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April 12, 2017

Steven W. Tompkins, Sheriff Suffolk County Sheriff's Department 20 Bradston Street Boston, MA 02118

Re: Facility Inspection - Suffolk County Jail, Boston

Dear Sheriff Tompkins:

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 Suffolk County Jail on March 29, 2017 accompanied by John Fallon, Environmental Health and Safety/Fire Safety Officer. Violations noted during the inspection are listed below including 13 repeat violations:

### HEALTH AND SAFETY VIOLATIONS

(\* indicates conditions documented on previous inspection reports)

## **Entry Level**

Front Lobby

No Violations Noted

Male Bathroom

No Violations Noted

Female Bathroom

No Violations Noted

7th Floor

Hallway

No Violations Noted

Visiting Rooms

Floor 6.5

Gym

No Violations Noted

Staff Bathroom # 6503

No Violations Noted

Storage Room # 6504

No Violations Noted

Inmate Bathroom # 6505

No Violations Noted

Inmate Bathroom # 6506

105 CMR 451.123

Maintenance: Walls dirty around hand dryer

6th Floor

Staff Bathroom 6-1 & 6-2

No Violations Noted

Staff Bathroom 6-3 & 6-4

No Violations Noted

Control 6-1 & 6-1A

105 CMR 451.353\* Interior Maintenance: Ceiling vent dusty

Unit 6-1A

Common Area

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Floor tiles missing outside attorney visit room

Kitchenette

No Violations Noted

Slop Sink Room # 61B

No Violations Noted

Mattress Storage Room

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Ceiling vent dusty

Storage Room # 61G

No Violations Noted

Shower Area

No Violations Noted

Cells

No Violations Noted

**Unit 6-1** 

Common Area

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Bubbler dirty

Visiting Rooms

No Violations Noted

Kitchenette

No Violations Noted

Attorney Room

No Violations Noted

Slop Sink Room

No Violations Noted

Second Floor Storage Room

No Violations Noted

Shower # 617

105 CMR 451.123\* Maintenance: Walls dirty

105 CMR 451.123\* Maintenance: Door paint peeling

Shower # 618

Unable to Inspect – In Use

Shower # 711

105 CMR 451.123\* Maintenance: Wall paint damaged 105 CMR 451.123\* Maintenance: Door paint damaged 105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Soap scum on wall

*Shower # 712* 

105 CMR 451.123\* Maintenance: Door paint damaged 105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Soap scum on wall

Cells

105 CMR 451.113 Toilet and Handwashing Sink in Locked Cells: Toilet not working properly in cell # 19

and 21

Control 6-2

No Violations Noted

Unit 6-2

Common Area

No Violations Noted

Kitchenette

No Violations Noted

Slop Sink Room # 62B

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Wet mop stored upside down

Shower # 625

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Wall vent dusty

Shower # 626

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Shower out-of-order

Storage # 620

No Violations Noted

Meeting Room # 627

No Violations Noted

Visiting Room

No Violations Noted

Shower # 721

105 CMR 451.123\* Maintenance: Wall vent rusted 105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Door frame rusted

Shower # 722

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Floor drain clogged

Shower # 723

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Soap scum on door and door frame

