

JUVENILE JUSTICE COMMISSION ADULT LOCKUP INSPECTION REPORT

CONDITION OF SECURE DETENTION

Are minors provided with orientation?

Yes. Juveniles are oriented upon arrival. They are told why they are there, how long they will probably be there and where they are going to go. The juveniles are informed that the duration at the Healdsburg Police Department will not exceed 6 hours.

Purpose of Secure Detention:

Secure detention is only for juveniles 14 and over and depends on the nature of the crime and if they are an escape risk and/or violent.

Length Of Time Secure Detention Expected To Last:

Length of time on secure detention never exceeds six hours.

Maximum Six-Hour Time Limit:

Yes

CONDITIONS OF CELL/LOCKED ROOM

Proximity to Adult Inmates:

There is no contact with adult inmates unless they have committed a crime together. The adult inmates are housed in the cells furthest away from any minors and with staff present. There is no visual contact between inmates. Juveniles are whisked off as soon as possible. Due to the lack of staff there have not been any arrests that require housing in the Healdsburg Police Department jail.

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CONDITIONS OF CELL/LOCKED ROOM (Continued)

Ability And Frequency Of Staff To Supervise Minor:

Staff at the Healdsburg Police Department, both custody as well as ancillary staff, are all available to monitor and supervise youth while the youth are in custody awaiting parental pickup or transportation to Juvenile Hall. Youth are checked on at least every thirty minutes. The youth are checked upon more frequently if they are intoxicated or are a danger to themselves. The frequency then is every fifteen minutes. There are cameras and voice monitors for dispatch staff to monitor youth at all times. However, there have not been any occupancies for the last two months due to shortage of staff. Youth are cited and released on the spot where offense was committed and released to parents or transported to Juvenile Hall without stepping foot at Healdsburg Police Department.

Constant Auditory Access To Staff:

The cells used by juveniles are equipped with audio systems and are monitored at the dispatch area of the police department for constant audio supervision.

Provided With Snack If Requested:

All juveniles are afforded the opportunity to have snacks if they want them. Meals from the local McDonalds restaurant are provided for youth who have not eaten and are hungry.

Access To Toilets And Washing Facilities:

All cells have working toilets, sinks and water fountains. There is a shower available if needed, although located in a separate area.

Access To Drinking Fountains Or Water:

All cells have water fountains.

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CONDITIONS OF CELL/LOCKED ROOM (Continued)

Provisions To Provide Clothing Or Blankets To Assure Comfort:

There is an ample amount of clean blankets to be used as needed. However the temperature in the building is quite comfortable. There are hospital gowns for clothing as needed.

CONDITIONS OF SECURE DETENTION OUTSIDE A LOCKED ENCLOSURE (e.g., CUFFING RAIL)

Assure No "Contact" With Adult Males:

If a juvenile requires that they be cuffed due to being combative, he/she will just be transferred to Juvenile Hall instead of placing the juvenile on a "cuffing rail". The juveniles are never put in the same room with adults for any reason. Especially with the current staffing shortages, youth are cited and released to their parents ASAP or transported to Juvenile Hall so as not to "tie up staff".

Constant Supervision:

Constant supervision for minors in custody, however not currently applicable due to shortage of staff. Cells are available and in working condition if needed.. All audio and visual monitoring equipment for appropriate supervision of youth are in working order if needed.

30-Minute Limit And Watch Commander Approval Every 30 Minutes Thereafter:

Strictly enforced when applicable.

Minors Placed In Cell When One Becomes Available:

Yes. If applicable. However due to the current staffing shortage there have not been any arrests where inmates are housed at Healdsburg Police Department and minors are not even brought into the department for booking. Minors are "Cited and Released" to their parents on the spot or transported to Juvenile hall.

Are weaker youth protected from having food taken from them?

Yes, all juveniles are protected. There are never two youth offenders together.

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CONDITIONS OF SECURE DETENTION OUTSIDE A LOCKED ENCLOSURE (e.g., CUFFING RAIL) (Cont'd)

Access To Toilet And Washing Facilities:

Access to toilets and washing facilities are available when minors are housed at Healdsburg Police Department.

Access To Drinking Fountain:

Yes

CONDITIONS OF NON-SECURE DETENTION

Constant Supervision:

Yes. Constant audio and visual supervision of minors when applicable.

Males And Females In Same Room:

There has never been any male and/or female offenders occupying the same room.

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List the names, dates, starting and ending time and circumstances for all minors held in the law enforcement facility longer than 6 hours.

There have not been any minors in lock up for longer than six hours. This situation has not been a problem.

Distribution of Juvenile Justice Commission Inspection Reports

Corrections Standards Authority Recommendation

The Corrections Standards Authority recommends commissions prepare and submit an inspection report for each juvenile hall and camp inspected by the commission. We suggest that copies of inspection reports be distributed to the Chief Probation Officer and other pertinent county agencies as directed by the court.

Please submit your annual report to the court and mail a copy to:

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