

North Dakota Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation Division of Transitional Facilities Office of Facility Inspections

| Facility | Grand Forks County Correctional Center |
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| Facility Administrator | Bret L. Burkholder |
| Facility Website Address | https://www.gfcounty.nd.gov/government/adult-corrections |
| DOCR Inspector(s) | Joe Charvat, Steven Hall |
| Assigned Facility Grade | 1 |
| Maximum Rated Capacity | 250 |
| Current Inmate Count | 190 |
| Date of Inspection | August 23 and 24, 2023 |

The North Dakota Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation ("DOCR") inspected the Grand Forks County Correctional Center (GFCCC) on August 23 and 24, 2023. The inspection was made in accordance with N.D.C.C. §§ 12-44.1-24, 12-44.1-25, with the North Dakota Correctional Facility Standards effective January 2023, and the statutory requirements in N.D.C.C. Ch. 12-44.1.

The inspection of the facility was conducted by Joe Charvat, Deputy Director of Facility Inspections, and Steven Hall, Jail Inspector. The previous inspection of the facility was conducted on August 24 and 25, 2022.

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REPORT SUMMARY

A. Facility Description

The GFCCC is a grade one (1) correctional facility located at 1701 North Washington Street, Grand Forks, ND. The GFCCC is operated under the authority of the Administrator, Bret L. Burkholder. Administrator Bret L. Burkholder and the GFCCC are under the governing authority of the Grand Forks County Commissioners. The facility is a one-story level building. The facility was constructed in 2006 and renovated in 2013.

GFCCC physical plant consists of master control and administrative offices for the administrator, captain, and the lieutenant's offices. The facility has a program room in each housing area, a large vehicle sally port, booking area, observation cells, kitchen, laundry, attorney-visiting rooms, property storage rooms, IVN rooms, janitor closets, restrooms, medical treatment areas, chemical storage closets, library, three (3) inside recreation areas with louvers for outside air, interview rooms, and dayrooms. Additional administrative offices are located throughout the facility. Services provided include ministry programs, work release, chemical dependence, life skills, Free Through Recovery, medical, commissary, food service, laundry, and library. The facility also

provides the distribution of prescribed medicines, commissary, laundry, library, and meals served from a full-service kitchen. Offenders eat their meals within the dayrooms of their unit. The law library is available on a laptop in seven (7) locations throughout the facility. GFCCC's operational design concept is to receive unclassified individuals, hold pretrial and convicted persons up to a year. The facility has space to allow for processing, classifying, and releasing individuals at all times.

The master control room is centrally located within the facility, with no direct line of sight into the housing units. The master control room can take door controls from each unit control center, if needed. There are secondary control stations located in each unit. During the inspection, these secondary control stations were utilized. The master control has the capability to open the doors throughout the facility.

All offenders are housed based upon their needs and their respective levels of classification. Male or female distinction of each unit is based on facility needs. GFCCC has three (3) units, and each unit has one (1) tier with the exception of unit three (3), which has two (2) tiers. Each unit has six (6) smaller pods. unit one (1) and two (2) contain twenty-four (24) cells in which twenty-two (22) are double bunked. Unit three (3) contains forty-eight (48) cells, in which forty-six (46) are double bunked. Unit three (3) has stairs in the dayroom to access the upper tier cells. Each unit contains one (1) pod with two (2) single bunk cells, which are designated as medical/A.D.A. cells. These two (2) cells are rated for double capacity when additional space is needed. Each unit consists of the pods surrounding a central secondary control/officer station.

Each pod has dayrooms with large glass windows, which restrict visibility from the inside of the unit and gives the secondary control stations a direct view into the pods. All the units have a dayroom located in the front of the housing pods and a private shower located at the left or right side in the lower or upper tiers of each of the housing pods. The design of each shower unit allows the offenders to have privacy for showering. The recreation area is located in the center of the housing units, also there is a classroom in each of the housing units. Each cell has a washbasin and toilet in the immediate sleeping areas. Offenders assigned to a unit do have limited contact with offenders in other units during programming. Each cell is equipped with an intercom that allows offenders to communicate with staff. Each unit has basic furnishings, television, kiosks, phones, and multi-purpose areas. All housing units have adequate and appropriate seating for the number of inmates that make use of each unit. All housing units have access to natural lighting and illumination sufficient for comfortable reading in the living areas. The dayrooms allow offenders to congregate, watch television, use the telephone system, use texters, and have access to the kiosk system for visitation and ordering of commissary.

