

14 SUPERVISION OF YOUTH IN A TYPE 2 RCC

OVERVIEW OF CHAPTER CONTENTS

PRIMARY TOPICS COVERED IN THIS CHAPTER

- Description of a Type 2 RCC
- Referral Procedures to a Type 2 RCC
- Goals of Placement in Type 2 RCC
- Contact Standards for Agents

See Chapter 13 for all other information regarding supervision of youth in a Type 2 RCC

FORM DISCUSSED IN THIS CHAPTER

- Contact Standards Amendment (DOC-2128)(myDOC)
- Type 2 RCC Agreement (DOC-0349F)(myDOC)
- Child and Adolescent Needs and Strengths Tool (CANS)(COMPAS)

DESCRIPTION OF A TYPE 2 RCC

RESIDENTIAL CARE CENTERS (RCC)

- A residential care center (RCC) for children and youth is a facility operated by a child welfare agency licensed under s. 48.60, WI Stats., for the care and maintenance of children residing in the facility. Youth leaving a JCI may reside in a RCC on county or DJC aftercare supervision.
- A RCC may be designated as a Type 2 Residential Care Center (Type 2 RCC) by meeting requirements of the Department of Children and Families and complying with administrative rules contained in ch. DOC 394, WI Adm. Code. Both county and DJC supervised youth in a Type 2 RCC may be in Type 2 status.
- A RCC must comply with the following to be designated as a Type 2 RCC:
 - ✓ Facility staff must receive training in the following skill areas:
 - * Use of physical force
 - * Use of mechanical restraints
 - * Use of incident prevention and de-escalation techniques
 - ✓ Facility must comply with all rules contained ch. DOC 394, WI. Adm. Code
 - ✓ Facility must implement DJC policies and procedures for youth on community correctional supervision as specified in DJC-facility contract, DOC-0349F.

GOALS OF PLACEMENT IN A TYPE 2 RCC

- To establish continuity of programs and services for youth as they transition from a JCI to the community
- To assist the youth to continue work on ICCP goals and objectives [see Chapter 6], as established through transition programming (Chapter 10).
- To reinforce and expand on JCI programming [see Chapter 7] within the community setting
- To encourage cooperative working relationships among JCIs, community supervision staff, and Type 2 RCC staff
- To respond promptly to the positive and negative behaviors of youth by administratively transferring youth to less or more restrictive settings

REFERRAL PROCEDURES FOR PLACING YOUTH IN A TYPE 2 RCC

SEE CHAPTER 10

- Within the first 30 days after placement in transition and prior to making a referral to a Type 2 RCC, the assigned agent must fill out the CANS tool in COMPAS. CANS must indicate a youth's level of need that is appropriate for RCC services; or the agent's supervisor must approve or override.

A youth's agent has primary responsibility for referring a JCI youth to a Type 2 RCC. However, the JCI social worker, OJOR, liaison agent and Type 2 RCC staff play important roles in the transition and placement process.

- Once the RCC accepts the youth, the liaison agent re-assigns the youth's case in COMPAS to him/herself.

The liaison agent will arrange transportation with JCI and alternate care facility, keeping family informed.

No overnight or weekend passes will be permitted during the first 30 days of a youth's stay. Exceptions may be made with supervisory approval.

A youth placed in a Type 2 RCC may be in the community phase of SJOP [see Chapter 7] or in need of intensive supervision based on other criteria.

CONTACT STANDARDS FOR AGENTS

Agents shall follow the **minimum contact standards** listed below. A face-to-face contact means a personal interaction between the agent and youth.

An agent may request a modification in contact standards with respect to the number (increase or decrease) and/or nature of contacts based upon the needs of the youth, facility, family, or for other reasons. The agent completes and submits to the supervisor the Contact Standard Amendment (DOC-2128). Upon approval, the supervisor signs the form.

YOUTH IN A TYPE 2 RCC		
Person(s) to Contact	Nature of Contact	Frequency of Contact
• Youth	• Face-to-face	• One time per month
• Parent/Guardian	• Face-to-face or telephone	• One time every 2 months
• Type 2 RCC Staff	• Face-to-face or telephone	• One time per month

ASSIGNMENT OF DJC AGENT FOR YOUTH IN A TYPE 2 RCC

RESPONSIBLE AGENT

NWRO

When the Type 2 RCC is located more than a one hour's drive from the work site of an agent, a DJC liaison agent has case responsibility.

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When the Type 2 RCC is located outside of Milwaukee County, a DJC liaison agent has case responsibility.

SEE CHAPTER 13 FOR DESCRIPTION OF AGENT RESPONSIBILITIES FOR YOUTH IN A TYPE 2 RCC.