PREA Annual Report—2013

The following information is provided in accordance with PREA Standards 115.287, 115.288, and 115.289.

1. Uniform data from all sexual harassment, sexual misconduct, or sexual abuse allegations which occurred in 2nd District DCS Residential Facilities.

2nd District						
January 1 - December 31, 2013						
Investigation Type	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated	Unfounded	Other	Total	
Offender-on-Offender Abusive Contact	2	1	1	0	4	
Offender-on-Offender Non-Consensual Acts	0	0	1	0	1	
Offender on Offender Precursor Behavior	2	1	0	0	3	
Staff Sexual Harassment	0	0	0	0	0	
Staff Sexual Misconduct	0	0	1	0	1	
Total PREA Investigations	4	2	3	0	9	

- 2. The data, as noted above, has been reviewed to assess and improve the effectiveness of the Department's sexual abuse prevention, detection, and response policies, practices, and training. This review included the following:
 - A. Identification of problem areas— Residential officers were not accustomed to conducting pat searches in view of video cameras.
 - B. Any corrective action taken for each facility and the Department as a whole—Residential Officers were trained to perform pat searches in view of video cameras.
 - C. Comparison of current data to data collected in previous years—2013 is the first year that the Annual PREA Report has been completed for 2nd District.
 - D. An assessment of the Department's progress in addressing sexual abuse—PREA Policies were updated in 2013 to address PREA Standards. Policy was reviewed and acknowledged by staff. All staff members are trained annually in preventing and detecting sexual abuse in the facilities. Staff knowledge and awareness of PREA has increased in the past few years. In our residential facilities it appears that residents are more comfortable with reporting and staff is better prepared to respond to reports.

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