SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY PROBATION DEPARTMENT JUVENILE DETENTION POLICY AND PROCEDURE MANUAL

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SUBJECT: LIVING UNIT SHIFT REPORT

POLICY

Detention staff are responsible for keeping a chronological record of all unit activity on the Living Unit Shift Report.

PROCEDURES

- A. Living Unit Shift Report
 - 1. The Living Unit Shift Report contains a chronological record of all unit activity including, but not limited to:
 - a. Transfers
 - b. Intakes/Releases
 - c. Population changes
 - d. Interviews
 - e. Youth in rooms/Lock downs
 - f. Recreation
 - g. Court lists
 - h. Room Separation
 - i. Non-Behavioral Room Separation
 - j. Count verification(s)
 - k. Oral hygiene/showers
 - 1. School
 - m. Phone calls to Probation Officer/attorney/social workers, etc.
 - n. Room Searches
 - o. Programming:
 - i. Type
 - ii. Number of youth involved
 - 2. Events must be documented as they occur.
 - 3. Staff members are to remain consistent in their use of the report (i.e., if you skip a line, you must always skip a line).

B. <u>Signing Into the Living Unit</u>

- 1. Each staff member on duty on the unit shall sign the Living Unit Shift Report <u>legibly</u> immediately upon arrival on the unit.
- 2. He/she shall also indicate next to his/her name the number of the key set received.
- 3. The shift leader is required to sign in on the top line to indicate that he/she is the person in charge for that shift.
- 4. The Juvenile Detention Unit Supervisor/Shift Leader is responsible for ensuring the accuracy of the Shift Report and will sign the shift report at the end of the shift.

C. Accounting for Equipment

- 1. The Living Unit Shift Report also serves to document receipt of unit equipment by the relieving shift from the relieved shift.
- 2. Equipment listed, such as keys, radios, pepper spray and restraints must be accounted for between incoming and outgoing shift leaders during shift transition.
- 3. Any significant equipment not accounted for must be reported to the Duty Officer immediately.
- 4. If a staff has taken unit keys home, that staff must return them to the facility immediately.