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NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANCE

MCCULLOCH COUNTY JAIL

April 2, 2025

Please reference the Inspection Requirements Review and Jail Inspection Report issued on April 1, 2025, detailing the specific issues that resulted in the issuance of this notice of non-compliance.

Minimum Standards Violated:	Corrective Measure Required	Date Corrective Action Must Be Completed
265.3	Inmates confined in a holding cell or detoxification cell shall be observed by facility personnel at intervals not to exceed 30 minutes. Staff exceeded the 30 minute time requirement 750 times out of 2732 checks conducted, from 1 minute to 4 hours.	Upon receipt of this notice.
271.1(b)(3)	Custody Reassessment/Review. A custody reassessment shall be conducted within 30 - 90 days of the Initial Custody Assessment and immediately upon any disciplinary action and/or change in legal status which would affect classification. A documented classification review to determine the necessity for a complete reassessment shall be conducted every 30 - 90 days thereafter. Out of 23 reclassifications reviewed, 5 of the inmates not did have a custody reassessment completed within 90 days.	Upon receipt of this notice.
275.1	Every facility shall have the appropriate number of jailers at the facility 24 hours each day. Facilities shall have an established procedure for documented, face-to-face observation of all inmates by jailers no less than once every 60 minutes. 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. There shall be a two-way	Upon receipt of this notice.

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voice communication capability between inmates and jailers, licensed peace officers, bailiffs, and designated staff at all times. Closed circuit television may be used, but not in lieu of the required personal observation. Electronic sensors or cameras capable of recording the required personal observations of inmates in high-risk cells or groups of cells shall be installed no later than August 31, 2020.

Staff exceeded the 30 minute time requirement 1152 times out of 3760 checks conducted, from 1 minute to 3 hours. Staff exceeded the 60 minute time requirement 1222 times out of 10,399 checks conducted, from 1 minute to 3 hours.