# MANAGING INMATE WORKERS

# POLICY

### Detention P&P S.1

It shall be the responsibility of the Inmate Worker Deputy to perform the majority of the supervision and assignment of inmate workers, and the general responsibility of each deputy to functionally supervise Inmate Workers. All prospective inmate workers shall complete and sign an inmate worker application, form J114A and a medical questionnaire, form J235.

# MEDICAL SCREENING

All inmate workers shall be screened and cleared by the facility medical staff prior to being assigned to any work assignments.

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Food service workers (Kitchen inmate workers) shall be screened and cleared by the facility medial staff prior to being assigned to food preparation and serving areas. A medical history shall be completed to screen for infectious diseases including, but not limited to food borne illnesses and skin lesions.

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All prospective inmate workers to be assigned to a vocational program will be medically screened prior to the assignment.

Inmates currently taking psychiatric medication shall not be assigned to the following vocational programs:

GBDF-Landscaping
EMRF-Construction and print shop
LCDF- Construction and landscaping

### The Inmate Worker Deputy will:

- Evaluate inmates' current charges
- Run CII records check (SDlaw)
- Incidents record check (JIMS)

# CRITERIA FOR INMATE WORKER STATUS

Inmates may be sentenced or un-sentenced, as detention facility needs dictate.

The inmate's bail amount should be one of several considerations evaluated during the inmate worker selection process.

AS SUCH THERE IS NO SPECIFIC BAIL AMOUNT THAT, ALONE, DISQUALIFIES AN INMATE FROM INMATE WORKER STATUS.

# CRITERIA FOR INMATE WORKER STATUS (Continued)

THE BAIL AMOUNT

THE TYPE OF OFFENSE

PRIOR RECORD

LEVEL OF CRIMINAL SOPHISTICATION

PRIOR CUSTODY JIMS INCIDENTS

# DISQUALIFIERS FROM INMATE WORKER STATUS

INMATES WITH PAROLE HOLDS

RETURNING TO PRISON

HISTORY OF EXCESS VIOLENCE

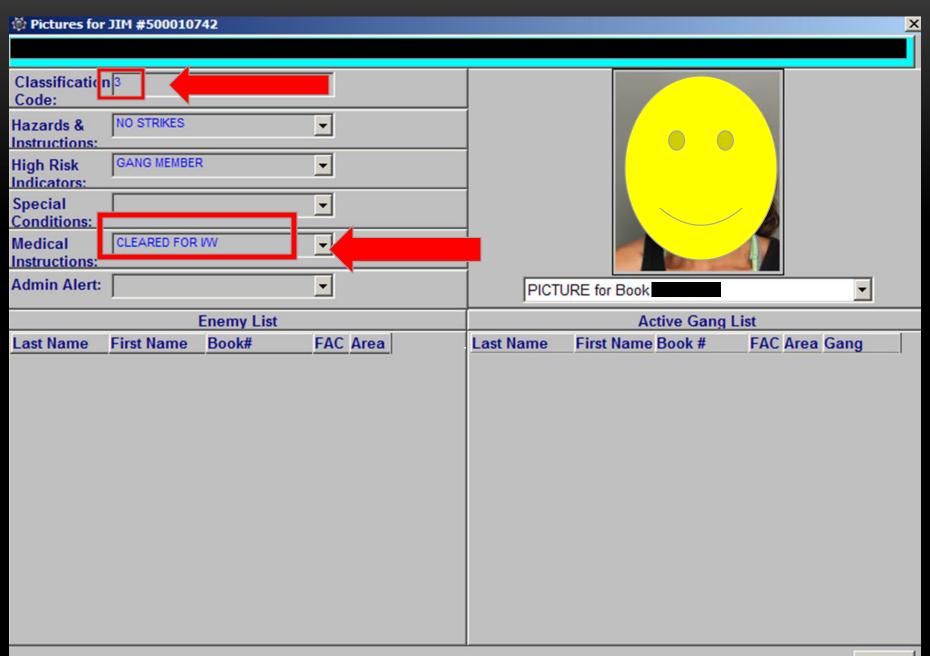
INMATES WHO HAVE BEEN CONVICTED, CIVILLY, ADMINISTRATIVELY ADJUDICATED TO HAVE ENGAGED IN SEXUAL ABUSE IN PRISON/JAIL OR ANY OTHER CONFINEMENT FACILITY.

1551.1 PC- FUGITIVES.

INMATES WITH ESCAPE RECORDS (HOWEVER, AN INDIVIDUAL CASE MAY BE REVIEWED AND APPROVED BY WC.)

# COMMON SENSE!

INMATES PREVIOUSLY HOUSED IN MAXIMUM SECURITY, AD. SEG. OR PSYCHIATRIC HOUSING UNITS ARE NOT ELIGIBLE FOR INMATE WORKER.





# INMATE WORKER BADGE COLOR INFORMATION

The inmate worker deputy will determine inmate work assignments, this will prevent family members, friends, members of same criminal organizations or gangs selecting work assignments to ease the movement of contraband, drugs or information within the facilities.

DEPUTIES AND PROFESSIONAL STAFF HAVE THE FUNCTIONAL RESPONSIBILITY OF SUPERVISING AND DIRECTING THE WORK AND CONDUCT OF THE INMATE WORKERS.

STAFF SUPERVISING INMATE WORKERS SHALL DILIGENTLY OBSERVE INMATE WORKERS DURING THE PERFORMANCE OF THEIR ASSIGNED DUTIES TO PREVENT:

BREACHES OF SECURITY (ESCAPE, DRUG DROPS, ETC.)
MOVEMENT OF CONTRABAND (DRUGS, WEAPONS, ETC.)
COMMUNICATION DISTRIBUTION (KITES, WILAS, ETC.)

When personality issues or poor work standard develop with inmate workers, the inmate worker deputy will:

CHANGE INMATE WORK ASSIGNMENT

TAKE REMEDIAL ACTION (REMOVE INMATE WORKER STATUS).

Deputies requesting that an Inmate Worker be "rolled up' (removed from inmate worker status) should refer the incident report (ISR) to the Inmate Worker Deputy for handling.

The Watch Commander must approve the incident report when an immediate "roll up" is requested.













