

Division of Adult Institutions (DAI)  
**Attachment C – Grandfathered Property Chart**  
 DAI Policy 309.20.03 – Inmate Personal Property and Clothing  
**Effective – 10/01/18**

**ELIGIBILITY & EXPECTATIONS:**

- Policy/specifications governing inmate personal property may change at any time. Some items may become prohibited, despite prior approval. Newly prohibited items may be considered contraband, unless the DAI Administrator issues grandfathering conditions allowing inmates to maintain possession.
- Inmates may be:
  - required to dispose of certain prohibited items
  - required to alter certain items under staff supervision, to be in compliance with new policy/specifications
  - permitted to maintain certain prohibited items until facility transfer
  - permitted to maintain certain prohibited items until Discharge
- Inmates are responsible to dispose of prohibited property items in a timely manner and in accordance with facility procedure.
- Inmates shall retain documentation of purchase date and cost for grandfathered items.

CATEGORY	ITEM	POLICY CHANGE DATE & DESCRIPTION	GRANDFATHERING PROVISION & EXPIRATION
Clothing/Linen	Belts	As of 9/5/2006, prohibited for females.	Retain until MR, Parole, Discharge or item replacement.
	Personal Coat	As of 9/5/2006, not permitted in maximum or medium security.	Retain until MR, Parole, Discharge or item replacement.
	Shoes (multi-colored)	As of 03/01/16 HSU-approved orthopedic/special shoes with colors other than white, black or gray are prohibited.	Retain until item replacement or facility transfer.
	Tank Tops	As of 9/5/2006, prohibited for females.	Retain until MR, Parole, Discharge or item replacement.
Electronic Equipment/ Accessories	Cassette Players/Combination Unit	6/1/1999	Retain until MR, Parole, Discharge or item replacement.
	Fan	As of 9/5/2006, restricted to clear plastic, no larger than 14 inches, with blades not to exceed 12 inches; no metal blades or metal safety guards; no oscillating fans.	Retain until MR, Parole, Discharge or item replacement.
	Hot Pot	Prohibited at all DAI sites effective 4/1/2018 (previously permitted only at GBCI and TCI).	Retain until MR, Parole, Discharge or facility transfer.
	Non-Clear Electronics/Headphones	1/1/2002	Retain until MR, Parole, Discharge or item replacement.
	Non-Clear Hair Dryer (Females)	1/1/2002	Retain until MR, Parole, Discharge or item replacement.
	Non-Clear Lamp	As of 9/5/2006, clear, clip-on only.	Retain until MR, Parole, Discharge or item replacement.
	Non-Clear Watches	1/1/2002	Retain until MR, Parole, Discharge or item replacement.
	Stereo Receivers	1/1/2002	Retain until MR, Parole, Discharge or item replacement.
	Televisions Larger than 13 Inches	7/21/2006	Retain until MR, Parole, Discharge or item replacement.

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	Typewriters with Memory Capability	4/17/2006	Retain until MR, Parole, Discharge or item replacement.
	Glass light bulbs	As of April 1, 2018, Plastic only allowed	Dispose upon depletion of supplies or until MR, Parole, or item replacement.
	Handgrip Exercisers	1/1/2002	Grandfathering ended 1/1/2003
	Photo Frame Larger than 8x10 Inches	1/1/2002	Grandfathering ended 1/1/2003
	Religious Property Items	Miscellaneous	Retain until facility transfer or Discharge.
	Shoe Polishing Brush	1/1/2002	Grandfathering ended 1/1/2003
	Sun Glasses	As of 9/5/2006 – wrap-around frames prohibited.	Retain until MR, Parole, Discharge or item replacement.
Recreation Equipment	Magnetic Hematite Beads	As of 10/1/2018, prohibited	Disposed of within 90-days of policy change.
	Chess/Checkers Set	As of 9/5/2006 – weighted; wood or metal prohibited.	Retain until MR, Parole, Discharge or item replacement.
	Cross-Stitching & Latch-Hooking Supplies	As of 1/1/2015, prohibited.	Disposed of upon depletion of inmate's personal supplies.
	Dominoes	As of 9/5/2006 – non-wood, non-foam prohibited; other-than double-six prohibited.	Retain until MR, Parole, Discharge or item replacement.
	Hobby Drawing Boards with Clips	As of 10/1/2015, shall be disposed of or clip removed under staff supervision.	None.
	Hobby Items	Miscellaneous.	Disposed of within 90-days of policy change.
	Jigsaw Puzzles	As of 9/5/2006 – excess of 500 pieces prohibited; limit reduced from 4 to 2.	Retain until MR, Parole, Discharge or item replacement.
	Musical Instruments	As of 7/20/2007, only acoustic guitar, harmonica & keyboard permitted. As of 10/1/2018, Beat Box Synthesizer is prohibited.	Retain until MR, Parole, Discharge or item replacement. May be repaired, but not replaced.
	Pencil Sharpeners	As of 10/1/2015, only riveted (no removable screws) permitted.	Retain until facility transfer or Discharge.
	Retractable Crayons	10/1/2015	Disposed of upon depletion of inmate's personal supplies.
	Solid Color Accent Rug	As of 4/1/2018, "Rag-Rug", braided type prohibited.	Retain until MR, Parole, Discharge, item replacement.

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	Scissors	As of 10/1/2015, only riveted (no removable screws) permitted.	Retain until facility transfer or Discharge.
	Triaminos/Quadominos	1/1/2002	Grandfathering ended 1/1/2003
	Weightlifting Belt	1/1/2002	Grandfathering ended 1/1/2003