoyellesso.org

Number Licensed For
438

Number in Attendance
316

License Anniversary
06/30/2021

Sanitarian Name/Print
Paula Guient

Phone #
318-487-5282 x 250

Sanitarian Signature



R.S. #
1896

The above mentioned violations were called to my attention and were explained to me in detail. I hereby agree to

Correct Critical Violations by

Correct Non-Critical Violations by

Signature of Recipient

Name/Title
Randy Normand/ Chief of Security





Sheriff David L. Dauzat
Avoyelles Parish Sheriff's Office

675 Government Street ↻ Marksville, LA 71351 ↻ (318) 253 - 4000

Date: 3-07-2022

From: Richard Ducote
Compliance Director-APSO

To: Board of Health Inspector

Re: Response to the three areas inspected on 2-11-22

The follow are the plans of action for the three areas inspected. The Canteen area, the Kitchen area and the facility itself.

Kitchen:

1705 Cross Contamination—Raw animal food is not separated from ready to eat food or is placed, stored or displayed above ready to eat food.

Response: The officer had the chicken moved and stored properly.

1107 Labeling 49-1107 Bulk containers are not properly labeled.

Response: The kitchen Capt. had this taken care of immediately and insured the three bulk storage bins were labeled correctly.

1315 Potentially hazardous foods are not properly thaws.

Response: The kitchen officers and offender cooks were instructed on the correct way to thaw out products safely.

2103 Utensils not in good repair 67-2101-2 Food scoop is constructed without a handle.

Response: Three brand new scoops were placed in the kitchen. The officers were instructed that whenever a scoop handle breaks off they to replace it.

3707 Structural/design/ maintenance 107-3707-1 Light bulbs are not shielded or coated in areas where there is exposed food, clean equipment or unwrapped single service or single use articles.

Response: plastic shields with end caps were installed on the light fixtures in question.

CANTEEN AREA;

2517 Utensils/single service 83-2517.9 Single use/single service articles are not stored six inches off of floor.

Response: Canteen Officer moved the single bags to a shelf.

JAIL FACILITY;>

101- Building Requirements 3- the walls are in disrepair.

Response: Since the inspection the Warden has crews going thru the facility repairing and painting all area walls

101—Building requirements 6 the ceilings are not in good repair

Response: The crews that are addressing the walls are also address the ceiling at the same time.

101—Building Requirements 7 There is peeling paint on the walls in the shower.

Response: This items is being addressed by the crews that are repairing and repainting the walls and ceilings.

101—Handwashing Lavatories—16—The hand lavatory in in disrepair.

Response: This lavatory has been completely replaced with a new one.

Richard Ducote

cell 359-9635

rducote@avoyellesso.org



**STATE OF LOUISIANA
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
OFFICE OF PUBLIC HEALTH**

**Retail Food
Notice of Violations**

Routine/Renewal

Permit Number 05-0070573-1	Permit Name AVOUELLES PARISH SHERIFF'S OFFICE COMMISSARY-APSOC jail concession		
Name of Establishment AVOUELLES PARISH SHERIFF'S OFFICE COMMISSARY-APSOC		Owner Name AVOUELLES PARISH SHERIFF'S OFFICE	
Address 670 GOVERNMENT ST MARKSVILLE, LA 71351	Date 02-11-2022	Time 01:40 PM	

LAC TITLE 51 PART XXIII

NON-CRITICAL ITEMS: These items should be corrected by the next regular inspection or according to the compliance schedule (see below) established by this office.		
Category	Code Reference	Description of Violations
UTENSILS/EQUIPMENT/SINGLE SERVICE	2517	83 - 2517.9 - Single use/single service articles are not stored at least six (6) inches off the floor

Comments:

verbal acknowledgement of report provided by Karen Antoine/ Manager
Copy of report emailed to djocobs@avoyellesso.org

NOTICE RS 40:31.38 (ACT 66)

