SDSD Detention Services Bureau—San Diego Central Jail Green Sheet

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SUBJECT: INCARCERATED PERSON STRIP AND

PAT DOWN SEARCHES

PROCEDURE

PAT DOWNS

- A. In order to help neutralize the risk of weapons, narcotics, and contraband from entering the facility, all arrestees shall be patted down after removal from any Intake holding cell. The pat down search shall be done prior to starting the fingerprint/booking process.
- B. In the event any of the above mentioned items are discovered, safely process them as evidence and document in a NetRMS crime/arrest report.
- C. A minimum of two deputies should be present during the pat down process. The number of incarcerated persons that can be patted down at any given time shall depend on the size of their COVID contact peer group. Deputies must ensure the peer groups do not cross contaminate at any time.

For pat-downs of transgender, intersex or non-binary incarcerated persons see Detention Service Bureau Policies and Procedures (DSB P&P) section R.13 - Transgender, Intersex and non-binary incarcerated persons.