

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

**Facility Name:** Dallam-Hartley County Jail

**Date:**

September 18, 2019

Item	Section	Paragraph	Comments
1	263	.41	<p>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.</p> <p><b>Deficiency from the FY 2018 annual inspection still exists. Staff were not trained in life safety and emergency situations for the first and second quarters of FY 2019.</b></p>
2	283	.1(3)(c)(d)	<p>Provisions shall be made for at least twenty-four hours written notice to be given to the inmate of the claimed violation or charges against him/her; Provisions may be included for inmates to waive the right to a disciplinary hearing provided proper notification is given prior to the signing of the waiver. The waiver shall include the appropriate identification of charges, the allowable sanctions, and the sanctions offered by the waiver. A waiver shall not include the loss of good time as a sanction.</p> <p><b>Deficiency from the FY 2018 annual inspection still exists. Staff were not, on a consistent basis, providing a 24 hour notice, starting sanctions prior to the waiver or hearing and starting sanctions on the same day as the 24 hour notice given.</b></p>



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