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Michael Corsini, Superintendent
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Re: Facility Inspection – Massachusetts Treatment Center, Bridgewater

Dear Superintendent Corsini:

In accordance with M.G.L. c. 111, §§ 5, 20, and 21, as well as Massachusetts Department of Public Health (Department) 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 Treatment Center on February 25 and 26, 2014 accompanied by Jim Robinson, Environmental Health and Safety Officer. Violations noted during the inspection are listed below including 45 repeat violations:

HEALTH AND SAFETY VIOLATIONS

(* indicates conditions documented on previous inspection reports)

Front Lobby

Waiting Area

No Violations Noted

Men's Bathroom

No Violations Noted

Women's Bathroom

No Violations Noted

Control Area

Roll Call Room

No Violations Noted

Men's Locker Room

105 CMR 451.353

Interior Maintenance: Sink countertop damaged

Women's Locker Room

No Violations Noted

Booking

No Violations Noted

Utility Closet

No Violations Noted

Visiting Room

No Violations Noted

Fire Safety Room

No Violations Noted

Central Laundry

105 CMR 451.353*

Interior Maintenance: Wet mop stored in bucket

Archives

No Violations Noted

A Unit

105 CMR 451.353*

Interior Maintenance: Carpet damaged in the Pit area

A1 Unit

Officer's Trap

No Violations Noted

Main Area

105 CMR 451.353*

Interior Maintenance: Floor not maintained in good repair, floor tile damaged by cell # AG-8, AG-14, and AG-16

105 CMR 451.353*

Interior Maintenance: Right stairwell tread damaged

105 CMR 451.353*

Interior Maintenance: Floor not maintained in good repair, floor molding damaged outside of cell # AG-3

105 CMR 451.353

Interior Maintenance: Dryer not vented to the exterior

Showers

No Violations Noted

Cells

105 CMR 451.353

Interior Maintenance: Floor not maintained in good repair, floor damaged in cell # AM-11, AG-11, and AG-14

A2 Unit

Main Area

105 CMR 451.353

Interior Maintenance: Ceiling not maintained in good repair, paint peeling

105 CMR 451.350

Structural Maintenance: Floor not easily cleanable, floor cracked

105 CMR 451.353

Interior Maintenance: Dryer not vented to the exterior

Classroom # A1-8

105 CMR 451.353

Interior Maintenance: Ceiling not maintained in good repair, ceiling damaged

105 CMR 451.353

Interior Maintenance: Carpet dirty

Showers

105 CMR 451.123*
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Maintenance: Floor damaged in shower # AM-36
Maintenance: Ceiling damaged, paint peeling in shower # AM-35
Maintenance: Ceiling dirty, appearance of mold in shower # AM-36
Maintenance: Door frame rusted in shower # AG-36
Maintenance: Drain flies observed in shower # AM-35

Cells

No Violations Noted

Health Service Unit

105 CMR 451.350*

Structural Maintenance: Three broken hallway windows outside of HSU

Biohazard Room # A1-23

No Violations Noted

Main Area

No Violations Noted

Break Room # A1-65

105 CMR 451.353
FC 4-903.11(A)(2)

Interior Maintenance: Trim around sink damaged
Protection of Clean Items, Storing: Single-service items not protected from contamination, utensils not stored handles up

Nurse Practitioner's Office

No Violations Noted

Medical Records Room

No Violations Noted

Medication Room # A1-35

No Violations Noted

X-Ray Room # A1-46

No Violations Noted

Dentist's Office A1-37

105 CMR 451.130
105 CMR 451.130

Plumbing: Plumbing not maintained in good repair, cold water faucet leaking
Plumbing: Plumbing not maintained in good repair, faucet difficult to turn on

Patient Bathroom # A1-69

No Violations Noted

Exam Room

No Violations Noted

Utility Closet

No Violations Noted

Exam Room # A1-49

105 CMR 451.353

Interior Maintenance: Patient exam table damaged

Officer's Area

105 CMR 451.353*

Interior Maintenance: Chair cushions damaged

Men's Bathroom

No Violations Noted

Women's Bathroom

No Violations Noted

Staff Bathroom

No Violations Noted

Therapy Suite

No Violations Noted

Utility Closet

105 CMR 451.353

Interior Maintenance: Wet mop stored in bucket

Therapy Men's Bathroom

No Violations Noted

Therapy Women's Bathroom

No Violations Noted

B Unit

B1 Unit

Officer's Trap

FC 4-602.12(B)

