

Central Virginia Regional Jail

2016 PREA Annual Report

This report has been created in correspondence with Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) Standard 115.87 to assess and help further improve the effectiveness of its sexual abuse prevention, detection, response policies and training to include;

- ❖ Identifying problem areas
- ❖ Taking corrective action on an ongoing basis; and
- ❖ Preparing an annual report of its findings from its data review.

In 2016 the Central Virginia Regional Jail has adopted PREA and has enlisted a PREA Coordinator and a PREA Compliance Manager to help ensure a safe and secure culture amongst inmates and staff. Central Virginia Regional Jail has a zero-tolerance policy for all forms of sexual misconduct and holds inmates and staff accountable for their actions.

Facility Upgrades

Central Virginia Regional Jail has undergone extensive renovations over the past year to include four new housing units, a segregation unit, a kitchen and a new booking/intake department. Each area has been equipped with the latest in digital recording equipment and the facility has purchased Axon body cameras to be worn by all security staff to further ensure the safety of officers and inmates.

Definitions:

Staff: Facility employees, contractors, volunteers, and any other person providing services within the department

Inmate: Any person confined at the Central Virginia Regional Jail

Unsubstantiated Allegation - An allegation that was investigated and the investigation produced insufficient evidence to make a final determination as to whether or not the event occurred.

Substantiated Allegation - An allegation that was investigated and determined to have occurred.

Unfounded Allegation - An allegation that was investigated and determined not to have occurred.


Allegation of Inmate-on-Inmate Sexual Harassment		
	2015	2016
Substantiated	0	1
Unsubstantiated	0	1
Unfounded	0	0
Total	0	2

Allegation of Inmate-on-Inmate Abusive Sexual Contact		
	2015	2016
Substantiated	0	0
Unsubstantiated	0	0
Unfounded	0	3
Total	0	3

Allegation of Staff Sexual Misconduct		
	2015	2016
Substantiated	0	0
Unsubstantiated	0	0
Unfounded	0	0
Total	0	0

Allegation of Staff Sexual Harassment		
	2015	2016
Substantiated	0	0
Unsubstantiated	0	0
Unfounded	0	1
Total	0	1

Colonel Frank E. Dyer III, Superintendent

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