GFCCC has two (2) dorms. WR dorm has thirty-six (36) beds for work release and the other dorm has four (4) beds next to the laundry and kitchen areas for in-house inmate workers. Each dorm shares a community washbasin, toilet, and shower unit located off the side of the dorm. Each dorm is equipped with an intercom that allows offenders to communicate with staff. The dorms have adequate seating for the number of inmates that make use of each dorm. Each unit has particular rules depending on its designation. The booking area has ten (10) two (2) person holding cells, one (1) temporary group-holding cell, and two (2) single occupancy safety cells. A washbasin and a toilet are included in the holding cells. The safety cells have a flushing floor toilet mounted flush with the floor. The controls are located outside in a plumbing closet. The safety cells are used temporarily for inmates under the influence of alcohol or drugs, display violent behavior, self-harm, or inability to exercise self-control. The safety cells are located near the officer duty station. The entrance door to the holding cells has one (1) small window for officer

observation. These windows have a cover to restrict visibility from the inside of the cell. Visual observation is accomplished face to face through observation rounds. All holding and safety/observation cells and the group-housing unit within the booking area have cameras, intercom, and duress lights, which can be monitored by the booking officers and control staff. There is no direct visual observation from the control room into the safety cell.

GFCCC houses male and female inmates up to one (1) year or until an inmate's court case is completed. The average length of stay is twenty (20) days. Two thousand three hundred and eighty-three (2,383) male offenders and nine hundred sixty-two (962) female offenders were processed for 2022. GFCCC has an authorized staff consisting of; five (5) administration staff, fifty-five (55) security staff, six (6) medical staff, and maintains staffing levels of one (1) staff to eighteen (18) inmates. GFCCC maintains verbal and contractual agreements to house inmates from different jurisdictions, including U.S. Marshal Service, Bureau of Prisons, U.S. Air Force, Border Patrol, Parole and Probation DOCR, as well as the North Dakota Counties of Walsh and Traill.

GFCCC has twenty-nine (29) phones/Kiosks located throughout the facility for inmate use. GFCCC has one hundred seventy-nine (179) cameras throughout the facility. Monitoring is accomplished by periodic personal observations and electronic camera(s), which are continuously monitored. Inspectors could not find where electronic surveillance was a substitute for periodic personal observations by facility employees. GFCCC has a large vehicle sally port, which can provide entry for up to eleven (11) vehicles transporting inmates and emergency vehicles.

B. Sanitation

The correctional facility inspectors found the level of sanitation in the facility to be acceptable. The physical plant is being maintained, with no notable physical plant issues. The correctional facility inspectors found that the offenders were provided with equipment and materials necessary to clean their assigned areas. The correctional facility inspectors found that waste and trashcans are emptied at least one (1) occurrence every day and as often as needed. For vermin or insects, GFCCC has retained a professional exterminator. The correctional facility inspectors did not find any disagreeable odors in the facility, and the offenders had access to hot and cold running water. Noise levels and temperatures were within the normal levels throughout the facility.

C. Examination of Policies and Records

Documentation reviewed for this inspection includes facility policies, procedures, forms, educational materials, grievances, training curriculum, employee training records, inmate booking files, inmate property receipt, organizational chart, posters, PREA brochures, PREA audit, inmate handbook, operation manuals, litigation, notice of claims, and significant incidents. These materials were provided to demonstrate compliance with the North Dakota Correctional Facility Standards. The correctional facility inspectors did not examine budgetary records or official findings aside from what was provided. For the facility inspector observations, we used a limited judgmental sample and relied on our professional judgment to conclude when we observed practices. The correctional facility inspectors had complete access to the facility.