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Wall vent dusty

Cells

No Violations Noted

Control 6-3 & 6-4

No Violations Noted

Unit 6-3

Common Area

No Violations Noted

Kitchenette

No Violations Noted

Meeting Room # 63B

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Ceiling vent dusty

Shower # 63C

No Violations Noted

Slop Sink Room # 63D

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Wet mop stored upside down

Shower # 63E

No Violations Noted

Storage Room # 63F

No Violations Noted

Shower # 63G

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Ceiling dirty

Shower # 63H

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Soap scum on walls

Shower # 631 105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Soap scum on walls 105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Soap scum on floor Maintenance: Soap scum on mat outside shower 105 CMR 451.123 Visiting Rooms No Violations Noted Cells 105 CMR 451.103 Mattresses: Mattress damaged in cell # 15, 27, and 33 Plumbing: Plumbing not maintained in good repair, toilet push button leaking in cell #8 105 CMR 451.130 Recreational Deck No Violations Noted Unit 6-4 Common Area No Violations Noted Kitchenette No Violations Noted Shower # 64C 105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Soap scum on walls Maintenance: Dead drain flies on ceiling 105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Epoxy damaged 105 CMR 451.123 105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Soap scum on mat outside shower Slop Sink Closet 105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Mold observed on walls throughout closet Interior Maintenance: Mop stored in slop sink 105 CMR 451.353 Plumbing: Plumbing not maintained in good repair, no cold water supplied to slop sink 105 CMR 451.130 Shower # 64D 105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Soap scum on walls Maintenance: Soap scum on floor 105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Dead drain flies on ceiling 105 CMR 451.123 105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Soap scum on mat outside shower Meeting Room # 64E No Violations Noted Storage Room # 64F No Violations Noted

Shower # 64G

Unable to Inspect – In Use

Shower # 64H

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Debris observed on floor

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Walls dirty

Handicap Shower # 641

Visiting Rooms

No Violations Noted

Cells

No Violations Noted

5th Floor

Hallway

No Violations Noted

Visiting Rooms

No Violations Noted

Medical Area

105 CMR 480.500(A)(2) Procedures; Records; Record-Keeping Log: Generator lacked written procedures for safe

handling within the facility

Waiting Room

No Violations Noted

Nurses Area

No Violations Noted

Diabetic's Room # 5504

No Violations Noted

Omni Cell Room # 5041

No Violations Noted

Room # 5044

No Violations Noted

Male Staff Locker and Bathroom # 5093

No Violations Noted

Female Staff Locker and Bathroom # 5124

No Violations Noted

Staff Break Room # 5033

No Violations Noted

Dental Office

No Violations Noted

Exam Room # 1 and Bathroom # 5032

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Ceiling vent dusty

Exam Room # 2 and Bathroom # 5030

No Violations Noted

X-Ray Room

No Violations Noted

Medical Waste/Biohazard Storage Room # 5507

No Violations Noted

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Medical Housing Unit

Common Area

No Violations Noted

Kitchenette

No Violations Noted

Shower # 5512

No Violations Noted

Room # 5515

No Violations Noted

Slop Sink Room # 5511

105 CMR 451.360 Protective Measures: Building not protected against infestation, rodent droppings

observed

Shower #55C

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Soap scum on walls

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Ceiling dirty

Room # 5516

No Violations Noted

Room # 5517

No Violation Noted

Room # 5518

No Violations Noted

Room # 5519

No Violations Noted

Isolation Cell # 5514

No Violations Noted

Room # 5513

No Violations Noted

Storage Room # 5522

105 CMR 451.360 Protective Measures: Building not protected against infestation, rodent droppings

observed

Room # 5555

105 CMR 451.360 Protective Measures: Building not protected against infestation, rodent droppings

observed

Storage # 5523

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Ceiling vent dusty

Shower/Storage # 5524

No Violations Noted

Shower # 55B

No Violations Noted

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Cells

No Violations Noted

Psychiatric Housing Unit # 5552

Cell # 5564-5570

No Violations Noted

Kitchenette

No Violations Noted

Shower # 55A

No Violations Noted

Slop Sink Room # 5572

105 CMR 451.360 Protective Measures: Building not protected against infestation, rodent droppings

observed

*Storage* # 5553

No Violations Noted

4th Floor

Control 4-1 & 4-2

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Ceiling vent dusty

Staff Bathroom 4-1 & 4-2

No Violations Noted

Unit 4-1

Cells

No Violations Noted

Showers (near room # 41L)

No Violations Noted

Room # 41M

No Violations Noted

Slop Sink Room # 41N

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Wet mop stored upside down

Shower # 41H (near cell # 27)

