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NOTICE OF NON-COMPLIANCE

JIM HOGG COUNTY JAIL

October 21, 2026

Please reference the Inspection Requirements Review and Jail Inspection Report issued October 6, 2026, 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
263.55	All life safety equipment shall be inspected, maintained, and tested by persons qualified to do so (whether under vendor contract, by state or private agency or otherwise) in order that such equipment shall be safe, secure, and fully operative at all times. **The fire panel is showing a smoke sensor in "trouble" alarm and has been in alarm since 9/25/2026.**	**Upon receipt of this notice.**
273.5(a)	(1) Training. Provisions for staff training (including frequency and duration) on the procedures for recognition, supervision, documentation, and handling of inmates who are mentally disabled and/or potentially suicidal. Supplemental training should be provided to those staff members responsible for intake screening; **Review of training records revealed that suicide/mental health training was not conducted in accordance with the agency's mental health operational plan.**	**Upon receipt of this notice**
283.1(3)	(C) provisions shall be made for at least twenty-four hours written notice to be given to the inmate of the claimed violation or charges against him/her **Inmates are not being provided written notice of rules violations prior to either a disciplinary hearing or waiver of said hearing.**	**Upon receipt of this notice**

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