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February 5, 2013

Allison Hallett, Superintendent  
Massachusetts Alcohol and Substance Abuse Center  
2 Administration Road  
Bridgewater, MA 02324

Re: Massachusetts Alcohol and Substance Abuse Center Facility Inspection

Dear Superintendent Hallett:

In accordance with M.G.L. c. 111, §§ 5, 20, and 21, and Department of Public Health Regulations 105 CMR 451.000: Minimum Health and Sanitation Standards and Inspection Procedures for Correctional Facilities; 105 CMR 480.000: Storage and Disposal of Infectious or Physically Dangerous Medical or Biological Waste (State Sanitary Code, Chapter VIII); 105 CMR 590.000: Minimum Sanitation Standards for Food Establishments (State Sanitary Code Chapter X); the 1999 Food Code; and 105 CMR 205.000 Minimum Standards Governing Medical Records and the Conduct of Physical Examinations in Correctional Facilities; I conducted an inspection of the Massachusetts Alcohol and Substance Abuse Center on January 24, 2013 accompanied by Michael DeCosta, EHSO, and Paul Halfmann, Assistant Director of the Community Sanitation Program. Violations noted are listed below (\* indicates conditions documented on previous inspection reports).

### Administration Building # 5

#### *Lobby*

FC 4-903.11(A)(2)

Protection of Clean Items, Storing: Single-service items not protected from contamination, utensils left uncovered

#### *Women's Room # 102*

No Violations Noted

#### *Men's Room # 143*

105 CMR 451.123

Maintenance: Ceiling damaged, crack in ceiling

#### *Male Officers Locker Room # 114*

No Violations Noted

#### *Female Officers Locker Room # 115*

No Violations Noted

*Roll Call Room # 117*

FC 4-903.11(A)(2)

Protection of Clean Items, Storing: Single-service items not protected from contamination, utensils left uncovered

FC 4-903.11(B)(1)

Protection of Clean Items, Storing: Pots/Pans under sink not stored in the inverted/self-draining position

*Slop Sink # 121*

105 CMR 451.353

Interior Maintenance: Light shield missing

*Offices*

No Violations Noted

**Food Service Area # 6**

*Kitchen*

FC 6-201.11

Design, Construction and Installation: Floor not easily cleanable, floor damaged under dishwashing sink

FC 4-903.11(B)(1)

Protection of Clean Items, Storing: Trays not stored in the inverted/self-draining position

FC 6-201.16(A)

Design, Construction, and Installation; Cleanability: Walls not easily cleanable, wall damaged under sink across from ice machine

FC 5-205.15(B)

Plumbing System, Operations and Maintenance: Plumbing system not maintained in good repair, pipe leaking under 3-bay sink

FC 6-501.111(B)

Maintenance and Operations; Pest Control: Insects observed inside light shield above 3-bay sink

*Food Storage*

FC 6-201.11

Design, Construction and Installation: Floor not easily cleanable, tiles damaged next to cooler unit

FC 6-501.12(A)

Maintenance and Operation; Cleaning: Facility not cleaned properly, floor dirty behind cooler unit

*Dining Area*

No Violations Noted

**Intake # 6**

*Toxic/Caustic Cabinet*

No Violations Noted

*Inmate Bathroom # 151*

No Violations Noted

*Slop Sink Room # 152*

No Violations Noted

*Urinalysis Room # 153*

105 CMR 451.353

Interior Maintenance: Light shield missing

*Staff Bathroom # 154*

No Violations Noted

*Biohazard Storage Room # 155*

105 CMR 451.353

Interior Maintenance: Interior of biohazard freezer dirty

105 CMR 451.353

Interior Maintenance: Light shield missing

*Laundry Cage*

No Violations Noted

*Medication Room # 161*

No Violations Noted

*X-Ray Room*

No Violations Noted

*Dentist Office # 162 and 164*

No Violations Noted

*Shower Room # 167*

No Violations Noted

*Shake Room # 168*

No Violations Noted

*Property Room # 170*  
FC 4-903.11(A)(2)

Protection of Clean Items, Storing: Single-service items not protected from contamination, utensils left uncovered

