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April 10, 2015

Michael Corsini, Superintendent

M.C.I. Plymouth

Myles Standish State Forest

South Carver, MA 02366

Re: Facility Inspection - M.C.I. Plymouth, Carver

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; 105 CMR 520.000 Labeling; 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 M.C.I. Plymouth on March 31, 2015 accompanied by Matt Rose, EHSO. Violations noted during the inspection are listed below including 10 repeat violations:

**HEALTH AND SAFETY VIOLATIONS**

(*\* indicates conditions documented on previous inspection reports*)

**Central Control**

*Lobby*

 No Violations Noted

*Office*

 No Violations Noted

*Break Room*

FC 4-204.112(A) Design and Construction, Functionality: No functioning thermometer in grey refrigerator

FC 3-304.12(A) Preventing Contamination from Utensils: Service utensils handle stored below the
food and container line, scoop stored in sugar

*Staff Bathroom*

 No Violations Noted

*Medical Exam Room*

 No Violations Noted

*Medical Office*

 No Violations Noted

**A Dorm**

*Inmate Break Room*

 No Violations Noted

*Bathroom*

105 CMR 451.123\* Maintenance: Radiator paint peeling

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Soap dispenser missing at handwash sink

*Showers*

105 CMR 451.123\* Maintenance: Ceiling vent dusty in shower area

105 CMR 451.130 Plumbing: Plumbing not maintained in good repair, shower leaking in handicap shower

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Soap scum on walls in shower # 2 on right

*Mop Room*

105 CMR 451.353\* Interior Maintenance: Radiator damaged

*Bunks*

105 CMR 451.320\* Cell Size: Inadequate floor space in all cells

**B Dorm**

*Barbershop*

105 CMR 451.126 Hot Water: Hot water temperature recorded at 710F

*Inmate Break Room*

 No Violations Noted

*Hallway*

 No Violations Noted

*Bathroom*

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Soap dispenser missing at handwash sink

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Wet mop stored in bucket

*Showers*

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Light out outside shower # 3

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Radiator paint peeling

*Mop* *Room*

 No Violations Noted

*Bunks*

105 CMR 451.320\* Cell Size: Inadequate floor space in all cells

105 CMR 451.103 Mattresses: Mattress damaged in cell # 201, 202, and 243

**C Dorm (Offices and Dog Area)**

*Staff Male Bathroom* No Violations Noted

*Staff Female Bathroom*

 No Violations Noted

*Laundry Room*

 No Violations Noted

*Inmate Bathroom*

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Missing ground prong on fan plug

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Wet mop stored in bucket

*Showers*

105 CMR 451.130\* Plumbing: Plumbing not maintained in good repair, shower # 5 on left leaking

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Shower rusted at bottom in shower # 1, 3, and 5 on left and # 1, 2, and 3 on right

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Soap scum on walls in all showers

*Mop Closet*

105 CMR 451.353\* Interior Maintenance: Wet mop stored in bucket

*Inmate Break Room*

 No Violations Noted

*Cells*

105 CMR 451.320\* Cell Size: Inadequate floor space in cell # 303 and 306 – 325

*Urinalysis Room*

 No Violations Noted

*Copy Room/Break Room*

FC 7-206.12 Poisonous or Toxic Materials; Pesticides: Rodent traps not covered near microwave

*Superintendent’s Office*

 No Violations Noted

*Day Room*

 No Violations Noted

**Classification Area**

 Unable to Inspect – Meeting

**Food Service**

*Dining Room*

FC 6-501.11 Maintenance and Operation; Repairing: Facility not in good repair, light out

*Inmate Bathroom*

FC 5-202.12(A)\* Plumbing System, Design: Handwashing sinks water temperature recorded at 820F

FC 6-501.11\* Maintenance and Operation; Repairing: Facility not in good repair, radiator damaged

*Visitor’s Bathroom*

 No Violations Noted

**Kitchen**

*3-Bay Sink Area*

FC 4-501.114(A) Maintenance and Operation; Equipment: Chlorine Sanitizer solution tested greater than recommended concentration

*Walk-In Refrigerator*

 No Violations Noted

*Walk-In Freezer*

FC 6-201.11 Design, Construction and Installation: Floor not easily cleanable, floor damaged at the entrance to freezer

*Dishwasher Machine Area*

FC 6-501.11 Maintenance and Operation; Repairing: Facility not in good repair, chemical sanitizer not dispensing in dishwashing machine

*Dry Storage*

 No Violations Noted

*Toxic/Caustic Room*

No Violations Noted

*Toxic/Caustic Area*

 No Violations Noted

*Officer’s Room*

FC 6-501.11 Maintenance and Operation; Repairing: Facility not in good repair, ceiling leaking

**Exterior Buildings**

**Morton Building**

*Main Area*

 No Violations Noted

*Freezer # 1*

 No Violations Noted

*Freezer # 2*

 No Violations Noted

**Day Room**

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Wall paint peeling

**Property Room**

 No Violations Noted

**Laundry**

 No Violations Noted

**Library**

 No Violations Noted

**Weight Room**

105 CMR 451.350\* Structural Maintenance: Doors not rodent and weathertight

**Bunk House**

 No Violations Noted

*Staff Bathroom*

 No Violations Noted

*Classroom*

 No Violations Noted

**Observations and Recommendations**

1. The inmate population was 192 at the time of inspection.
2. During the inspection, the Department recommended that all showers and cells be identified with a numbering system. This will assist the Department and correctional employees to better recognize where issues exist.

This facility does not comply with the Department’s Regulations cited above. In accordance with 105 CMR 451.404, please submit a plan of correction within 10 working days of receipt of this notice, indicating the specific corrective steps to be taken, a timetable for such steps, and the date by which correction will be achieved. The plan should be signed by the Superintendent or Administrator and 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 "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](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](http://www.cfsan.fda.gov/~dms/fc99-toc.html)”.

To review the Labeling 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 “General Food Regulations” click “105 CMR 520.000: Labeling.”

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

Sincerely,

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