POLICY

In each facility there shall be a system of complaint resolution for administrative segregation inmates.

DEFINITIONS

None.

PROCEDURES

I. Inmate complaints and institution compliance monitor.

A. Upon verbal request of any inmate in administrative segregation, an inmate request form and a writing implement with which to make a written complaint to the administrative segregation review board concerning the inmate's condition or treatment shall be provided to that inmate.

B. The warden, or a member of the staff which reports directly to the warden, shall make a weekly on-site spot check, interviewing at least two inmates, to determine compliance with institution and department policy, rules and regulations.

1. A notation shall be made in the log stating the name of the inmate interviewed and the name of the staff member making the check.

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REPORTS REQUIRED

None
REFERENCES
KSA 75-5210, 75-5251, 75-5252

ATTACHMENTS
None