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Respondent

62      Anonymous

28:28

Time to complete

Inspection Information

1. Location

	Courts	Jails	Sheriff Station
Location	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

2. Location \*

NCCF

3. Date of Previous Inspection \*

9/21/2024

4. Date of this Inspection \*

4/23/2025

5. Time \*

10-1230

## 6. Commissioner(s) - (Select all that Apply) \*

- ☐ Ingrid Archie
- ☐ Puja Bhatia
- ☐ Haley Broder
- ☐ Norma Cumpian
- ☒ Wynter Daggs
- ☐ Mark - Anthony Clayton Johnson
- ☐ Bob Frutos
- ☐ Dr. Cheryl N. Grills
- ☐ Katherine Hennigan Ohanesian
- ☐ Eric J. Miller
- ☐ Raymond Regalado
- ☐ Alexander Sherman
- ☐ Joahanna Terrones
- ☒ Mary Veral
- ☐ Other

## Facility Information

## 7. Facility Name/Location Name \*

Courthouse names and locations: <https://www.lacourt.org/courthouse>

Patrol Names and locations Stations: <https://lasd.org/stations/>

LA County Jail Facilities names and locations: <https://lasd.org/custody/>

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## 8. Facility Address \*

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29340 The Old Road Castaic 91384

## 9. Name and Title of LASD Supervisor Contacted \*

Lt Gonzalez; W/C Sgt Speer

## 10. Census: Capacity \*

4100-4200

## 11. Current Census \*

3063

## 12. Location(s) Inspected: \*

Be specific, include Module(s) name(s)

EBI class and 900 building

## 13. Issues reported to (Select all that Apply): \*

- ☐ BOS
- ☒ Officer in Charge
- ☒ LASD
- ☐ ISD
- ☐ OIG
- ☐ COC
- ☐ Other

## 14. Name of the person(s) issues were reported to: \*

Lt Gonzalez

## 15. Contact Information of the person(s) contacted: \*

a8gonzale@lasd.org

**Conditions of Confinement**16. **Condition of Confinement:** Cells/Toilets/Sinks

- ☐ Satisfactory
- ☒ Unsatisfactory
- ☐ Corrective Action Needed
- ☐ Not Applicable

17. **Condition of Confinement COMMENTS RE:** Cells/Toilets/Sinks18. **Condition of Confinement:** Showers (water temperature, rust, mold etc.)

- ☐ Satisfactory
- ☒ Unsatisfactory
- ☐ Corrective Action Needed
- ☐ Not Applicable

19. **Conditions of Confinement COMMENT RE:** Showers (water temperature, rust, mold etc.)20. **Condition of Confinement:** Crowding

- ☐ Satisfactory
- ☐ Unsatisfactory
- ☐ Corrective Action Needed
- ☐ Not Applicable

## Nutrition

21. **Nutrition:** Quality/Concerns

- ☐ Satisfactory
- ☒ Unsatisfactory
- ☐ Corrective Action Needed
- ☐ Not Applicable

22. **Nutrition COMMENT RE:** Quality/Concerns

23. **Nutrition:** Access to special diets

- ☐ Satisfactory
- ☐ Unsatisfactory
- ☐ Corrective Action Needed
- ☐ Not Applicable

**Trustees**

24. **Trustees:** Quarters

- ☐ Satisfactory
- ☐ Unsatisfactory
- ☐ Corrective Action Needed
- ☐ Not Applicable

**Medical Services**

25. **Medical Services**

	Satisfactory	Unsatisfactory	Corrective Action Needed	Not Applicable
Access	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Wait Times	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Responsiveness	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
TB and Other Medical Screening	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Dental	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Vision	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Infectious Disease Protocol	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

26. **COMMENTS RE:** Medical

See narrative. Individual issues submitted separately to LASD/CHS.

## Mental Health

### 27. Mental Health Services

	Satisfactory	Unsatisfactory	Corrective Action Needed	Not Applicable
Access	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Wait Times	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Treatment Options	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Assessment Procedures	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

### 28. COMMENTS RE: Mental Health

See narrative

## Telephones

### 29. Telephones

	Satisfactory	Unsatisfactory	Corrective Action Needed	Not Applicable
Access	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Functionality	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

### 30. COMMENTS RE: Telephones

See narrative

## Education Based Incarceration Programming (EBI)

### 31. Education Based Incarceration Programming (EBI)

	Satisfactory	Unsatisfactory	Corrective Action Needed	Not Applicable
Availability	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Type	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Access	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input checked="" type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

### 32. COMMENTS RE: EBI Programming

See narrative

33. **EBI:** Volunteer Services

	Satisfactory	Unsatisfactory	Corrective Action Needed	Not Applicable
Type	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Access	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Concerns	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

34. **COMMENTS RE EBI:** Volunteer Services

**Clean Clothing and Bedding**

35. **Clean Clothing and Bedding** (including laundry practices)

