POLICY

The implementation and administration of the Kansas Community Corrections Act, as provided in K.S.A. 75-5290 et seq., is to be in accordance with rules and regulations promulgated and adopted by the Secretary of Corrections. Specific memoranda and directives are to be issued, as needed, to ensure compliance with applicable statutes and regulations.

DEFINITIONS

None.

PROCEDURES

I. Development, Amendment and/or Revocation of Regulations for the Community Corrections Act

A. Regulations for the implementation and administration of the Community Corrections Act are to be developed, amended, revised and/or revoked in accordance with the filing and approval procedures for Kansas Administrative Regulations (KARs), as detailed in K.S.A. 77-416 through 77-422 (Adult) and K.S.A 75-7034 through 75-7071 (Juvenile).

B. Departmental staff are to submit proposals for new regulations, and/or proposals for amendments, revisions or revocations to existing regulations in accordance with IMPP 01-101D.

II. Community Corrections Rules and Regulations

A. Department staff are to adhere to the community corrections rules and regulations established in Kansas Administrative Regulations.

B. No Internal Management Policy and Procedure (IMPP) is to be developed regarding the administration of the Community Corrections Act.

1. The Deputy Secretary of Juvenile and Adult Community Based Services, or designee is to develop more specific procedural memoranda and directives, as necessary, to enable and enforce compliance with applicable statutes and KARs by local community corrections programs.

C. Copies of the Kansas Community Corrections Act and related Kansas Administrative Regulations are to be readily available to departmental community corrections staff.

NOTE: The policy and procedures set forth herein are intended to establish directives and guidelines for staff, residents and offenders and those entities that are contractually bound to adhere to them. They are not intended to
establish State created liberty interests for employees, residents or offenders, or an independent duty owed by the Department of Corrections to employees, residents, offenders, or third parties. Similarly, those references to the standards of various accrediting entities as may be contained within this document are included solely to manifest the commonality of purpose and direction as shared by the content of the document and the content of the referenced standards. Any such references within this document neither imply accredited status by a Departmental facility or organizational unit, nor indicate compliance with the standards so cited. The policy and procedures contained within this document are intended to be compliant with all applicable statutes and/or regulatory requirements of the Federal Government and the state of Kansas. This policy and procedure are not intended to establish or create new constitutional rights or to enlarge or expand upon existing constitutional rights or duties.

REPORTS
None.

REFERENCES
KSA 75-5290 et. seq.; 77-416 through 77-422; 75-7034 through 75-7071
IMPP 01-101D

HISTORY
11-01-21 Original

ATTACHMENTS
None.