

PREA AUDIT: AUDITOR'S SUMMARY REPORT

ADULT PRISONS & JAILS

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Name of facility: Brazos County Sheriff's Department (Detention Center)			
Physical address: 1835 Sandy Point Rd. Bryan, Texas 77807			
Date report submitted: August 28, 2014			
Auditor Information			
Address: 440 Jasmine Lane, Columbia, SC			
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Date of facility visit: Aug 3-5, 2014			
Facility Information			
Facility mailing address: (if different from above)			
Telephone number:			
The facility is:	Military	<u>County</u>	Federal
	Private for profit	Municipal	State
	Private not for profit		
Facility Type:	Jail	Prison	
Name of PREA Compliance Manager:			Title:
Email address:			Telephone number:
Agency Information			
Name of agency: Brazos County Detention Ctr			
Governing authority or parent agency: (if applicable)			
Physical address:			
Mailing address: (if different from above)			
Telephone number:			
Agency Chief Executive Officer			
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AUDIT FINDINGS

NARRATIVE:

I conducted a PREA Audit of the Brazos County Detention Center. I started with a staff briefing with Wayne Dicky, Jail Administrator, Lt. Kevin Stuart, PREA Coordinator, and Sgt. James Mitchell, Training Sergeant. We discussed the audit agenda, facility tours, 30 staff members selected to be interviewed, and 50 inmates from various housing units (to include YOA that were housed in a separate area out of sight and sound of all adult inmates). The detention center personnel were very receptive and open with the audit.

DESCRIPTION OF FACILITY CHARACTERISTICS:

The facility is a direct/in direct supervision model. The indirect units can be viewed by the officer in the control and on camera. The female housing unit is made of older housing unit which is podular remote. There are female officers on the unit to supervisor the female inmates. The entire facility has 24 housing unit, made of up of single cells units, and open bay direct supervision units.

SUMMARY OF AUDIT FINDINGS:

The facility was well prepared for the audit. There were no deficiencies noted during the audit. I found the staff well trained on PREA. The inmates were trained and briefed daily on PREA. For the male unit cross gender supervision is allow; however cross gender supervision is prohibited in the female units. All poster or signs were posted conspicuously in all the housing units, intake, visitation areas and Sheriff's office website.

Number of standards exceeded: 2

Number of standards met: 41

Number of standards not met: 0