No Violations Noted

Shower # 41G (near cell # 10)

No Violations Noted

Kitchenette

No Violations Noted

Storage Closet

Case Workers Office

No Violations Noted

Attorney Visit Room

Unable to Inspect – In Use

Recreational Deck 4-1 & 4-2

No Violations Noted

Unit 4-2

Common Area

No Violations Noted

Visiting Rooms

No Violations Noted

Attorney Visit Room

No Violations Noted

Kitchenette

No Violations Noted

Meeting Room # 42B

No Violations Noted

Slop Sink Room # 42C

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Wet mop stored upside down 105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Walls dirty in slop sink room

*Shower # 42D* 

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Walls dirty

*Shower # 42E (near cell # 15)* 

No Violations Noted

Storage Room # 42F

No Violations Noted

Shower # 42G

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Soap scum on walls 105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Ceiling vent dusty

105 CMR 451.130 Plumbing: Plumbing not maintained in good repair, shower continually running

Shower # 42H

105 CMR 451.130 Plumbing: Plumbing not maintained in good repair, shower continually running

Shower # 42I (near cell # 32)

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Walls dirty

105 CMR 451.130 Plumbing: Plumbing not maintained in good repair, shower continually running

Cells

105 CMR 451.113 Toilet and Handwashing Sink in Locked Cells: Handwash sink not working properly, hot

water continually running in cell # 14

105 CMR 451.103 Mattresses: Mattress damaged in cell # 29

### Control 4-3 & 4-4

Staff Bathroom 4-3 & 4-4

No Violations Noted

Unit 4-3

Cells

No Violations Noted

*Shower # 43G* 

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Floor dirty

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Soap scum on walls 105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Shower curtain missing

Shower # 43H

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Soap scum on floor 105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Soap scum on walls

Storage Room # 43F

No Violations Noted

Shower # 43I (near cell # 20)

No Violations Noted

Visiting Rooms

No Violations Noted

Common Area

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Equipment padding damaged 105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Floor dirty around microwave

Attorney Visit Room

No Violations Noted

Kitchenette

No Violations Noted

Meeting Room # 43B

No Violations Noted

Shower # 43C

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Soap scum on floor 105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Soap scum on walls

Slop Sink Room # 43D

105 CMR 451.353\* Interior Maintenance: Wall vent dusty 105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Walls dirty

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Mop stored upside down

105 CMR 451.130 Plumbing: Plumbing not maintained in good repair, drain cover missing

*Shower # 43E (near cell # 3)* 

Unit 4-4

Common Area

105 CMR 451.353\* Interior Maintenance: Wall paint damaged near microwave and phones

Kitchenette

No Violations Noted

Attorney Visit Room

No Violations Noted

Cells

No Violations Noted

Shower # 44J (near visiting rooms)

No Violations Noted

Visit Rooms

No Violations Noted

Closet # 44G

No Violations Noted

Shower # 44I (near cell # 28)

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Walls dirty

*Shower # 44H (near cell # 9)* 

No Violations Noted

Meeting Room # 44E

No Violations Noted

**Shower # 44B** 

No Violations Noted

Shower # 44D (near meeting room # 44E)

No Violations Noted

Slop Sink Room # 44C

105 CMR 451.130 Plumbing: Plumbing not maintained in good repair, cold water continually running

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Wet mop stored upside down

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Walls dirty

3rd Floor

Hallway

No Violations Noted

Visiting Rooms

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Baseboard missing in room # 301 and 305

Floor 3.5

Office Area

Female Staff Bathroom

No Violations Noted

Slop Sink Room # 3503

Unable to Inspect - Locked

Male Staff Bathroom

No Violations Noted

File Room Kitchen # 3516

No Violations Noted

Bathroom # 3521

No Violations Noted

Janitor's Closet/Education Storage

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Unlabeled chemical bottle

2<sup>nd</sup> Floor

Chapel

No Violations Noted

Male Staff Bathroom # 2034

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Wall tiles missing behind toilet

