

# PREVIOUS INSPECTION 8/21/22 Location CRDF

Sybil Brand Commission For Institutional Inspections

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COMMISSIONER(S): _Grills and Miller TIME_9:00am_DATE_12/24/22_				
FACILITY NAME:	CRDF			
ADDRESS:	11705 Alameda St Lynwood, / LASD SUPERVISOR CONTACTED Watch commander on Duty: Lt. Itani			
Census:	(Capacity:_2267_) (Current Census: (_1,473_)			
Location(s) Inspected:	Intake Center; 2100			
Issues Reported to:	BOS X Officer in Charge LASD ISD OIG COC			

# **RATING:** S = Satisfactory U = Unsatisfactory CA = Corrective Action Needed N/A = Not Applicable

ITEMS	RATING	COMMENTS
1.Conditions of Confinement		
Cells/Toilets/Sinks	CA	Some sinks still not working in Intake Center
Showers (water temperature, rust, mold etc.)	CA	Shower in 2100 dirty floor, running faucet, calcification buildup
Crowding	S	
Cleanliness/Graffiti	US	Deep cleaning needed in showers etc. DMH does not come to clean.
Safety, Conflict, Tension		
Common Areas	US	2103 – one tv not working
Air Quality/Temperature	S	
Deputy/Detainee Relations (incl. specific incidents or allegations of misconduct		
Strip Search Issues		
Access (Drinking Water)	CA	Some sinks still not working in intake center
Access (Mail/Reading Materials/Law Library)		
Access (Toilets (for common room)		
Access (Toiletries, Appropriate Combs/Brushes)		
Access (Exercise, Religious Practice)		
Access (Legal Counsel)		
Access (Visitation, correspondence)		
Solitary Confinement		
Privacy/Dignity (showers, bathrooms)		New curtains place in intake center to improve privacy
Special needs populations (pregnant, non-ambulatory, hearing impaired, mentally ill, medical conditions, developmental disability)	US	Several complaints regarding medical treatment (long delays or no follow up)
Module Information Postings (re: time calculations, complaint procedures, messages to SBC)		
Complaint Procedures (e.g., Deputy, medical complaints – confidential procedures to SBC, OIG, COC)		
Fees Assessed/Money on Books		
Other:		
2. Nutrition Quality/concerns		

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Access to special diets		
3. Trustees		
Quarters		
Training & Selection		
Workload and Hours		
Calculation/Time Served		
<ol> <li>Medical Services (Access, wait times, responsiveness, TB and other medical screening, dental, vision; infectious disease protocol)</li> </ol>	US	Concerns remain in 2100 regarding access to medical care
5. Mental Health Services (Access, wait Times, treatment options, assessment procedures)	US	Concerns remain in 2100 regarding access to psychiatric care
6. Telephones Access/Functionality	US	Several phones not working in Intake center
7. EBI Services Availability/Type/Access		
Volunteer Services (Type, Access, Concerns)		
8. Clean Clothing and Bedding		
(Including laundry practices) 9. Facilities/Maintenance		
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Back Log Unfilled Order(s)		
Kitchen/ Laundry		
Chemical exposure (kitchen, laundry, trustee duties)		
10. Deputy Staffing		
Quality of Interactions w/Detainees		
Use of Force (Last 30 days)		
Assault on Staff (Last 30 days)		
Staff Training (MH, trauma informed etc.)		
11. Detainee Complaints/Concerns		
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12. Deputy Complaints/Concerns		
13. Prior Corrective Action Resolution		
<ul> <li>14. Detainee Documentation (e.g., intake/ release, procedures: classification, logs, detainee management files, exit interview – policies/procedures grievances, generated funds, classifications)</li> <li>15. Discipline Proceedings</li> </ul>		
16. Emergency Preparedness/Systems (e.g., fire extinguishers, airpack tags, emergency evacuation routes, control centers, emergency lighting fixtures, safety drills, First Aid and Suicide kits)	S	Narcan kits clearly visible in 2100
17. Grounds (conditions, unlawful postings on exterior grounds (e.g., if ever been convicted cannot visit a detainee, etc.)		
18. Inspection: Special Focus OIG: COC:COVID Procedures Community: 19. COVID-19: _COC Request		
20. PREA Issues:	U	Status of woman reported in prior inspections who claimed PREA remains in 2100 in single cell and she is unclear as to why
21. Other:	1	<u>.</u> ,

## **INSPECTION DETAILS – ANCHORED TO SUMMARY SECTIONS 1 THROUGH 17**

# CRDF Inspection Details Commissioners Grills and Miller

Inspected: 1400 (Inmate Reception) 2100 (HOH)

#### COVID

- 3 positive cases in the facility
- One trustee dorm on quarantine

#### **Intake Center**

The following findings were noted:

- Pod 8 one phone not working; sink, floor and toilets very dirty need deep cleaning
- Pod 9 two phones do not work
- Pod 7 bathroom area filthy
- Pod 6 sink's water pressure extremely low water dribbles out
- Pod 5 filthy sink and toilet area
- Pod 4 sink does not work, area dirty and visible corrosion
- Pod 3 sink does not work, area dirty and visible corrosion
- Pod 2 corrosion on sink
- Pod 1 one of two phones does not work; filthy bathroom; poor water flow on sink

We reported these issues to the Deputies on duty.

During IRC reception process, women on their cycle are required to remove tampons or sanitary napkins in front of deputies. They are not able to replace new tampons or pads or wash their hands after removing them until they are finally returned to a holding cell.

## 2103 HOH

#### RB: #6390976

Ms. B. continues to be housed in the 2103. She stated she was placed there subsequent to a PREA complaint. She does not understand why she remains in HOH and she still has concerns about serious medical conditions she feels are not be appropriately managed by the jail medical staff. She was taken to the hospital a few days before this inspection but says she was returned to the jail rather than being hospitalized due to lack of staffing at the hospital. She indicated that medical at the jail told her they were too busy to see her. A request was placed with medical with the assistance of the watch commander to do a follow up with her. Finally, Ms. B. believes she is due to be released 1/25/23 but concerned that due to her being placed in HOH she was not accruing her credits. Commissioner Grills will place a call to DMH to determine why she remains in HOH. A follow up is needed to confirm her release date but it is impacted by decisions by DMH.

#### SS: #6479886

Ms. S. stated she has a heart condition and medical is not responsive to her concerns. It is unclear whether she has a heart condition and/or if she is suffering from anxiety. She was placed on buspirone (an anti-anxiety medication used to treat short- or long-term anxiety symptoms). She has not seen a therapist to get follow-up. She also is concerned that when she pushes the emergency button in her cell there is a lengthy delay (up to an hour) before a deputy comes to check on what is of concern. Similar to Ms. B, medical was consulted and asked to follow up.

#### EM: #6086110

Has been placed in 2103 since September for "behavior problems". Unclear why she remains or what the plan is to address the behavior problems so that she can return to general population. She also noted that no one ever comes to clean the shower; that black worms come out of the faucet in her cell; and that the tv in the module has been broken for a while. (When asked about the t.v. deputies noted it was broken by two women fighting over the tv. It is unclear whether a work order has been put in or not.)

We asked the watch commander if a request could be made for DMH to clean the shower in 2103.