FC 4-501.11(A)

Cleaning of Equipment and Utensils; Frequency: Interior of microwave oven dirty
Maintenance and Operation, Equipment: Equipment not maintained in a state of good
repair, refrigerator door handle broken

Main Area

105 CMR 451.350*

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105 CMR 451.353

Structural Maintenance: Window broken near washer/dryer unit

Interior Maintenance: Dryer not vented to the exterior

Screens: Screen damaged near washer/dryer unit

Interior Maintenance: Floor not maintained in good repair, floor damaged near cell #
BG-14

Showers

105 CMR 451.123

105 CMR 451.123

Maintenance: Floor damaged around drain in shower # BG-13

Maintenance: Drain flies observed in shower # BG-12

Cells

No Violations Noted

B2 Unit

Main Area

105 CMR 451.353

Interior Maintenance: Dryer not vented to the exterior

Showers

No Violations Noted

Cells

105 CMR 451.350*

Structural Maintenance: Ceiling not easily cleaning, ceiling damaged in cell # 24

105 CMR 451.350	Structural Maintenance: Ceiling not easily cleaning, ceiling damaged in cell # 25 and 26
105 CMR 451.353	Interior Maintenance: Floor not maintained in good repair, floor damaged outside cell # 5 and 11

Utility Closet # B1-11
105 CMR 451.130

Plumbing: Plumbing not maintained in good repair, slop sink leaking

Maintenance Corridor

Maintenance Workshop

No Violations Noted

Staff Bathroom
105 CMR 451.123*

Maintenance: Countertop damaged

Store Room # B1-75
105 CMR 451.350

Structural Maintenance: Ceiling not easily cleanable, ceiling damaged

Tool Crib Room # B1-74

No Violations Noted

Canteen Room
FC 4-501.11(A)*

Maintenance and Operation, Equipment: Equipment not maintained in a state of good repair, freezer door damaged

FC 4-501.11(B)*

Maintenance and Operation, Equipment: Equipment components not maintained in a state of good repair, freezer gasket damaged

Barber Shop

No Violations Noted

Food Service

South-Side Dining Area

No Violations Noted

North-Side Dining Area

No Violations Noted

Kitchen

3-Bay Sink Area
FC 5-205.15(B)*

Plumbing System, Operations and Maintenance: Plumbing system not maintained in good repair, faucets leaking

Rinse/Dishwashing Area
FC 5-205.15(B)*

Plumbing System, Operations and Maintenance: Plumbing system not maintained in good repair, rinse hose faucet leaking

Serving Area

No Violations Noted

Cooler # 6/Freezer Unit

No Violations Noted

<i>Dry Storage</i> FC 6-501.11*	Maintenance and Operation; Repairing: Facility not in good repair, ceiling leaking
<i>Recycling Area</i>	No Violations Noted
<i>Toxic/Caustic</i>	No Violations Noted
<i>Inmate Bathroom</i> FC 6-501.11	Maintenance and Operation; Repairing: Facility not in good repair, toilet seat damaged
<i>Swill Room</i> FC 4-501.11(B)	Maintenance and Operation, Equipment: Equipment components not maintained in a state of good repair, cooler gaskets damaged
<u>Staff Food Service</u>	
<i>Dining Area</i>	No Violations Noted
<i>Kitchen</i> FC 6-301.20	Numbers and Capacity; Handwashing Facilities: No waste receptacle provided for disposable towel
FC 4-501.114(A)	Maintenance and Operation; Equipment: Chlorine Sanitizer solution tested greater than recommended concentration
FC 6-202.11(A)	Design, Construction, and Installation; Functionality: Light shield damaged
FC 5-501.113(A)	Refuse, Recyclables, and Returnables: Trash receptacles not kept covered
<i>Prep Area</i>	No Violations Noted
<i>Storage Area</i>	No Violations Noted
<u>Gym</u>	
<i>Main Area</i> 105 CMR 451.350*	Structural Maintenance: Ceiling not easily cleanable, ceiling leaking
105 CMR 451.353	Interior Maintenance: Gym equipment padding damaged
105 CMR 451.353	Interior Maintenance: Floor not maintained in good repair, floor damaged by gym equipment
<i>Men's Staff Bathroom</i> 105 CMR 451.130*	Plumbing: Plumbing not maintained in good repair, shower out-of-order
<i>Women's Staff Bathroom</i>	No Violations Noted
<i>Inmate Bathroom</i>	No Violations Noted
<i>Utility Room</i> 105 CMR 451.353	Interior Maintenance: Floor not maintained in good repair, ceiling damaged