Summary of Inspection Findings

| STANDARDS COMPLIANCE CALCULATION | | | |
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| Compliance with Standards | 107 | | |
| Non-Compliance with Standards | 0 | | |
| Non-Applicable Standards | 1 | | |
| Total | 108 | | |

 Standard 001
 Variances
 Compliant: Yes

 Correctional facilities shall comply with the standards adopted by the North Dakota Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation ("DOCR") unless a variance has been granted by the DOCR. A request for a variance must be submitted in writing using the DOCR Variance Request Form. A variance may be granted in accordance with N.D.C.C. § 12-44.1-26.

| Observations: | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. | | |
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Standard 002Applicable lawsCompliant: YesCorrectional facilities shall comply with all applicable state and federal laws, rules, and
regulations, including all requirements of 28 Code of Federal Regulations Part 115 (PREA).

| Observations: | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. GFCCC conducted a PREA |
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| | audit in August 2022. |

| Standard 003 | Grade, Classification and Population | Compliant: Yes |
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The Director of the DOCR shall notify each correctional facility administrator of the approved correctional facility grade classification, approved inmate classifications, and total number of individuals who may be confined in the correctional facility. The Director of the DOCR shall notify correctional facility administrators of the terms of any variances that have been granted.

| Observations: | At the time of the inspection, the inmate population did not exceed the |
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| | rated capacity. |

| Standard 004 | Facility Review of Policy and Compliance | Compliant: Yes |
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| includes the req Correctional facil least annually. W facility's policies | In the for a policy or procedure in the North Dakota Correctional uirement to demonstrate the correctional facility's compliar ity administrators shall review each of their policies and comp /hen necessary, a correctional facility administrator shall upda and procedures and make them available in electronic form t stions upon request. | nce with its policy. liance with them at ate the correctional |

| Observations: | All GFCCC policies and procedures are reviewed at least annually and |
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| | revised as necessary. |

Standard 005Inmate Access to DOCRCompliant: YesCorrectional facilities shall have a process to permit inmates to contact the DOCR Office of Facility
Inspections. Correctional facilities shall make the DOCR Office of Facility Inspections contact
information available to inmates.

Observations:

GFCCC procedures demonstrate compliance with the standard.

| Standard 006 | Inspections and Self Inspections | Compliant: Yes |
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| The DOCR Office | e of Facility Inspections shall inspect correctional facilities pur | suant to N.D.C.C. |
| Chapter 12-44.1 | and the North Dakota Correctional Facility Standards. Correct | tional facility |
| administrators sh | nall submit self-completed correctional facility inspection repor | ts to the DOCR |
| Office of Facility | Inspections at least 30 days prior to a scheduled onsite inspe | ction. |

The DOCR Director and any designees may enter correctional facilities at any time to inspect compliance with North Dakota Correctional Facility Standards. Upon request of the DOCR, correctional facilities shall admit the DOCR without unnecessary delay; provide timely access to interview employees, former employees, and inmates; and provide timely access to information, including documents, electronic information, data, audio recordings, video recordings, photographs, and physical evidence. The DOCR shall provide advance notice of its intent to visit a correctional facility, when reasonable, and shall collaborate with the facility to minimize disruption to facility operations.

If a correctional facility is in violation of any required minimum standards, applicable state or federal law, or North Dakota Correctional Facility Standards, the DOCR Office of Facility Inspections may issue a draft order of noncompliance. The correctional facility has 15 days from service of the draft order of non-compliance to contest the draft order.

| Observations: | GFCCC provided a self-inspection to this office for review. | | | |
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| Standard 007 | Contracts for Out-of-State Inmates | Compliant: Yes | | |
| Correctional facilities that contract with a correctional facility located in another state, including for | | | | |
| those in transpor | rt, shall comply with N.D.C.C. § 12-44.1-31. | - | | |

Observations: GFCCC is in compliance with the standard.

Standard 008Construction and Renovation Plan ExpendituresCompliant: Yes

Correctional facilities shall seek approval from the DOCR Office of Facility Inspections of all plans for construction or renovation of correctional facilities with an estimated expenditure of more than one hundred thousand dollars before commencement of the project.