*Property Room # 171*  
105 CMR 451.353

Interior Maintenance: Wet mop stored in bucket

*Doctor's Office*

No Violations Noted

**A Barracks**

**A1 Barracks**

*Officer's Station # 186*

No Violations Noted

*Officer's Bathroom # 185*

No Violations Noted

*Sleeping Area*  
105 CMR 451.350

Structural Maintenance: Floor damaged near bed # 34A and 35A

*Laundry*

No Violations Noted

*Inmate Bathroom*  
105 CMR 451.130  
105 CMR 451.123

Hot Water: Shower water temperature recorded at 95°F  
Maintenance: Wall damaged, paint peeling on wooden baseboard under sink

**A2 Barracks**

*Sleeping Area*

No Violations Noted

*Inmate Bathroom*  
105 CMR 451.124

Showers In Use – Unable to Inspect  
Water Supply: Insufficient water pressure at handwash sink near urinals

**B Barracks**

**B1 Barracks**

*Officer's Station # 201*

No Violations Noted

*Officer's Bathroom # 201A*

No Violations Noted

*Toxic and Caustic Storage Room # 203*

105 CMR 451.353

Interior Maintenance: Light shield missing

*Sleeping Area*

FC 4-602.12(B)

FC 4-601.11(B)

Cleaning of Equipment and Utensils; Frequency: Interior of microwave oven dirty  
Cleaning of Equipment and Utensils, Objective: Food contact surface dirty, toaster oven dirty

*Inmate Bathroom*

105 CMR 451.353

Interior Maintenance: Unlabeled chemical bottles

**B2 Barracks**

*Sleeping Area*

105 CMR 451.103

Mattresses: Mattress damaged in bed # 21A

*Slop Sink Room # 200*

No Violations Noted

*Inmate Bathroom*

105 CMR 451.123

105 CMR 451.123

Maintenance: Shower floor damaged

Maintenance: Mirror damaged

**C Barracks**

**C1 Barracks**

*Officer's Station # 218*

No Violations Noted

*Officer's Bathroom # 218A*

No Violations Noted

*Workout Area*

No Violations Noted

*Laundry*

105 CMR 451.350

Structural Maintenance: Ceiling tiles missing

*Inmate Bathroom*

No Violations Noted

**C2 Barracks**

*Sleeping Area*

105 CMR 451.103

Mattresses: Mattress damaged in bed # 10A

*Inmate Bathroom*  
105 CMR 451.123  
105 CMR 451.130  
105 CMR 451.123

Maintenance: Shower floor damaged  
Plumbing: Plumbing not maintained in good repair, showerhead leaking  
Maintenance: Wall dirty

## **D Barracks**

### **D1 Barracks**

*Officer's Station*  
FC 4-602.12(B)

Cleaning of Equipment and Utensils; Frequency: Interior of microwave oven dirty

*Storage Closet*

No Violations Noted

*Sleeping Area*

No Violations Noted

*Medical Cells*

No Violations Noted

*Inmate Bathroom*  
105 CMR 451.126

Hot Water: Hot water temperature recorded at 99<sup>0</sup>F

*Nurses' Station # 231*

No Violations Noted

*Nurses' Bathroom*

No Violations Noted

*Medical Cell # 233*

No Violations Noted

### **D2 Barracks**

*Sleeping Area*  
105 CMR 451.103

Mattresses: Mattress damaged in bed # 20

*Slop Sink Room # 230*

No Violations Noted

*Inmate Bathroom*  
105 CMR 451.123  
105 CMR 451.123

Maintenance: Shower floor damaged  
Maintenance: Ceiling damaged, paint peeling around vent

## **Observations and Recommendations**

- The inmate population was 154 at the time of inspection

This facility does not comply with the Department's Regulations cited above. In accordance with 105 CMR 451.404, please indicate next to each entry on the inspection report a plan of correction. Said plan of correction must be submitted within ten working days of receiving this report and should detail the specific steps that will be taken and the date of expected compliance. The plan of correction should be submitted to my attention, at the address listed above.

To review the specific regulatory requirements please visit our website at [www.mass.gov/dph/dcs](http://www.mass.gov/dph/dcs) and click on "Community Sanitation Regulations" (available in both PDF and RTF formats).

To review the Food Establishment regulations please visit the Food Protection website at [www.mass.gov/dph/fpp](http://www.mass.gov/dph/fpp) and click on "Food Protection Regulations". Then under "Retail" click "105 CMR 590.000 - State Sanitary Code Chapter X – Minimum Sanitation Standards for Food Establishments" and "1999 Food Code".

This inspection report is signed and certified under the pains and penalties of perjury.

Sincerely,



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