Female Staff Bathroom # 2035

No Violations Noted

Offices

No Violations Noted

Control 2-1 & 2-2

Staff Bathroom 2-1 & 2-2

No Violations Noted

Unit 2-1

Common Area

105 CMR 451.353\* Interior Maintenance: Wall paint damaged near phones 105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Equipment padding damaged

Visiting Rooms

No Violations Noted

Kitchenette

105 CMR 451.200 Food Storage, Preparation and Service: Food preparation not in compliance with

105 CMR 590.000, interior of microwave oven dirty

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

Cells

105 CMR 451.103 Mattresses: Mattress damaged in cell # 26

Shower (near room # 21H)

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Wall vent dusty

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*Closet # 21H* 

105 CMR 451.344 Illumination in Habitable Areas: Light not functioning properly, light out

Shower # 21G (near cell # 30)

No Violations Noted

Shower # 21B

No Violations Noted

Slop Sink Room # 21C

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Wet mop stored in bucket 105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Wet mop stored upside down

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Walls dirty

Shower # 21D

No Violations Noted

Meeting Room # 21E

No Violations Noted

*Shower # 21F (near cell # 11)* 

No Violations Noted

Shower # 21J

No Violations Noted

Recreational Deck 2-1 & 2-2

No Violations Noted

Unit 2-2

Common Area

105 CMR 451.353\* Interior Maintenance: Wall paint damaged near phones 105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Equipment padding damaged

Visiting Rooms

No Violations Noted

Kitchenette

105 CMR 451,200 Food Storage, Preparation and Service: Food preparation not in compliance with

105 CMR 590.000, interior of microwave oven dirty

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Wall paint damaged

Meeting Room # 22B

No Violations Noted

Shower # 22C (near slop sink room # 22D)

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Walls dirty 105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Debris on floor

Slop Sink Room # 22D

No Violations Noted

Shower # 22E (near cell # 15)

Closet # 22F

No Violations Noted

Shower # 22H (near closet # 22F)

No Violations Noted

*Shower # 22I (near cell # 34)* 

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Soap scum on walls

*Shower # 22J (near cell # 32)* 

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Shower out-of-order

Cells

105 CMR 451.113 Toilet and Handwashing Sink in Locked Cells: No hot running water in locked cell # 19

105 CMR 451.103 Mattresses: Mattress damaged in cell # 9

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Light switch not functioning properly in cell # 16

Control 2-3 & 2-4

Staff Bathroom 2-3 & 2-4

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Light shield damaged

Unit 2-3

Common Area

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Wall paint damaged near phones

Visiting Rooms

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Walls dirty in all rooms

Kitchenette

No Violations Noted

Meeting Room # 23B

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Ceiling vent dusty

Shower # 23C

Maintenance: Soap scum on walls 105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Soap scum on floor

Slop Sink Room # 23D

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Wet mop stored upside down

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Hole in ceiling

*Shower # 23E (near cell # 3)* 

No Violations Noted

Closet # 23F

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Floor dirty

Shower # 23G (near cell # 20)

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Soap scum on walls

*Shower # 23H (near cell # 18)* 

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Soap scum on walls 105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Dead drain flies on ceiling

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Shower # 23J (near closet # 23F)

No Violations Noted

Cells

No Violations Noted

Unit 2-4

Common Area

No Violations Noted

Attorney Visit Room

No Violations Noted

Kitchenette

No Violations Noted

**Shower # 24B** 

No Violations Noted

Slop Sink Room # 24C

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Wet mop stored upside down

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Walls dirty

Shower (near room # 28)

No Violations Noted

Shower # 24D

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Soap scum on walls

Meeting Room # 24E

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Floor dirty

*Shower # 24F (near cell # 9)* 

No Violations Noted

Shower (near room # 19)