Observations:

GFCCC expansion and renovation is under construction. GFCCC is in compliance with the standard.

Standard 009Construction and Renovation Plan StandardsCompliant: Yes

Correctional facilities shall ensure all plans for the construction or major renovation of correctional facilities are in compliance with model correctional facility standards, such as the standards published by the American Correctional Association, National Sheriff's Association, and the National Institute of Corrections. Unless otherwise noted, the square footage and physical plant requirements apply to plans approved after January 1, 1992.

Observations:

GFCCC expansion and renovation is under construction. GFCCC is in compliance with the standard.

Standard 010Classification and Male and Female SeparationCompliant: YesCorrectional facilities shall adopt a classification system for inmates. After a correctional facility
adopts a classification system approved by the DOCR, it is no longer required to comply with

subsections 3, 4, and 5 of N.D.C.C. § 12-44.1-09. Correctional facilities shall have a policy and procedure that requires separate male and female housing and includes visual, physical, and sound separation between male and female inmates.

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| Standard 011 | Requirem | | Footage | and | Illumination | Compliant: Yes |
| hour period. All | single cells | | a minimum c | of 35 squa | | s ten hours in a 24- ncumbered space. |
| Observations: | GFC | CC is in complia | ince with the | e standar | d. | |
| Standard 012 | Single Ce | Is for Special N | leeds | | | Compliant: Yes |
| cells for inmate facility, the staf | es who may ff, the inma | present a serio | ous threat to ates; inmate | o the safe es with se | ety or security | e single-occupancy of the correctional disabilities; sexual special needs. |
| Observations: | GFC | CC is in complia | ince with the | e standar | d. | |
| Standard 013 | Multiple | Occupancy Ro | om Usage | | | Compliant: Yes |
| needs listed in in multiple occu Observations: | ipancy roon | | | - | | tes before housing |
| Standard 014 | Multiple Require | | Room | Square | e Footage | Compliant: Yes |
| of unencumber | ed space p | | n confineme | nt exceed | ds ten hours p | m of 25 square feet er day, correctional |
| | | | | | · | provided for each |
| Observations: | GFC | CC is in complia | ince with the | | • | provided for each |
| Standard 015 | Grade O | ne Dayroom fo | r Indoor Re | e standar | d. | Compliant: Yes |
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| Standard 015 Grade one corr areas. | Grade O ectional fac | ne Dayroom fo ilities shall provi | <mark>r Indoor Re</mark> ide dayroom | e standar creation is that are | d. e separate fror | Compliant: Yes |
| Standard 015 Grade one corr areas. Observations: Standard 016 | Grade O ectional fac GFC Secure I cilities shall | ne Dayroom fo ilities shall provi CC is in complia Booking Area | r Indoor Re ide dayroom | e standard creation is that are e standard | d. e separate fror d. | Compliant: Yes n indoor recreation |

