POLICY

In each facility there shall be an administrative segregation review board appointed by the warden. The board shall consist of one person from the security staff, one person from the clinical staff, and one person from the classification staff.

DEFINITIONS

None.

PROCEDURES

I. Procedure for the administrative segregation review board upon initial placement.

A. Within three working days of an inmate’s initial placement, the administrative segregation review board shall hold an initial hearing to review the placement decision.

1. This requirement shall apply to every case of administrative segregation.

2. Except as provided in procedural section I.D., below, the board shall interview the inmate.

B. The inmate shall be given the opportunity to present the inmate’s case.

C. When necessary the board shall obtain clarifying information from the officer and staff involved in the placement.

D. If the board determines the inmate to be disruptive or a danger to self or others, the board may exclude the inmate from the review.

   1. In this situation, the board shall, if possible, interview the inmate at the cell or obtain a written statement from the inmate in response to the placement.

II. Regular review and monitoring by the administrative segregation review board.

A. The administrative segregation review board shall review the status of each inmate confined in administrative segregation once per week for the first thirty days, and once per month thereafter.
B. The board may recommend that the inmate be retained in administrative segregation.

1. This recommendation shall:
   a. Be by unanimous vote of the board; and
   b. Become the final action in the case for that particular review period, and shall not be forwarded to the facility warden for approval.

C. The board shall otherwise recommend to the facility warden in writing, one of the following actions:

1. The board may recommend that the inmate be returned to general population; or,

2. The board may recommend that the inmate be transferred to another Kansas facility or to another institution in another state or to a federal institution.

D. The inmate may submit written requests for release to the administrative segregation review board.

III. **Regular review and monitoring by the program management committee.**

   A. The program management committee of each facility housing segregation inmates shall review those inmates maintained continuously in administrative segregation at least every 180 days.

IV. **Reports by warden on inmates continuously housed in administrative segregation for over one year.**

   A. The warden of each facility housing segregation inmates shall annually submit a report to the Deputy Secretary for Facilities Management for all inmates continuously held in administrative segregation for a year or longer, and on each anniversary thereafter.

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**REPORTS REQUIRED**

As Required by Applicable Policy

**REFERENCES**

KSA 75-5210, 75-5251, 75-5252
ACI 3-4238, 3-4241, 3-4242

**ATTACHMENTS**

None