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Drain flies observed

Closet # 24G

No Violations Noted

Shower # 24H (near cell # 28)

No Violations Noted

Shower # 24J (near visiting rooms)

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Drain flies observed

105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Light rusted

Visiting Rooms

No Violations Noted

Cells

Contact Visits/Roll Call

Female Bathroom

No Violations Noted

Male Bathroom

No Violations Noted

Entry Level (Inside)

Staff Cafeteria # 1066

105 CMR 451.200 Food Storage, Preparation and Service: Food storage not in compliance with

105 CMR 590.000, refrigerator temperature recorded at 53°F

Male Staff Bathroom

No Violations Noted

Female Staff Bathroom

No Violations Noted

Inside Administration

No Violations Noted

Weight Room # 1070

No Violations Noted

Cardio Room

No Violations Noted

Slop Sink Room # 1072

No Violations Noted

Water Fountain

105 CMR 451.124 Water Supply: Insufficient water supply in quantity and pressure at bubbler

Blue Shirt's Locker Room # 1075

Unable to Inspect - Occupied

Female Staff Locker Room # 1076

No Violations Noted

Captain and Lieutenant's Locker Room # 1077

No Violations Noted

**Outside Administration Bathrooms** 

Female Bathroom # 1013

No Violations Noted

Male Bathroom # 1015

No Violations Noted

Slop Sink Room # 1004

105 CMR 451.353 Interior Maintenance: Ceiling tiles water damaged

**Ground Level** 

Canteen # G10

No Violations Noted

Hallway Bathrooms

Staff Bathroom # 1

No Violations Noted

Staff Bathroom # 2

No Violations Noted

Store Room # G11

No Violations Noted

Maintenance Department # G12

No Violations Noted

Locker Room # G13

No Violations Noted

Kitchen Maintenance # G15

No Violations Noted

Laundry Room # G23/G29

No Violations Noted

Office # G25

No Violations Noted

Loading Dock # G26

105 CMR 451.350 Structural Maintenance: Loading door not rodent and weathertight

Garbage Room # G37

No Violations Noted

Computer Room # G39

No Violations Noted

Storage # G43

No Violations Noted

Staff Bathroom # G44

No Violations Noted

Staff Bathroom # G46

No Violations Noted

Female Booking Area

Holding Cells

Male Booking Area Control No Violations Noted Property Room # G62 No Violations Noted Inmate Bathroom # G64 No Violations Noted Intake Area No Violations Noted Property Storage Rooms No Violations Noted Male Intake Cells # G74 No Violations Noted Holding Cage No Violations Noted Holding Cells No Violations Noted Back Gate Control # G80 No Violations Noted Staff Bathroom # G81 No Violations Noted Food Service Area Trash Area No Violations Noted Office # G38 105 CMR 590.009(G)(3)(b)(1) Special Requirements: Food Allergen Awareness Training, no prominently posted food allergen awareness training certificate Oven and Steamer Hood Area No Violations Noted Handwash Sink No Violations Noted

No Violations Noted

Grease Hood

Dry Storage # G23 FC 3-302.11(A)(4) Preventing Food and Ingredient Contamination: Preventing cross contamination, rice not appropriately covered FC 6-501.11 Maintenance and Operation; Repairing: Facility not in good repair, wall paint damaged throughout area Maintenance and Operation; Cleaning: Facility not cleaned properly, rodent droppings FC 6-501.12(A) observed near canned and bottled goods Storage Cage FC 6-501.12(A) Maintenance and Operation; Cleaning: Facility not cleaned properly, rodent droppings observed Inmate Bathroom 105 CMR 451.123 Maintenance: Rodent droppings observed Protection of Clean Items, Storing: Food product stored in an inappropriate location, FC 4-903.12 (A)(2) clean equipment and utensils stored in toilet room Inmate Dining Area FC 6-501.11 Maintenance and Operation; Repairing: Facility not in good repair, ceiling damaged above pipe Chemical Storage Cage FC 6-501.111(B) Maintenance and Operations; Pest Control: Flies observed in storage cage Can Opener Table FC 4-601.11(A) Cleaning of Equipment and Utensils, Objective: Food contact surface dirty, can opener dirty Ice Machines No Violations Noted Vegetable Chest # 3 FC 6-501.12(A) Maintenance and Operation; Cleaning: Facility not cleaned properly, floor dirty Milk Chest # 4 FC 4-501.11(A)\* Maintenance and Operation, Equipment: Equipment not maintained in a state of good repair, metal floor plate damaged at entrance Freezer # 5 FC 6-501.11 Maintenance and Operation; Repairing: Facility not in good repair, light shield damaged Bread Refrigerator # 6 Maintenance and Operation, Equipment: Equipment not maintained in a state of good FC 4-501.11(A) repair, water leaking into unit through floor