| Standard 017 | Control Room Separation | Compliant: Yes | | | |
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| Newly constru | cted correctional facilities must include a control room area | a that is physically | | | |
| separated and staffed separately from a law enforcement dispatch center. | | | | | |
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| Observations: | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. | | | | |
| Standard 018 | Toilet, Washbasin, and Urinal Ratios | Compliant: Yes | | | |
| | cilities shall provide inmates, including inmates housed in | • | | | |
| | ess to toilets and washbasins with temperature-controlled runr | | | | |
| | and washbasins must be accessible without staff assistance | | | | |
| | r cells or sleeping areas. | | | | |
| | ple occupancy rooms must include toilets at a minimum ratio of | f one toilet per eight | | | |
| | tes for females and one toilet per twelve inmates for males. | 1 0 | | | |
| | als may substitute for up to half the toilets in male living areas. | | | | |
| | ring areas with three or more inmates must have a minimum o | f two toilets. | | | |
| | nbasins must be provided at a ratio of at least one washbas | | | | |
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| | cilities may have a cell or multiple cells without an above-floor | toilet or wash basin | | | |
| | ssary for the temporary housing of an inmate who is under close | | | | |
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| Observations: | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. | | | | |
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| Standard 019 | Shower Temperature and Ratio | Compliant: Yes | | | |
| | ade two, and grade three correctional facilities shall provide | | | | |
| | I inmates. Correctional facility showers must maintain the | | | | |
| | o 120 degrees. Correctional facilities shall provide showers a | t a ratio of not less | | | |
| than one show | er per twelve inmates. | | | | |
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| Observations: | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. | | | | |
| Standard 020 | Protection Area Space Provincements | Compliant: Yes | | | |
| | Recreation Area Space Requirements | | | | |
| | areas constructed after 1992, correctional facilities shall pr e requirements: | ovide at least the | | | |
| - | r exercise area: 15 square feet per inmate for the maximum | number of inmotor | | | |
| | d to use the space at one time, but not less than 1,5 | | | | |
| • | mbered space; | ou square reel U | | | |
| | d/enclosed exercise areas in correctional facilities of 100 or | more inmates: 15 | | | |
| | feet per inmate for the maximum number of inmates expected | | | | |
| | e, with a minimum ceiling height of 18 feet, but not less than ² | | | | |
| | unencumbered space; and | | | | |
| | d/enclosed exercise areas in correctional facilities of less that | n 100 inmates: 15 | | | |
| | feet per inmate for the maximum number of inmates expected | | | | |
| one time, with a minimum ceiling height of 18 feet, but not less than 500 square feet of | | | | | |
| | mbered space. | | | | |
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| Observations: | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. | | | | |

Standard 021 Intake Requirements

Compliant: Yes

Only correctional staff members who have completed North Dakota Correctional Officer Basic Certification and Correctional Medical Training I and II; have completed the training required under Standard 103; or are acting under the supervision of trained correctional facility staff may perform intake screenings on inmates at intake. Staff members shall record their findings in the medical screening portion of the intake form approved by the Health Care Administrator. The medical screening portion of the intake form may be completed by a licensed medical professional.

Correctional facilities shall have a written policy and procedure that includes a written record of:

- a. Current illness and health problems, including dental problems, sexually transmitted diseases and other infectious diseases, and screening for tuberculosis in accordance with guidance provided by the North Dakota Department of Health;
- b. Medication taken and special health requirements, including meals, medical equipment, or medical treatments;
- c. Use of alcohol and other drugs, including types of drugs used, mode of use, amounts used, frequency used, date or time of last use, and history of problems that may have occurred after ceasing use;
- d. Past and present treatment or hospitalization for:
 - 1. Mental health illness;
 - 2. Self-harm or suicide; and
 - 3. All other medical issues.
- e. Past or present thoughts or attempts of self-harm or suicide;
- f. Pregnancy;
- g. Presence of lice, scabies or other parasites;
- h. Other health problems designated by a licensed medical professional;
- i. Observations of behavior, including state of consciousness, mental status, appearance, conduct, tremor and sweating;
- j. Body deformities, trauma markings, bruises, lesions, jaundice, ease of movement, or other observed injuries or conditions that appear to be irregular or unusual;
- k. Recent tattoos or injection sites; and
- I. Dispositions to:
 - 1. Facility intake,
 - 2. General population,
 - 3. General population and referral to a licensed health care service, and
 - 4. Referral to a licensed health care service on an emergency basis until inmate is medically cleared.

Correctional facilities shall send all medical screenings as soon as reasonably possible after the screening to the Health Care Administrator or provider for review or follow up.

Correctional facilities shall have a policy and procedure to deny the admission of any individual under the age of eighteen.

| Observations: | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. | |
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| Standard 022 | Supervision of Mentally III and Emotionally Disturbed | Compliant: Yes |

Correctional facilities that house inmates with signs or symptoms of mental illness or emotional disturbance or individuals who are detained pursuant to a court-ordered emergency commitment under N.D.C.C. Chapter 25-03.1 shall have written policies and procedures for close observation, up to and including direct personal observation. Staff shall document the time, condition, and

actions of the inmate or individual in the designated log. As required by N.D.C.C. § 25-03.1-25(3)(b), correctional facilities may not detain an individual taken into detention solely for emergency involuntary commitment (a) if another secure facility is accessible and (b) for more than twenty-four (24) hours.

