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Chapter: 500 Health Services		
Subject: Restrictive Housing Inmate Health Care (EMR)		

POLICY

All Division of Adult Institution facilities shall ensure the health of restrictive housing inmates is monitored.

REFERENCES

Standards for Health Services in Prisons, National Commission on Correctional Health Care, 2014, P-E-07 – Nonemergency Health Care Requests and Services, P-E-09 – Segregated Inmates

DAI Policy 303.00.02 – Restrictive Housing Programs and Review

DAI Policy 500.10.01 – Medical Autonomy

DAI Policy 500.70.18 – Mental Health Treatment – Restrictive Housing

DEFINITIONS, ACRONYMS AND FORMS

DAI – Division of Adult Institutions

HSM – Health Services Manager

HSU – Health Services Unit

KOP – Keep on Person

PSU – Psychological Services Unit

Restrictive Housing (RH) – Special status in DAI facilities distinct from general population status which restricts inmate movement and limits privileges; generally used for disciplinary or programmatic purposes including administrative confinement, programming within restrictive housing, temporary lock-up, protective custody, and disciplinary separation. Inmates usually are placed in special restrictive housing, but on rare occasions may be placed in this status in a regular housing unit.

Restrictive Housing Inmates – Inmates who are isolated from the general population and who receive services and activities apart from the other inmates

PROCEDURES**I. Staff Responsibilities**

- A. HSU shall be notified upon inmate placement into RH.

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- B. A licensed health care staff shall review the inmate patient's health condition and special needs upon notification an inmate patient has been placed into restrictive housing. HSU staff shall:
1. Determine whether existing medical conditions contraindicate restrictive housing placement or whether medical accommodations are required.
 2. Notify Security staff of any inmate patient contraindications to restrictive housing status or the necessary accommodations while the inmate patient is in restrictive housing.
 3. Change all KOP medications to staff controlled if facility does not allow KOP medications in RH.
 4. Review appointments and reschedule for appropriate location.
- C. Licensed health care staff shall make rounds in the restrictive housing unit based on the degree of isolation.
1. Inmates who have limited contact with staff or other inmates shall be monitored three days per week by medical and/or mental health staff.
 2. Inmates who are allowed periods of recreation other routine social contact while being in RH shall be checked weekly by medical/mental health staff.
- D. During the rounds staff shall:
1. Interact with the inmate patient in a confidential manner to assess the physical and mental status of the inmate patient and provide the opportunity for the inmate patient to express any health care needs. This includes speaking in a manner that decreases the chance of other staff or patients overhearing the conversation by asking others to move away from the vicinity as long as safety needs are met.
 2. Select the patient list.
 3. Document rounds.
- E. Health care staff shall promptly identify and inform appropriate facility staff of inmate patients who are physically and/or psychologically deteriorating or exhibiting signs/symptoms of failing health.
- F. Notify the HSM/designee if unable to provide appropriate medical/dental care due to unresolved security barriers.
1. The HSM/designee shall attempt to resolve any identified and unresolved security barriers to providing health care to Restrictive Housing inmate patients between HSU and Security staff in accordance with DAI Policy 500.10.01.
 2. Document care provided.

II. Release from RH

- A. HSU shall be notified upon release from RH.
- B. A licensed nurse shall:
1. Review all medications for appropriate delivery (KOP or staff controlled).

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III. Responsibilities of DAI PSU are in accordance with DAI Policy 303.00.02 and DAI Policy 500.70.18.

Bureau of Health Services: _____ **Date Signed:** _____
James Greer, Director

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Medical Director

_____ **Date Signed:** _____
Mary Muse, Nursing Director

Administrator's Approval: _____ **Date Signed:** _____
Jim Schwochert , Administrator

DIVISION OF ADULT INSTITUTIONS FACILITY IMPLEMENTATION PROCEDURES

Facility: Name		
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Warden's/Center Superintendent's Approval:		

REFERENCES

DEFINITIONS, ACRONYMS, AND FORMS

FACILITY PROCEDURE

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 - A.
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RESPONSIBILITY

I. Staff

II. Inmate

III. Other