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## UPDATE TO CJIS PREA RISK SCREENING BOOKING QUESTIONS

Federal Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) standards require that all inmates be assessed during an intake screening and upon transfer to another facility for their risk of being sexually abused by other inmates or their risk of being sexually abusive toward other inmates.

Federal PREA Standard §115.41(d)(6) states:

*§115.41(d) - The intake screening shall consider, at a minimum, the following criteria to assess inmates for risk of sexual victimization:*

*(6) Whether the inmate has prior convictions for sex offenses against an adult or child.*

Currently, in the inmate booking process, CJIS PREA Risk Screening Question #7 asks:

***7. Have you been convicted of committing an act of sexual victimization? (Y/N)***

Question #7 will be updated with a secondary question to bring the Kern County Sheriff's Office into compliance with PREA standards. The update will be as follows:

***7. Have you been convicted of committing an act of sexual victimization? (Y/N)***

***If yes, did the sexual abuse/assault involve a juvenile? (Y/N)***

This update will only affect new inmates booked into the Central Receiving Facility and new federal inmates booked into the Max-Med Facility.

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1. HAVE YOU PREVIOUSLY BEEN INCARCERATED? Y LAST TIME 2008
2. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN IN PRISON? Y LAST TIME 2010
3. ARE YOU TRANSGENDER? N INTERSEX? N BISEXUAL? N GAY? N LESBIAN? N
4. DO OTHER PEOPLE THINK YOU ARE TRANSGENDER? N BISEXUAL? N GAY? N LESBIAN? N
   WHY? _____
5. HAVE YOU EVER BEEN SEXUALLY VICTIMIZED? N WHEN? _____
   IN CUSTODY? N WAS IT REPORTED? _
6. DO YOU FEEL THAT YOU MAY BE AT RISK FOR SEXUAL VICTIMIZATION? N
   WHY? _____
7. HAVE YOU BEEN CONVICTED OF COMMITTING AN ACT OF SEXUAL ABUSE/ASSAULT? Y
   PHYSICAL ABUSE? N OR DOMESTIC VIOLENCE? N
   IF YES, DID THE SEXUAL ABUSE/ASSAULT INVOLVE A JUVENILE? R
8. HAVE YOU EVER ENGAGED IN CONSENSUAL SEX IN CUSTODY? N PAST FIVE YEARS? _
9. HAVE YOU EVER ENGAGED IN NON-CONSENSUAL SEX IN CUSTODY? N
10. DETAINED SOLELY FOR IMMIGRATION PURPOSES? N
11. DOES PRISONER APPEAR TO BE GENDER NON-CONFORMING? N

SUSPEND PROCESS: _ REASON: _____
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