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<b>RELATED SECTIONS:</b>	<u>D.3, D.7, D.9, D.11, D.13, D.15</u>

## PURPOSE

To provide staff members with the information and skills necessary to function effectively in the Detention Services Bureau.

## POLICY

The Detention Facility Training Program will have policies and procedures to ensure training programs for all employees are specifically planned, coordinated, supervised, and evaluated.

## PHILOSOPHY AND GOALS

- I. Training is defined as an organized, planned, and evaluated activity designed to achieve specific learning objectives through classroom studies and closely supervised on-the-job training. Training may take place within the facility, away at workshops, or special schools.
- II. Staff development is defined as an organized, planned and evaluated activity designed to further increase the staff members' level of competence, which enables them to function more effectively.
  - A. Training and development of sworn and professional detention staff is an important responsibility of the Detention Services Bureau and individual facility administrators.
  - B. The primary goal of training and staff development is the accomplishment of organizational objectives. This is accomplished through the effective utilization of the organization's resources.
  - C. Each facility will have written policies and procedures which ensure the facility's training programs for all employees are specifically planned, coordinated, supervised and evaluated.
  - D. Facility related orientation and yearly security refresher training will be outlined and coordinated by the training coordinator for both sworn and professional staff.