SAN JOAQUIN COUNTY PROBATION DEPARTMENT JUVENILE DETENTION POLICY AND PROCEDURE MANUAL

TO: ALL STAFF BULLETIN #: D–905

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CHIEF PROBATION OFFICER

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SUBJECT: GRAVEYARD SHIFT RESPONSIBILITIES

PROCEDURES

A. Shift Procedures

- 1. Graveyard staff shall follow the following procedures:
 - a. Take a physical count of the youth.
 - b. Pull on all room doors to make sure they are locked.
 - c. Verify the count against the shift sheet.
 - d. Resolve any differences immediately.
 - e. Report any discrepancies to the Duty Officer.
 - f. Turn off room lights and radio.
 - g. Night-lights will be left on.
 - h. Do not open doors to youth's rooms without a standby. Exception: Emergency situation. (Declare emergency via radio and receive confirmation of your transmission before opening door).
 - i. Staff are not to leave the unit except in an emergency. An Incident Report is required under such circumstances.
 - J. A minimum of every Fifteen-minute at random or varied intervals safety checks will be conducted throughout the shift. Any unusual behavior or room condition will be immediately reported to the Duty Officer.

B. Unit Duties

1. All duties contained on the Graveyard Check Off List must be completed and documented each shift (Attachment A).

GRAVEYARD CHECK OFF LIST

UNIT: DATE: STAFF: Take a physical count of the youth. Pull on all room doors to make sure they are locked. Verify the count against the shift log and resolve any difference immediately.					
Please take a moment to complete form. Check the appropriate answer to each question and provide a brief explanation, if applicable. Turn in to JDFS with graveyard paperwork.					
1.	Document the result of the Make Your Day Review Checklist in JJIS.	Yes		No	
2.	If requested by BHS, complete Sleep Observation IR and forward to BHS.	Yes		No	
3.	Was the supply closet and bookshelves straightened?	Yes		No	
4.	Was the staff room and restroom cleaned (sink and toilet)?	Yes		No	
5.	Was the toilet paper, towels, and hygiene care resupplied (hygiene packs)?	Yes		No	
6.	Were all the trashcans emptied, liners replaced, and trash bundled and set out?	Yes		No	
7.	Were the counter tops, file drawers, and cabinets cleaned and straightened?	Yes		No	
8.	If needed, clean the microwave and coffee pot.	Yes	a	No	
9.	If needed, clean the refrigerator and defrost.	Yes		No	
10.	Have the radios been turned off and re-charged?	Yes		No	
11.	Has the unit paperwork been filed (clinic slips, etc.)?	Yes		No	
12.	Were new unit forms prepared for the next shift (Shift Log, Room Inspections, Room Confinement, Meal Count Form, Make Your Day Review Checklist)?	Yes		No	
13.	Have all maintenance issues been reported to the D.O. (broken toilets, sinks, etc)?	Yes	Q	No	
14.	Did you clean all empty rooms?	Yes		No	u

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Attachment A