- ☐ Satisfactory
- ☐ Unsatisfactory
- ☐ Corrective Action Needed
- ☐ Not Applicable

**Facilities/Maintenance**

36. **Facilities/Maintenance:** Back Log Unfilled Order(s)

- ☐ Satisfactory
- ☐ Unsatisfactory
- ☐ Corrective Action Needed
- ☐ Not Applicable

**Deputy Staffing**

37. **Deputy Staffing:** Quality of Interactions w/Detainees

	Satisfactory	Unsatisfactory	Corrective Action Needed	Not Applicable
Use of Force (Last 30 days)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Assault on Staff (Last 30 days)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Staff Training (MH, trauma informed etc.)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

38. **Deputy Staffing COMMENTS RE:** Quality of Interactions w/Detainees
39. **Detainee Complaints/Concerns COMMENTS:**

40. **Deputy Complaint/Concerns COMMENTS:**

41. **Prior Corrective Action Resolution:**

42. **Detainee Documentations** (e.g., intake/release, procedures):

	Satisfactory	Unsatisfactory	Corrective Action Needed	Not Applicable
Classification	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Logs	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Detainee management	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Exit interview - policies/procedure grievances	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Generated funds	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

43. **Detainee Documentation COMMENTS:**



**44. Discipline Proceedings:**

- ☐ Satisfactory
- ☒ Unsatisfactory
- ☐ Corrective Action Needed
- ☐ Not Applicable

**45. Discipline Proceedings COMMENTS:**

See narrative

**46. Emergency Preparedness/Systems:**

	Satisfactory	Unsatisfactory	Corrective Action Needed	Not Applicable
Fire Extinguishers	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Airpack Tags	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Emergency Evacuation Routes	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Control Centers	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Emergency Lighting Fixtures	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Safety Drills	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
First Aid and Suicide Kits	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

**47. Emergency Preparedness/Systems COMMENTS:****48. Grounds:**

	Satisfactory	Unsatisfactory	Corrective Action Needed	Not Applicable
Conditions	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Unlawful postings on exterior grounds (e.g., if ever been convicted cannot visit a detainee, etc.)	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

**49. Grounds COMMENTS:**

Inspection: Special Focus

50. Inspection: Special Focus

	Satisfactory	Unsatisfactory	Corrective Action Needed	Not Available
COC	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Community	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
CHS	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
DMH	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
DPH	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Facilities	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Food Services	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
OIG	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>
Other	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>	<input type="radio"/>

51. Inspection: Special Focus Request *(Select all that Apply)*:

- ☐ COC
- ☐ Community
- ☐ CHS
- ☐ DMH
- ☐ DPH
- ☐ Facilities
- ☐ Food Services
- ☐ OIG
- ☐ N/A
- ☐ Other

52. Inspection: Special Focus Request Comments:

53. **Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) Issues:**

- ☐ Satisfactory
- ☐ Unsatisfactory
- ☐ Corrective Action Needed
- ☐ Not Applicable

**INSPECTION DETAILS - ANCHORED TO SUMMARIZE #3 THROUGH #106**

54. Inspection Detail for #:

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56. Inspection Detail for #:

57. Inspection Detail for **OIG** Request Related to:58. Inspection Detail for **COC** Request Related to:59. Inspection Detail for **Community Request** Related to:60. **Inspection Detail:** EBI61. **Inspection Detail:** Medical62. **Inspection Detail:** Medical

63. **Inspection Detail:** Building and Maintenance *(Select all that apply)*

- ☐ Lawns
- ☐ Recreation Area
- ☐ Blacktop
- ☐ Asphalt
- ☐ General Condition
- ☐ Paint
- ☐ Roof
- ☐ Drains/Gutters
- ☐ Not Applicable
- ☐ Other

## 64. Inspection Detail: Building and Maintenance

**INSPECTION DETAIL: INTERIOR OF BUILDINGS(S)**65. **Inspection Detail:** Interior of Building(s) and Maintenance *(Select all that apply)*

- ☐ Walls
- ☐ Paint
- ☐ Floors
- ☐ Drains
- ☐ Plumbing fixtures working
- ☐ Air Vents
- ☐ Windows
- ☐ Not Applicable
- ☐ Other

66. Inspection Detail **Interior of Building:**

67. Are Cleaning fluids and chemicals labeled and safely stored?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ Not Applicable
- ☐ Other

68. Weapons locker present?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ Not Applicable
- ☐ Other

69. Recreation/Sports Equipment:

70. Are the hallways clear, are doors propped open or closed?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ Not Applicable
- ☐ Other

71. Holding areas (cells/rooms), is there access to drinking water and toilet?

- ☐ Yes
- ☐ No
- ☐ Not Applicable
- ☐ Other

72. Condition of individual cells/rooms, or dormitories:

73. Beds - Type of bed and is it off the floor?

## 74. Adequate lighting:

## 75. Temperature:

## 76. Narrative Report

EBI program La Cada had 13 participants and 3 deputies

Part of the START Program

Engaged instructor Jarrett from a community-based drug treatment program and high participation for the class

Had a new enrollee that day

Court ordered people get priority- they are provided a progress letter at 12 classes and upon completion (24 classes)

Max 15 participants allowed in that class

Very unclear how someone enrolls in this class. The class seemed very useful and positive - it is disappointing there are not more people with access. We were told that generally someone must submit an inmate request form to participate in the program. Given the significant problems we regularly observe with these forms this is deeply concerning and seems like an unnecessary barrier to EBI programs.