Office
FC 4-501.11(B)

Maintenance and Operation, Equipment: Equipment components not maintained in a state of good repair, refrigerator gasket dirty

C Unit

C1 Unit

Officer's Trap

No Violations Noted

Main Area

105 CMR 451.353*

Interior Maintenance: Floor not maintained in good repair, floor molding damaged across from cell # 1

105 CMR 451.130

Plumbing: Plumbing not maintained in good repair, sink leaking

105 CMR 451.353

Interior Maintenance: Dryer not vented to the exterior

Showers

No Violations Noted

Cells

105 CMR 451.353*

Interior Maintenance: Floor not maintained in good repair, floor damaged in cell # 6

C2 Unit

Main Area

105 CMR 451.350*

Structural Maintenance: Ceiling not easily cleaning, ceiling damaged

Utility Closet

No Violations Noted

Showers

105 CMR 451.123

Maintenance: Floor damaged in shower # CM-36

Cells

No Violations Noted

D Unit

D1 Unit

Officer's Trap

105 CMR 451.353

Interior Maintenance: Chair padding damaged

Main Area

105 CMR 451.350

Structural Maintenance: Ceiling not easily cleanable, ceiling damaged

Showers

No Violations Noted

Cells

No Violations Noted

D2 Unit

Main Area

105 CMR 451.350*

105 CMR 451.353

Structural Maintenance: Ceiling not easily cleanable, ceiling damaged

Interior Maintenance: Stair tread damaged

Showers

No Violations Noted

Cells

No Violations Noted

MODULAR UNITS

South 1

Medication Room

No Violations Noted

Exam Room

No Violations Noted

Back Room

No Violations Noted

Day Room

105 CMR 451.353*

Interior Maintenance: Damaged table

Staff Bathroom

105 CMR 451.123

105 CMR 451.123

Maintenance: Floor damaged, base molding damaged

Maintenance: Ceiling damaged

Offices

No Violations Noted

Dorms

No Violations Noted

Utility Closet

105 CMR 451.350*

Structural Maintenance: Wall not easily cleanable, wall damaged

East Bathroom

Bathroom

105 CMR 451.123*

105 CMR 451.123

105 CMR 451.123

Maintenance: Wall damaged

Maintenance: Sink countertop damaged

Maintenance: Partitions rusted

Showers

Unable to Inspect – Under Construction

West Bathroom

Bathroom

No Violations Noted

Showers

No Violations Noted

South 2

Old Laundry Area

No Violations Noted

Back Room

No Violations Noted

Day Room

105 CMR 451.353*

Interior Maintenance: Damaged table

Staff Bathroom

No Violations Noted

Break Room

No Violations Noted

Utility Closet

105 CMR 451.350*

Structural Maintenance: Floor not easily cleanable, floor damaged

105 CMR 451.350*

Structural Maintenance: Wall not easily cleanable, wall damaged

Dorms

No Violations Noted

East Bathroom

Bathroom

105 CMR 451.123*

Maintenance: Partitions rusted

105 CMR 451.123

Maintenance: Wall damaged

105 CMR 451.123

Maintenance: Wall vent rusted

Showers

105 CMR 451.123

Maintenance: Wall damaged in shower # 1-4

105 CMR 451.123

Maintenance: Floor damaged in shower # 1-4

105 CMR 451.130

Plumbing: Plumbing not maintained in good repair, shower # 4 out-of-order

West Bathroom

Bathroom

105 CMR 451.130*

Plumbing: Plumbing not maintained in good repair, urinal out-of-order

Showers

105 CMR 451.123*

Maintenance: Soap scum on walls in all showers

105 CMR 451.130

Plumbing: Plumbing not maintained in good repair, shower # 1 leaking

North 1

Old Laundry Area

No Violations Noted

Back Room

No Violations Noted

Day Room
105 CMR 451.353*

Interior Maintenance: Damaged table

Staff Bathroom

