



San Juan county Juvenile Services

2018 Annual PREA Report

San Juan County Juvenile Services has a zero-tolerance policy towards any type of abuse, neglect, and exploitation, to include sexual abuse and sexual harassment.

Substantiated Allegations	2018
Staff-on-Youth Sexual abuse	0
Staff-on-Youth Harassment	0
Youth-on-Youth Sexual Abuse	1
Youth-on-Youth Sexual Harassment	0
Unsubstantiated Allegations	2018
Staff-on-Youth Sexual abuse	0
Staff-on-Youth Harassment	0
Youth-on-Youth Sexual Abuse	1
Youth-on-Youth Sexual Harassment	0
Unfounded Allegations	2018
Staff-on-Youth Sexual abuse	0
Staff-on-Youth Harassment	0
Youth-on-Youth Sexual Abuse	0
Youth-on-Youth Sexual Harassment	0

Critical Incident Reviews are held to review substantiated and unsubstantiated allegations of sexual abuse. P.R.E.A. Coordinator, and Deputy Director review incidents and present recommendations to the Facility Director.

*In fiscal year 2018, There were two (2) allegations of Youth - on - Youth Sexual Abuse. One on April 17, 2018, that was investigated and found to be unsubstantiated and one on September 17, 2018, that was investigated and found to be substantiated. There were no (0) allegations of Staff -on- Youth Sexual Abuse. There were no (0) allegations of Staff -on- Youth Sexual Harassment.

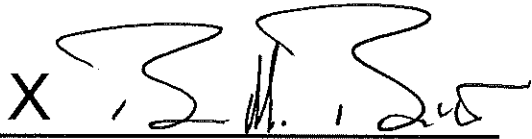
Corrective actions for both incidents:

April 17, 2018- Due to the allegations being unsubstantiated no further corrective actions were warranted.

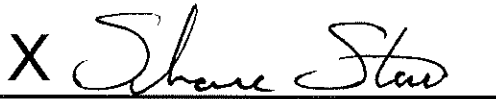
September 17, 2018- Individual was sanctioned according to the Facility rules and Policy. In addition, PREA education was provided.

In continuing to effectively prevent, detect and address all allegations of sexual abuse and sexual harassment, San Juan County Juvenile Services will:

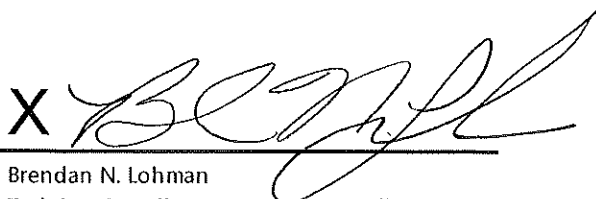
- Comply with the mandated staffing ratios, staffing plan, and assess the staffing plan on an annual basis.
- Continue to conduct unannounced rounds in the facility on a regular basis.
- Continue training staff on the zero-tolerance policy for all forms of abuse, to include sexual abuse and sexual harassment; how to fulfill their responsibilities under agency sexual abuse and sexual harassment prevention, detection, reporting, and response policies and procedures; the residents' right to be free from sexual abuse and sexual harassment; the right of residents and employees to be free from retaliation for reporting sexual abuse and sexual harassment; the dynamics of sexual abuse and sexual harassment in juvenile facilities; how to detect and respond to signs of threatened and actual sexual abuse and sexual harassment; and how to comply with mandatory reporting laws.
- Continue to conduct criminal history and background checks on employees, volunteers, interns, and contractors.
- Continue to report and investigate all allegations of abuse, neglect, and exploitation, to include sexual abuse or sexual harassment by: Referring all allegations of a criminal nature to the San Juan County Sheriff's Department Referring all allegations to C.Y.F.D. and/or any applicable local, state, or national oversight agency; and ensuring that an administrative and/or criminal investigation is completed for all allegations.
- Continue to Prioritize the enhancement of staff supervision by utilizing technology, such as video surveillance.

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