RS 40:31.38 (ACT 66) authorizes the Louisiana Department of Health to charge a fee of \$150 to any permitted facility that fails to correct the necessary sanitary code violations to be in compliance at the time of its follow up inspection (1st re-inspection). Re-inspections are required when there are five or more uncorrected non-critical violations and/or one or more uncorrected critical violations remaining at the conclusion of an inspection. The fee is only charged if the necessary violations are not corrected before the 2nd re-inspection and other subsequent re-inspections. Facilities can avoid this fee if the violations noted on the routine inspection report are corrected by, or during, the follow up inspection. If a fee is assessed, the \$150 fee is payable within 30 days' notice, and failure to pay shall result in revocation of the permit.

Sanitarian Name/Print Paula Guient	Phone # 318-487-5282 x 250	Sanitarian Signature 	R.S. # 1896
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Randy Normand Chief of Security

Signature of Recipient



**STATE OF LOUISIANA
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
OFFICE OF PUBLIC HEALTH**

**Retail Food
Notice of Violations**

Routine/Renewal

Permit Number 05-0001018-1	Permit Name AVOYELLES PARISH JAIL JAIL KITCHEN		
Name of Establishment AVOYELLES PARISH JAIL		Owner Name AVOYELLES PARISH SHERIFF'S OFFICE	
Address 675 GOVERNMENT ST MARKSVILLE, LA 71351		Date 02/11/2022	Time 01:40 PM

LAC TITLE 51 PART XXIII

CRITICAL ITEMS: These items **MUST BE CORRECTED IMMEDIATELY** (see compliance schedule below). Repeat violations may lead to enforcement actions or permit suspensions.

Category	Code Reference	Description of Violations
CROSS CONTAMINATION	1705	25 - 1705 - Raw animal food is not separated from ready to eat food, or is placed, stored or displayed above ready to eat food. [COS]

NON-CRITICAL ITEMS: These items should be corrected by the next regular inspection or according to the compliance schedule (see below) established by this office.


Category	Code Reference	Description of Violations
LABELING	1107	49 - 1107 - Bulk containers are not properly labeled. [COS]
FOOD PROTECTION	1315	53 - 1315 - Potentially hazardous foods are not properly thawed. [COS]
UTENSILS/EQUIPMENT/SINGLE SERVICE	2103	67 - 2101.2 - Food scoop is constructed without a handle. [COS]
STRUCTURAL/DESIGN/MAINTENANCE/PLUMBING	3707	107 - 3707.1 - Light bulbs are not shielded or coated in areas where there is exposed food, clean equipment, utensils, or unwrapped single service or single use articles.

Comments:

verbal acknowledgement of report provided by _Randy Normand/Chief of Security
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STATE OF LOUISIANA
DEPARTMENT OF HEALTH
OFFICE OF PUBLIC HEALTH

INSTITUTION REPORT

Agency License No. N/A	Anniversary Month JUNE				
Name of Establishment AVOYELLES PARISH JAIL-224	Mailing Address				
Address 675 GOVERNMENT ST					
City, state, Zip Code MARKSVILLE LA 71351					
Type of Facility JAILS 438 316					
Parish Avoyelles	Date Inspected 02/11/2022				
<p>The above establishment has been inspected by a representative of this section, and:</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> License is Recommended;</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> License is Not Recommended;</p> <p><input type="checkbox"/> License is Pending Reinspection;</p> <p>from the standpoint of sanitation</p> <p style="text-align: right;">PAULA GUIENT</p>					
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<p>LHS 48 (R 7/99) D 1014</p>					

**CERTIFIED TREATMENT AND REHABILITATION PROGRAM
CERTIFICATION OF CONTINUED COMPLIANCE**

Facility: AVOYELLES MALE DETENTION CENTER

Date: 8/10/2022

Name of Program: THINKING FOR a CHANGE

Date of Program Implementation: 10/2014

Primary Area of Service Provided:

- Education
- Job Skill Training
- Values Development and Faith Based Initiatives
- Treatment Programs
- Miscellaneous

