Mental Disabilities/Suicide Prevention Plan.
(a) Each sheriff/operator shall develop and implement a mental disabilities/suicide prevention plan, in coordination with available medical and mental health officials, approved by the Commission by March 31, 1997. The plan shall address the following principles and procedures:
(1) Training. Provisions for staff training (including frequency and duration) on the procedures for recognition, supervision, documentation, and handling of inmates who are mentally disabled and/or potentially suicidal. Supplemental training should be provided to those staff members responsible for intake screening;
Suicide training was last conducted in November 2018. The Mental Health Operational Plan states staff will receive 4 hours of suicide training annually.

Searches for Contraband. For the protection of corrections personnel and inmates:
(c) there shall be regular and irregular searches of the entire facility area for contraband which shall be noted in a permanent facility record;
No contraband searches were conducted during the months of March, April and May of 2020. This was noted as technical assistance on the FY2020 annual inspection report.

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