

Annual Report on Sexual Abuse Data

West Central Community Correctional Facility

January 1, 2022 – December 31, 2022

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I. Introduction

West Central Community Correctional Facility (WCCCF) collects accurate, uniform data for every allegation of sexual abuse and sexual harassment at the facility. WCCCF maintains, reviews, and collects data as needed from all available incident-based documents including reports, investigation files, and sexual abuse incident reviews. WCCCF reviews the data collected in order to assess and improve the effectiveness of its sexual abuse prevention, detection, and response policies, practices, and training.

II. Definitions Related to Sexual Abuse

Sexual Abuse:

Sexual abuse of a resident by another resident includes any of the following acts, if the victim does not consent, is coerced into such act by overt or implied threats of violence, or is unable to consent or refuse:

- (1) Contact between the penis and the vulva or the penis and the anus, including penetration, however slight;
- (2) Contact between the mouth and the penis, vulva, or anus;
- (3) Penetration of the anal or genital opening of another person, however slight, by a hand, finger, object, or other instrument; and
- (4) Any other intentional touching, either directly or through the clothing, of the genitalia, anus, groin, breast, inner thigh, or the buttocks of another person, excluding contact incidental to a physical altercation.

Sexual abuse of a resident by a staff member, contractor, or volunteer includes any of the following acts, with or without consent of the inmate, detainee, or resident:

- (1) Contact between the penis and the vulva or the penis and the anus, including penetration, however slight;
- (2) Contact between the mouth and the penis, vulva, or anus;
- (3) Contact between the mouth and any body part where the staff member, contractor, or volunteer has the intent to abuse, arouse, or gratify sexual desire;
- (4) Penetration of the anal or genital opening, however slight, by a hand, finger, object, or other instrument, that is unrelated to official duties or where the staff member, contractor, or volunteer has the intent to abuse, arouse, or gratify sexual desire;

- (5) Any other intentional contact, either directly or through the clothing, of or with the genitalia, anus, groin, breast, inner thigh, or the buttocks, that is unrelated to official duties or where the staff member, contractor, or volunteer has the intent to abuse, arouse, or gratify sexual desire;
- (6) Any attempt, threat, or request by a staff member, contractor, or volunteer to engage in the activities described in paragraphs (1)-(5) of this section;
- (7) Any display by a staff member, contractor, or volunteer of his or her uncovered genitalia, buttocks, or breast in the presence of an inmate, detainee, or resident, and
- (8) Voyeurism by a staff member, contractor, or volunteer.

Sexual Harassment:

Repeated and unwelcome sexual advances, requests for sexual favors, or verbal comments, gestures, or actions of a derogatory or offensive sexual nature by one resident directed toward another

Repeated verbal comments or gestures of a sexual nature to a resident by a staff member, contractor, or volunteer, including demeaning references to gender, sexually suggestive or derogatory comments about body or clothing, or obscene language or gestures.

III. Data: January 1, 2022 – December 31, 2022

On December 31, 2022 there were 74 male residents and 44 female residents under the supervision of WCCCF. From January 1, 2022 to December 31, 2022 there were 225 male residents and 122 female residents admitted to WCCCF. Between January 1, 2022 and December 31, 2022 the average daily population of WCCCF was 74 male residents and 40 female residents.


<u>Allegations</u>	<u>Substantiated</u>	<u>Unsubstantiated</u>	<u>Unfounded</u>	<u>Total</u>
Staff Sexual Harassment	1	0	1	2
Staff Sexual Abuse	0	1	0	1
Resident on Resident Sexual Harassment	2	3	6	11
Resident on Resident Sexual Abuse	2	2	3	7

IV. Conclusion

WCCCF saw an increase in reports of sexual abuse and sexual harassment from the previous year. In response WCCCF has revised the facility's PREA policies and implemented new Standard Operating Procedures. Additional PREA training has been included in New Staff Orientation, and all WCCCF Staff received PREA Training in 2022.

WCCCF will continue to identify problem areas and take corrective action on an ongoing basis in 2023 to provide a safe, humane, and appropriately secure environment, free from the threat of sexual misconduct for all residents. In 2023 WCCCF will undergo a PREA audit and use the feedback from the auditor to improve policies and procedures, and the training of WCCCF staff.

Approved by: Craig Shumaker, Executive Director



Signature

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Date