No Violations Noted

Conference Room

No Violations Noted

Utility Closet
105 CMR 451.350*
105 CMR 451.130

Structural Maintenance: Wall not easily cleanable, wall damaged behind slop sink
Plumbing: Plumbing not maintained in good repair, slop sink leaking

Dorms

No Violations Noted

East Bathroom

Bathroom
105 CMR 451.123*
105 CMR 451.123*

Maintenance: Wall damaged, paint peeling
Maintenance: Partitions rusted

Showers
105 CMR 451.123
105 CMR 451.123*
105 CMR 451.123
105 CMR 451.123

Maintenance: Ceiling vent dusty
Maintenance: Ceiling dirty
Maintenance: Shower leaking in shower # 2
Maintenance: Ceiling damaged, ceiling leaking in shower area

West Bathroom

Bathroom
105 CMR 451.123*

Maintenance: Partitions rusted

Showers
105 CMR 451.123*

Maintenance: Soap scum on walls in all showers

North 2

Old Laundry Area
105 CMR 451.350*

Structural Maintenance: Floor not easily cleanable, floor damaged

Back Room

No Violations Noted

Day Room
105 CMR 451.353*

Interior Maintenance: Damaged table

Staff Bathroom

No Violations Noted

Conference Room

No Violations Noted

Dorms

No Violations Noted

Utility Closet

105 CMR 451.344

Illumination in Habitable Areas: Light not functioning properly

East Bathroom

Bathroom

105 CMR 451.130

Plumbing: Plumbing not maintained in good repair, sink # 6 out-of-order

Showers

105 CMR 451.123

Maintenance: Wall damaged in all showers

105 CMR 451.123

Maintenance: Floor damaged in all showers

West Bathroom

Bathroom

105 CMR 451.123

Maintenance: Sink countertop damaged

Shower

105 CMR 451.123*

Maintenance: Ripped handicap seat in shower

105 CMR 451.123*

Maintenance: Soap scum on walls in all showers

ADMINISTRATION AREA

Main Area

105 CMR 451.350

Structural Maintenance: Ceiling not easily cleanable, ceiling leaking

Men's Bathroom

No Violations Noted

Women's Bathroom

No Violations Noted

Minimum Privilege Area

Cells

No Violations Noted

Hallway

No Violations Noted

Utility Closet

105 CMR 451.353

Interior Maintenance: Wet mop stored in bucket

Officer's Trap

FC 4-602.12(B)*

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

FC 4-601.11(A)

Cleaning of Equipment and Utensils, Objective: Food contact surface dirty, coffee maker dirty

Showers

No Violations Noted

Learning Area*Hallway*

No Violations Noted

Library

No Violations Noted

Male Bathroom

No Violations Noted

Female Bathroom
105 CMR 451.350

Structural Maintenance: Ceiling not easily cleanable, ceiling leaking

Utility Closet

No Violations Noted

Toxic/Caustic Closet

No Violations Noted

Inmate Bathroom

No Violations Noted

Industry Operations*Print Shop*

No Violations Noted

Art Room

No Violations Noted

Wood Shop*Assembly Room*

No Violations Noted

Utility Closet

No Violations Noted

Inmate Bathroom

No Violations Noted

COMMUNITY TRANSITION HOUSE**1st Floor***Kitchen*
FC 5-202.12(A)Plumbing System, Design: Handwashing sinks water temperature recorded at 104⁰F,
main sink*Living Area*

No Violations Noted

2nd Floor

Bathroom

No Violations Noted

Bedrooms

No Violations Noted

Observations and Recommendations

1. The inmate population was 568 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 and click on "Correctional Facilities" (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 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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