

BONNER COUNTY JUSTICE SERVICES

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Bonner County Justice Services PREA Annual Report For 2024

The Bonner County Juvenile Detention Center fully supports the Prison Rape Elimination Act of 2003 (PREA). For years, the Bonner County Detention Center has trained staff and residents on prohibited contact and inappropriate relationships to prevent the problem of sexual abuse within its walls.

The reporting of any type of sexual abuse in the Bonner County Juvenile Detention Center is extremely low, with most reports being unfounded or unsubstantiated. In the calendar year of 2024, we had zero reports of sexual abuse or harassment. We will continue to hold strong to a Zero Tolerance policy. Should the need for an investigation occur, we will use that information to determine if changes need to be made to existing policy and procedures, facility characteristics, staffing schedules, personnel assignments and supervision.

During the last year, all detention staff, volunteers, and contractors have received PREA training. The residents also receive PREA education at least weekly. In conjunction with training and education, high levels of supervision are the main tools used to prevent sexual abuse or any other incidents within the facility.

The PREA Standards contain 182 separate standards organized in over 40 sections. Each of the individual standards often contains multiple requirements.

Bonner County Juvenile Detention Center scheduled its third ever PREA audit and it was held May 16 through May 19th of 2022. The result was a brief corrective action on a few policies which were completed. We are currently in compliance with the Prison Rape Elimination Act of 2003 (PREA). We are set to have our fourth audit in August of 2025.



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For 2024, the Bonner County Juvenile Detention Center reports the following PREA data:

How many non-consensual resident-on-resident sexual acts were reported? 0

Substantiated? 0 Unsubstantiated? 0 Unfounded? 0 Still under investigation? 0

How many allegations of Staff Sexual Misconduct were reported? 0

Substantiated? 0 Unsubstantiated? 0 Unfounded?'0 Still under investigation? 0

How many allegations of staff on resident sexual harassment were reported? 0

Substantiated? 0 Unsubstantiated? 0 Unfounded? 0 Still under investigation? 0

How many allegations of resident-on-resident sexual harassment reported? 0

Substantiated? 0 Unsubstantiated? 0 Unfounded? 0 Still under investigation? 0

How many resident-on-resident abusive sexual contacts were reported? 0

Substantiated? 0 Unsubstantiated? 0 Unfounded? 0 Still under investigation? 0

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