

TEX COMMISSION ON JAIL STANDARDS
JAIL INSPECTION REPORT

Facility Name: Zavala County Jail

Date:

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Item	Section	Paragraph	Comments
1	273	3	Health Instructions. All medical instructions of designated physicians shall be followed. This inspector could not verify that medication was consistently administered to inmates as ordered by the physician.
2	273	.6(3)	A documented observation of the inmate shall be conducted every 15 minutes, at a minimum. The observations should include an assessment of the security of the restraints and the circulation to the extremities. It was determined that jailers exceeded 15 minute face-to-face observations of inmates placed ins restraints.
3	275	1	Observation shall be performed at least every 30 minutes in areas where inmates known to be assaultive, potentially suicidal, mentally ill, or who have demonstrated bizarre behavior are confined. It was determined that jailers exceeded 30 minute face-to-face observations of inmates.

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