Marquette County Jail 2020 Annual PREA Report

The Marquette County Jail Custody Manual (Lexipol) was previously reviewed and approved by the Wisconsin Office of Detention Facilities (WOFD) on April 10, 2017.

During 2020, the Marquette County Sheriff's Office (MASO) continued to work towards Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) compliance. This included education and training.

Between February and April 2020, Correctional staff, Mental Health Professional, site Nurse and PREA Investigator completed National Institute of Corrections (NIC) online training course(s). The course included PREA: Your Role Responding to Sexual Abuse, PREA: Investigating Sexual Abuse in a Confinement Setting (Advanced Investigations) and PREA: Behavioral Health Care for Sexual Assault Victims in a Confinement Setting.

PREA posters with "Zero Tolerance" information, how to report contact information and third-party reporting were posted throughout the facility and public lobby.

On July 15, 2020, Nancy Thelen of WOFD conducted an onsite Jail Inspection. Noted in the Summary of Operational Changes and Initiatives was the motivation to work towards PREA compliance in the future. The 2020 Jail Inspection yielded **no violations** of Administrative Code during the onsite inspection review.

November 16 - 17, 2020, PREA Coordinator and Investigator attended PREA Investigator training in Green Bay, WI.

2021 Goals in working towards PREA compliance

- Continued education and training for supervisors, investigator and administrative staff.
- Facility updates and improvements
- Reviewing Policy and Procedures
- DOC PREA Compliance Review site visit
- MOU with HOPE House

2020 Male and Female Average Daily Population (ADP)

Male inmates on December 31, 2020 = 15 # Female inmates on December 31, 2020 = 4

Male ADP from January 1 – December 31, 2020 = 16 Female ADP from January 1 – December 31, 2020 = 4

Definitions

Substantiated – The event was investigated and determined to have occurred, based on preponderance of the evidence.

Unsubstantiated – The investigation concluded that evidence was insufficient to determine whether the event occurred.

Unfounded - The investigation determined the event did NOT occur.

2020 Reporting Categories

Inmate on Inmate Sexual Acts = 0

Inmate on Inmate Sexual Abuse = 0

Inmate on Inmate Sexual Harassment = 0

Staff, Contractor or Volunteer Sexual Abuse = 0

Staff, Contractor or Volunteer Sexual Harassment = 0

There were no reported cases in 2020

Report Approved

Sheriff Joseph R. Konrath

Date

13/30/2012