Program has been certified by DPS&C? Yes No

Program application process is consistent with DPS&C existing assessment and classification system?
 Yes No

Has program curriculum changed during preceding 12 months? Yes No

Is there an objective method used to assess completion? Yes No

Detailed records are maintained on the following:

- | | | |
|---|---|-----------------------------|
| All offenders who apply. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Number of offenders accepted. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Number and type of services provided. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Offender's completion/termination from program. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |

Is there a formal graduation ceremony for those who complete the program? Yes No

The CTRP referenced above continues to meet necessary criteria to maintain its certification by the Department of Public Safety and Corrections.

Lt. Col. Zumin
Monitoring Team Member or BJG Team Member/Leader

8/18/22
Date

**CERTIFIED TREATMENT AND REHABILITATION PROGRAM
CERTIFICATION OF CONTINUED COMPLIANCE**

Facility: AVOYELLES MALE DETENTION CENTER

Date: 8/10/2022

Name of Program: UCCI COGNITIVE BEHAVIORAL INTERVENTIONS for OFFENDERS

Date of Program Implementation: 10/2014

Primary Area of Service Provided:

- Education
- Job Skill Training
- Values Development and Faith Based Initiatives
- Treatment Programs
- Miscellaneous

Program has been certified by DPS&C? Yes No

Program application process is consistent with DPS&C existing assessment and classification system?
 Yes No

Has program curriculum changed during preceding 12 months? Yes No

Is there an objective method used to assess completion? Yes No

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| Offender's completion/termination from program. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |

Is there a formal graduation ceremony for those who complete the program? Yes No

The CTRP referenced above continues to meet necessary criteria to maintain its certification by the Department of Public Safety and Corrections.

St. Col. Zun
Monitoring Team Member or BJJ Team Member/Leader

8/18/22
Date

**CERTIFIED TREATMENT AND REHABILITATION PROGRAM
CERTIFICATION OF CONTINUED COMPLIANCE**

Facility: AVOYELLES MALE DETENTION CENTER

Date: 8/10/2022

Name of Program: INSIDE OUT DADS

Date of Program Implementation: 10/2014

Primary Area of Service Provided:

- Education
- Job Skill Training
- Values Development and Faith Based Initiatives
- Treatment Programs
- Miscellaneous

Program has been certified by DPS&C? Yes No

Program application process is consistent with DPS&C existing assessment and classification system?
 Yes No

Has program curriculum changed during preceding 12 months? Yes No

Is there an objective method used to assess completion? Yes No

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- Number of offenders accepted. Yes No
- Number and type of services provided. Yes No
- Offender's completion/termination from program. Yes No

Is there a formal graduation ceremony for those who complete the program? Yes No

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LT Col. Furman
Monitoring Team Member or BJG Team Member/Leader

8/18/22
Date

**CERTIFIED TREATMENT AND REHABILITATION PROGRAM
CERTIFICATION OF CONTINUED COMPLIANCE**

Facility: AVOYELLES MALE DETENTION CENTER

Date: 8/10/2022

Name of Program: VICTIM IMPACT LISTEN & LEARN

Date of Program Implementation: 10/2014

Primary Area of Service Provided:

- Education
- Job Skill Training
- Values Development and Faith Based Initiatives
- Treatment Programs
- Miscellaneous

Program has been certified by DPS&C? Yes No

Program application process is consistent with DPS&C existing assessment and classification system?
 Yes No

Has program curriculum changed during preceding 12 months? Yes No

Is there an objective method used to assess completion? Yes No

Detailed records are maintained on the following:

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| All offenders who apply. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Number of offenders accepted. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Number and type of services provided. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Offender's completion/termination from program. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |

Is there a formal graduation ceremony for those who complete the program? Yes No

The CTRP referenced above continues to meet necessary criteria to maintain its certification by the Department of Public Safety and Corrections.