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

Prep Table with 2-Bay Sink

No Violations Noted

Tray Prep Area

FC 6-501.111(B) Maintenance and Operations; Pest Control: Flies observed

Kettle Area

FC 6-501.12(A) Maintenance and Operation; Cleaning: Facility not cleaned properly, old fly trap stuck in

ceiling tiles

Food Prep Table (in front of milk chest # 4)

No Violations Noted

Handwash Sink (near food prep table)

FC 6-501.111(B) Maintenance and Operations; Pest Control: Flies observed

FC 6-501.12(A) Maintenance and Operation; Cleaning: Facility not cleaned properly, food debris

observed in floor drain

3-Bay Sink

FC 5-205.15(B)\* Plumbing System, Operations and Maintenance: Plumbing system not maintained in

good repair, faucet leaking

Mechanical Warewashing Area

FC 4-501.112(A)(2) Maintenance and Operation, Equipment: Inadequate water temperature in the mechanical

warewashing machine

FC 4-501.11(A) Maintenance and Operation, Equipment: Equipment not maintained in a state of good

repair, air curtain missing on warewash machine

FC 6-501.12(A) Maintenance and Operation; Cleaning: Facility not cleaned properly, mold observed on

ceiling around warewash machine

105 CMR 451.130 Plumbing: Plumbing not maintained in good repair, drain cover missing on floor drain

Tray Racks

No Violations Noted

Refrigerator # 1

FC 3-501.16(B) Limitation of Growth of Organisms, Temperature and Time Control: Refrigerator

temperature recorded at 45°F

Refrigerator # 2

FC 3-501.16(B) Limitation of Growth of Organisms, Temperature and Time Control: Refrigerator

temperature recorded at 50°F

# **Observations and Recommendations**

1. The inmate population was 687 at the time of inspection.

- 2. During the kitchen inspection, the warewash machine did not reach the appropriate temperature to properly sanitize dishes. It was stated that as an interim measure the facility would manually sanitize the dishes after being washed
- 3. The Department recommends numbering all showers throughout the institution. This will assist the Department and Department of Correction employees to better recognize where issues exist.
- 4. During the inspection of the 5<sup>th</sup> floor medical area the Department observed an expired certificate from the Radiation Control Program in the Dentist's office. The Department recommends contacting the Radiation Control Program for an updated certificate and post conspicuously.
- 5. The Department also recommended keeping a copy of the facilities policies and procedures regarding 105 CMR 480.000 Minimum Requirements for the Management of Medical and Biological Waste with the record keeping log to increase ease of access.

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 <a href="www.mass.gov/dph/dcs">www.mass.gov/dph/dcs</a> 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 <a href="www.mass.gov/dph/fpp">www.mass.gov/dph/fpp</a> 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".

To review the Labeling regulations please visit the Food Protection website at <a href="www.mass.gov/dph/fpp">www.mass.gov/dph/fpp</a> 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,

Kerry Wagner

Environmental Health Inspector, CSP, BEH

cc: Jan Sullivan, Acting Director, BEH

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