

**TEXAS COMMISSION ON JAIL STANDARDS  
JAIL INSPECTION REPORT**

**Facility Name:** Cass County Jail

**Date:**

November 14, 2017

Item	Section	Paragraph	Comments
1	263	.41	Training and Drills. Training of staff for emergency situations shall be provided immediately upon employment and no less than each calendar quarter for all jail personnel to include fire, emergency, evacuation drills, and location and use of equipment.

**During the review of the life safety training documentation, it was shown that several jailers did not receive quarterly life safety training as required by minimum jail standards.**

2	263	.55	Inspections, Maintenance, Testing. 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.
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**During the walk-through, this inspector observed that the fire panel had not been inspected within the past year. The panel was last inspected on 10/18/2016.**



**Fred St. Amant, T.C.J.S. Inspector**