No one could tell us how a waiting list is utilized or how it is tracked

Follow up request: please provide SBC with a written out, step-by-step process of how someone goes from requesting participation to enrollment in a class. We are often asked about this process from people in the jail, defense attorneys and public defenders, court personnel, and family/community members so it would be very useful to understand the complete process.

913 - (Opioid Use Disorder/OD) Overdose module

Count: 5

Lunches consistently cold, opened at the bubble, and trustees are not allowed to give until the deputies give the go-ahead which the people in 913 said is usually delayed without a shared or specific reason. On average the food will sit for a couple hours and they were concerned about sanitary issues with the food because of this.

People here report being hungry and not receiving enough food

There was an issue where the feces from one cell will back up into another cell when flushed and vice versa

They had recently fixed the cell flooding

They had hot water in showers but not in the day room

People in 913 shared that the deputies still separate time out by folks with cells on the top and cells on the bottom limiting their time to the day room and phones, despite there being only 5 incarcerated people in there, which seemed to be fine when they were let into the dayroom minutes prior to our announced arrival in that module area

Both phones work

They felt they were treated like the discipline module which was next door

They did have access to coffee, TV and EBI

They did not have books or access to library

They complained about only getting one bottle of cleaning supplies a week

There were not Inmate Request Forms and Commissioners requested and refilled

They had PREA and NARCAN

They have to request trustee trash pick up but it happens

People are housed here for 30 days and then returned to their housing

Please document the process (from CHS referral to LASD housing) how a person accesses this dorm. Given the widespread problem of people with SUD in the jails this program should be much more robust.

912 - HOH/MOH/Pre-Discipline

Cell 5 had feces in the toilet, not occupied

Shower had significant leak

Seems showers do not happen in this dorm because the hold is 72 hours on average

Cell 8 (name redacted) was in significant

distress - went into medical for chronic health issues but the nurse put him on a mental hold/ suicide watch delaying him being able to be transferred to the hospital. This meant he was stripped of any clothing, mattress or sheets. These conditions were severely negatively impacting him. He shared that he had been requesting to speak to the Sergeant to better understand why he was in this situation and had not been able to get an answer to that.

Deputies said that no mattress is what is cleared for HOH but because of their training and capacity they take mattresses from all HOH and MOH people at NCCF

Cell 12 had what looked like bullet holes that the deputies on shift couldn't explain

911 was the other dorm in this area and that was OSJ holds, quarantines, and medical holds

## 77. Narrative Continued

Disciplinary - 915  
7 deputies staffed in the module - all were sitting around when reported findings from our inspection  
People are not receiving Title 15 allowed property in the discipline module  
NCCF is still using a direct admit policy to the disciplinary module but did not appear to have any particular documentation process as to how/when this is used. As a result, some pre-discipline people are in 912 with their property and some are already in the hole without anything (even though they had not had their due process/DRB yet)  
Property is confiscated from people when still on pre-discipline status  
Showers every other day. Showers were skipped the day of our visit  
Only when they are let out to shower are they able to throw trash out of their cell  
They have no cleaning supplies  
No toothpaste had been given out in over 5 days And many shared they had never received any  
No notice to families that they will not be able to contact them prior to going to discipline - one person in pre-discipline asked us to contact his family because they were driving from far away for the visit and he wasn't allowed to call them.  
They only have access to hygiene on commissary - not what is in their property even though it is allowable via Title 15  
Hallway 980-B smelled like feces  
Showers in this area are freezing cold despite hot water in their cells  
Almost none of the men we spoke to had pencils (at least 10), making it not possible for them to fill out the Inmate Request Forms, despite this being the only avenue we were told people had to address a need or issue while in this housing area. When we raised this a staff member said he was not going to give them pencils because they draw graffiti.  
Officer Mota was reportedly one of the few officers in that area that is engaging by account of the folks there and we also saw him do proper checks.  
One man showed us a maggot in his food  
One man showed us a large roach in his cell  
This module is 100% reliant on Deputies conducting title 15 security checks for all their needs and follow up. They do not have meaningful access to complaint forms or any other type of communication for their basic needs. As a result it appears that most of these issues regularly go unaddressed or ignored.

## 78. Narrative Continued

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## 81. Narrative Continued

## 82. Overall, how would you rate this facility? \*

- ☐ Satisfactory
- ☒ Unsatisfactory