

COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES
PROBATION DEPARTMENT

DIRECTIVE

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SUBJECT: INTERAGENCY TRAINING REQUIREMENT FOR DSB STAFF

It shall be the policy of the Los Angeles County Probation Department that staff shall provide a safe and secure environment for minors in custody. In order to ensure this, staff working with detained youth shall receive appropriate training relative to the supervision and management of youth pursuant to standards set by the California State Board of Corrections and the Los Angeles County Probation Department. "Interagency training" shall be utilized to enhance the skills needed to effectively manage detained youth.

All staff shall attend training in all areas related to the supervision and management of youth as part of the ongoing training and staff development process. This training may include: Suicide Prevention training, Mental Health related training topics, Health Services training, Use of Force training, and other training related to the care of detained minors.

If there are any questions regarding this Directive, please contact the Detention Services Bureau (DSB) Consultant at (562) 940-2851.


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