

Waste Disposal and Pest Control

2404.1 GENERAL

- (a) Waste disposal and pest control programs, which conform to the appropriate jurisdictional requirements, shall be provided. These programs will meet the following requirements:
 - 1. Liquid and solid wastes will be collected, stored and disposed of in a manner which protects the health and safety of staff, inmates and others.
 - 2. Recycled paper products will be collected for pickup by the County Recycling Center.
 - 3. Licensed pest control professionals will be contracted with to provide safe and thorough pest control services.

2404.2 WASTE DISPOSAL

- (a) Removal of effluent waste and sewage from the sewer pipes connected to and leading away from the jail facility is managed by the local sanitation authority.
- (b) Treatment of effluent waste and sewage is conducted at plants managed by sanitation districts.
- (c) Trash disposal will be accomplished in accordance with the contract administered by the County Procurement Division.

2404.3 RECYCLING PAPER PRODUCTS

- (a) The Jail Operations will participate in a recycling program in conjunction with the County Recycling Center.
- (b) The Jail Operations will collect computer paper, white paper and inmate newspapers for the purpose of recycling.
- (c) The Senior CSA will be responsible for notifying the recycling center for pickups of the computer and white paper. Pickup days will be scheduled for Tuesdays and Fridays.
- (d) As necessary, the Senior CSA will schedule the pickup of the newspapers by a private recycling company contracted by the County Recycling Center.

2404.4 PEST CONTROL

- (a) The Jail Operations Vermin and Pest Control Program will be monitored by the Division Commander's designee. Regular preventative programs will be conducted to control pests. Only licensed services will be utilized under a contract administered by the County Procurement Division.

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- (b) Employees are required to report, in memorandum form, any observation of insects, rodents or vermin anywhere in the facilities. The Operations Sergeant will take necessary corrective action (i.e., a service call to the contracted service provider).

2404.5 SPECIAL HANDLING OF PEDICULOSIS (CRAB) CASES

- (a) Pediculosis (crabs) is the infestation by lice involving the head, body, or genital area. The body louse is a carrier of the organisms that cause epidemic typhus, trench fever, and relapsing fever.
- (b) The following procedure will be used when an inmate is infested with Pediculosis (crabs):
 1. Once it is suspected that an inmate has Pediculosis (crabs), contact the Correctional Health Services (CHS) and have the inmate immediately evaluated.
 2. If the inmate is diagnosed as being infested, they will return to their housing location with a medical slip stating the inmate has crabs. The medical slip will also state that the inmate needs an immediate clothing and bedding exchange.
 3. The infested inmate will gather all clothing and bedding and bring it to the Guard Station Vestibule area.
 4. The housing Deputy will give the inmate a hot water soluble bag and a large white plastic bag. The inmate will place all clothing and bedding into the hot water soluble bag. The inmate will keep the mattress and wipe it down with a special cleaning solution provided by the Deputy.
 5. The inmate will return to their dayroom area and take a shower. The inmate will also apply a special cream provided by CHS to their body.
 6. After showering, the inmate will bring the used towel to the Guard Station area and place it into the same hot water soluble bag as the infested clothing and bedding. The hot water soluble bag will be sealed, placed into the white plastic bag and marked in large, legible letters: "CRABS."
 7. The Deputy will supply clean jail issue clothes and new bedding to the inmate.
 8. The inmate will get dressed and return to their cell. This procedure will be repeated daily until the medical staff diagnoses the infestation as cleared.
 9. An inmate worker will place the bag in a laundry cart. The module CSA will take the laundry cart and bag down to the basement laundry facilities for cleaning.
 10. All laundry marked "CRABS" will be washed separately at a temperature of 160 degrees Fahrenheit.
 11. Protective gloves will be used when handling bags marked "CRABS".

2404.6 BLOOD BORN PATHOGENS OR OTHER INFECTIOUS MATERIALS

- (a) The following will be used when it is discovered an item is contaminated with blood borne pathogens or other infectious materials:

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1. Contaminated laundry will be bagged in a hot water soluble bag and then double bagged in a clear plastic bag. It will be labeled "Contaminated Laundry."
2. An inmate worker will place the bag in a laundry cart and the module CSA will take the laundry cart down to the basement laundry facilities.
3. Protective gloves will be used when handling bags marked "Contaminated Laundry."