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Michael G. Grant, Superintendent  
M.C.I. Plymouth  
Myles Standish State Forest  
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Re: Facility Inspection

Dear Superintendent Grant:

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 M.C.I. Plymouth on February 2, 2010 accompanied by Jason Badger, Environmental Health and Safety Officer. Violations noted are listed below (\* indicates conditions documented on previous inspection reports).

**Central Control**

*Lobby*

No Violations Noted

*Staff Bathroom*

105 CMR 451.121(B)\*

Privacy: Bathroom is unisex

*Medical Office*

No Violations Noted

**A Dorm**

*Bathroom*

105 CMR 451.123\*

Maintenance: Tiles need re-grouting

105 CMR 451.123

Maintenance: Tiles damaged

105 CMR 451.123

Maintenance: Light shield missing

105 CMR 451.123

Maintenance: Light shield damaged

*Hallway*

105 CMR 451.350

Structural Maintenance: Light shield damaged

**B Dorm**

*Bathroom*

105 CMR 451.123

Maintenance: 2 lights not working

105 CMR 451.123

Maintenance: Tiles damaged

*Hallway*

105 CMR 451.350

Structural Maintenance: Water fountain not working

FC 4-601.11(A)

Equipment: Microwave dirty

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

*Staff Male Bathroom*

No Violations Noted

*Staff Female Bathroom*

105 CMR 451.123

Maintenance: Light shield damaged

*Inmate Bathroom*

105 CMR 451.123\*

Maintenance: Tile damaged

105 CMR 451.123

Maintenance: Faucet on sink # 4 leaks

105 CMR 451.123

Maintenance: Sink # 3 not working

**Food Service**

*Inmate Bathroom*

FC 6-501.12(A)

Maintenance and Operation: Cleaning: Counter at handwash sink is dirty/damaged

*Kitchen*

FC 4-501.11(A)

Equipment Maintenance: Faucet head hangs below flood rim at handwash sink near dishwasher

FC 4-501.11(A)

Equipment Maintenance: Chute inside ice machine damaged

FC 4-601.11(A)

Cleaning of Equipment and Utensils, Objective: Chute inside ice machine dirty

FC 4-501.11(A)

Equipment Maintenance: Interior of milk refrigerator damaged

FC 4-501.11(A)

Equipment Maintenance: Exterior of milk refrigerator damaged

*Walk In Refrigerator*

No Violations Noted

*Dry Storage*

FC 3-305.11(A)(3)

Food Storage: Juice containers stored on ground

FC 4-903.11(B)(2)

Protection of Clean Items, Storing: Pots and pans not inverted

105 CMR 451.330

Heating: Room temperature in the dry storage room was recorded at 40°F

*Toxic/Caustic Room*

No Violations Noted

**Morton Building**

*Freezer*

No Violations Noted

*Program Center*

No Violations Noted

*Storage One*

No Violations Noted

*Bunk House*

No Violations Noted

*Weight Building*

No Violations Noted

*Property Room*

No Violations Noted

*Maintenance Building*

No Violations Noted

### **Observations and Recommendations**

- The Department recommends that the ventilation fans located in the windows of inmate bathrooms should not be accessible

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 10 days of receipt of this letter 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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