Lt. Col. Firmin
Monitoring Team Member or BJJ Team Member/Leader

8/18/22
Date

**CERTIFIED TREATMENT AND REHABILITATION PROGRAM
CERTIFICATION OF CONTINUED COMPLIANCE**

Facility: AVOYELLES MALE DETENTION CENTER

Date: 8/10/2022

Name of Program: LA MIND ALTERING SUBSTANCE PHASE I & II

Date of Program Implementation: 10/2014

Primary Area of Service Provided:

- Education
- Job Skill Training
- Values Development and Faith Based Initiatives
- Treatment Programs
- Miscellaneous

Program has been certified by DPS&C? Yes No

Program application process is consistent with DPS&C existing assessment and classification system?
 Yes No

Has program curriculum changed during preceding 12 months? Yes No

Is there an objective method used to assess completion? Yes No

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| Number of offenders accepted. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Number and type of services provided. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |
| Offender's completion/termination from program. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |

Is there a formal graduation ceremony for those who complete the program? Yes No

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Lt. Col. Fermin
Monitoring Team Member or BJG Team Member/Leader

8/18/20
Date

**CERTIFIED TREATMENT AND REHABILITATION PROGRAM
CERTIFICATION OF CONTINUED COMPLIANCE**

Facility: AVOYELLES MALE DETENTION CENTER

Date: 8/10/2022

Name of Program: PARTNERS IN PARENTING

Date of Program Implementation: 10/2014

Primary Area of Service Provided:

- Education
- Job Skill Training
- Values Development and Faith Based Initiatives
- Treatment Programs
- Miscellaneous

Program has been certified by DPS&C? Yes No

Program application process is consistent with DPS&C existing assessment and classification system?
 Yes No

Has program curriculum changed during preceding 12 months? Yes No

Is there an objective method used to assess completion? Yes No

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| Offender's completion/termination from program. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |

Is there a formal graduation ceremony for those who complete the program? Yes No

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Lt. Col. Firmin
Monitoring Team Member or BJG Team Member/Leader

8/18/22
Date

**CERTIFIED TREATMENT AND REHABILITATION PROGRAM
CERTIFICATION OF CONTINUED COMPLIANCE**

Facility: AVOYELLES MALE DETENTION CENTER

Date: 8/10/2022

Name of Program: UNDERSTANDING and REDUCING ANGRY FEELINGS

Date of Program Implementation: 10/2014

Primary Area of Service Provided:

- Education
- Job Skill Training
- Values Development and Faith Based Initiatives
- Treatment Programs
- Miscellaneous

Program has been certified by DPS&C? Yes No

Program application process is consistent with DPS&C existing assessment and classification system?
 Yes No

Has program curriculum changed during preceding 12 months? Yes No

Is there an objective method used to assess completion? Yes No

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| Offender's completion/termination from program. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |

Is there a formal graduation ceremony for those who complete the program? Yes No

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St. Col. Furman
Monitoring Team Member or BJG Team Member/Leader

8/18/22
Date

CERTIFIED TREATMENT AND REHABILITATION PROGRAM
CERTIFICATION OF CONTINUED COMPLIANCE

Facility: AVOYELLES MALE DETENTION CENTER

Date: 8/10/2022

Name of Program: FDIC MONEY SMART MANAGEMENT

Date of Program Implementation: 10/2014

Primary Area of Service Provided:

- Education
- Job Skill Training
- Values Development and Faith Based Initiatives
- Treatment Programs
- Miscellaneous

Program has been certified by DPS&C? Yes No

Program application process is consistent with DPS&C existing assessment and classification system?
 Yes No

Has program curriculum changed during preceding 12 months? Yes No

Is there an objective method used to assess completion? Yes No

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| Offender's completion/termination from program. | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> Yes | <input type="checkbox"/> No |

Is there a formal graduation ceremony for those who complete the program? Yes No

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 Lt. Col. Furman
Monitoring Team Member or BJG Team Member/Leader

 8/18/20
Date