

**KERN COUNTY
SHERIFF OFFICE**

**INCARCERATED
PERSON
ORIENTATION BOOKLET**

**UPDATED
JANUARY 16TH, 2026**

Updated Sections:

JAIL ROUTINE

- **Outside Appearances**

RULES OF CONDUCT

INMATE SERVICES AND PROGRAMS

- **CalAIM Justice- Involved Reentry Initiative**
- **Bakersfield Adult School**

INFORMATION UPDATED:

JAIL ROUTINE-

Outside Appearances: If you think you should be going to court or the hospital, but have not been sent, tell an officer immediately.

- **NOTE:** Incarcerated persons Shall only take approved items from their housing unit when attending authorized appointments, such as Court, Educational classes, medical appointments, or program activities. Approved items include Court or legal paperwork and class materials. Personal and Religious property is not allowed outside housing areas. Any unauthorized items found in the Incarcerated persons possession will be confiscated. Personal property will be disposed of and Religious property will be handled per **Directive two** of **DBPPM G-625**.

RULES OF CONDUCT-

Following items were removed:

- Loss of “good” time credit
- Loss of ability to earn “work” time credit
- Extra work details
- Removal from work details

Following items were added:

- Inmate Laborer Status revocation

Update Continued:

Inmate Services and Programs

Following items were added:

CalAIM Justice-Involved Reentry Initiative

- A California program that helps eligible incarcerated individuals enroll in Medi-Cal and access essential health services such as case management, mental and physical care, substance use treatment, medications, and medical equipment within 90 days of release. It ensures continuity of care and connects people to community resources for a successful transition back into the community.

Bakersfield Adult School

Incarcerated persons will be given the opportunity to enroll into a Program ran by the Bakersfield Adult School.

- Programs Unit, in cooperation with contractors, community-based organizations (CBO), and other professional and non-profit organizations, will provide or arrange for the facilitation of a variety of curriculum to the eligible in-custody population