## **Central Ohio Youth Center**

## **Annual Facility Assessment**

## (PREA Standard 115.313)

Date of Review: August 28, 2025

Date of Next Review: No later than 8/31/26

## Subject

Adjustment Needed? If yes, actions taken.

Staffing Plan	Meets generally accepted juvenile detention/correctional practices? Yes.
	Minimum ratios outlined in Policy 5-1
Max. population = 38 youth	Video surveillance & recording system in place
Average daily population 8/1/24-7/31/25 = 28	Isolated deviations from staffing plan since last review, however, statutory ratios were never unmet.
0600-1400: minimum 5 (min.= 1:8; avg. 1:4.6) 1400-2200: minimum 5 (min.= 1:8; avg. 1:4) 2200-0600: minimum 4 (min.= 1:10; avg. 1:7)	Meets any applicable state or local laws, regulations or standards (ratio of security staff is at least 1:8 during waking hours & 1:16 during sleeping hours)? Exceeds statutorily required ratio of 1:8 & 1:10
Both male & female on every shift	Any judicial, federal investigative agency or internal/external oversight body findings of inadequacy? <i>No.</i>
	Take into consideration the prevalence of substantiated incidents of sexual abuse? Yes. An annual allegation log with investigative findings and retaliation monitoring is maintained by the PREA coordinator.
	Any limited or discrete exigent circumstances that caused deviation from plan? Limited deviations when emergency medical treatment was necessary for youth that required staff transportation.
Prevailing Staffing Pattern	Does the pattern support the composition of the resident population?  Yes. Each group of youth can be appropriately monitored by current staffing patterns.
	Are the number & placement of supervisory staff adequate? <i>Policy requires that a supervisor be on duty at all times.</i>
	Take into account programs occurring on a particular shift? 0730-1900: Support staff are also on duty to assist as needed (intake, teachers, group facilitators, etc.).
	Any other relevant factors? Overtime hours were over budget during the past 12 months; operations are being modified & monitored, including hiring additional staff.

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Physical Plant	Blind spots identified?
	South Wing egress door outside (however, there is no regular youth access at this door,
	it would only be used in the case of an emergency evacuation.)
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	Any areas where staff or residents may be isolated?
	Youth are not to ever be in the following locations due to lack of camera coverage and
	additional safety & security risk contained therein: closets & laundry room on wings.  The shower area is off limits to youth except for hygiene. Staff closely monitor this area
	while youth are using it.
	Video monitoring system adequate?
	Yes.
	Intermediate-level or higher level supervisors conduct and document unannounced
	rounds, without staff alerting other staff members, on all shifts?
	The current AOCs are required to complete at least 1 unannounced program visit report during each week of their terms. This rotation generates at least 1 of these
	report during each week of their terms. This rotation generates at least 1 of these
Resources	To ensure adherence to staffing plan?
Committed/Needed	Working well as outlined so no changes are needed at this time.
	To make physical plant safer/more secure?
	Nothing at this time.

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