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| Observations: | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. | |
| Standard 023 | Intake File Content Requirements | Compliant: Yes |
| | lish individual files at intake. The following minimum ic | |
| information must | be recorded for each inmate in correctional facilities: | |
| a. Name | (previous legal names or aliases, if any); | |
| b. Physic | al address; | |
| c. Date c | of birth; | |
| d. Social | Security Number; | |
| e. Sex; | | |
| f. Race; | | |
| g. Nation | ality; | |
| h. Weigh | t; | |
| i. Height | · · | |
| j. Currer | nt or prior military experience; | |
| k. Identif | ying marks, including scars, marks, and tattoos (location a | nd description); |
| | address, and phone number of emergency contact; | |
| m. Occup | | |
| | of Employer; | |
| | and date of admission to correctional facilities; | |
| • | ity for admission; | |
| q. Offens | | |
| | of delivering officer and arresting officer; | |
| | al screening form; | |
| | I health and suicide screening form; | |
| | notification, screening, and acknowledgment; . Correctional facilities shall complete the PRE acknowledgment prior to general population assignmen | 0 |
| V Prima | y language the inmate reads and understands; | it. |
| | photos of front and side and identifying marks; | |
| • | int arrest fingerprints, when required by BCI administrative | a rulas: |
| | nd housing assignment; | |
| | if release or transfer; | |
| | of person recording the data; and | |
| | and contact information of the victim(s) or the parent or gu | ardian of the victim(s) |
| | victim is a juvenile. | |
| Observations: | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. | |
| Standard 024 | Facility Clothing | Compliant: Yes |
| | ities may require inmates to wear clothing provided by the | |

Correctional facilities may require inmates to wear clothing provided by the correctional facility. If Inmates are required to wear clothing provided by the correctional facility, the correctional facility shall issue a clean set of appropriately-sized correctional facility clothing, including pants and shirt or coveralls, footwear, and undergarments. Correctional facilities may permit inmates to wear their own clothing.

| Observations: GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. | |
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| Standard 025 | Inventory of | Inmate | Personal | Property | and | Inmate | Compliant: Yes |
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| | Accounts | | | | | | |

Correctional facilities shall inventory and itemize all personal property, including money, taken from an inmate at intake. A record of the property must be signed by the inmate and placed in inmate's file. The property must be made available to the inmate upon release, unless the property is evidence of a crime. The property room must be secure and access to the property room must be controlled.

Correctional facilities shall have a written policy and procedure for inmate financial accounts in accordance with N.D.C.C. § 12-44.1-12.1. The policy must include a procedure for the withdrawal of funds from the inmate's account for payment of the inmate's medical, dental, and eye care costs, and for payment of the inmate's funds to the inmate if the inmate is transferred to another facility or when the inmate is discharged from the correctional facility. The policy may include a procedure for the withdrawal of funds from the inmate's account for payment of the inmate's account for payment of the inmate is discharged from the correctional facility. The policy may include a procedure for the withdrawal of funds from the inmate's account for payment of the inmate's legitimate financial obligations, including child support, restitution, fines, and fees.

Observations:

GFCCC is in compliance with the standard.

Standard 026 Intake Telephone Call

Correctional facilities shall have a written policy and procedure that allows a newly admitted inmate the opportunity to attempt at least one telephone call. These calls may be completed on a facility telephone or an electronic device approved by the correctional facility as soon as the admission process has been completed or within a reasonable time determined by the correctional facility administrator. Correctional facilities shall maintain documentation of the telephone calls and, when applicable, the inmate's refusal to make a telephone call.

Observations:

GFCC policy E.17 and procedures meet the requirements of the standard.

Standard 027 Inmate Orientation

Compliant: Yes

Compliant: Yes

Upon admission or as soon as practical, staff shall provide inmates orientation information in a language the inmate understands, including relevant information about:

- a. Visitation;
- b. Mail;
- c. Contraband;
- d. Inmate rights and responsibilities;
- e. Prohibited acts and penalties that may be imposed;
- f. Grievance procedures;
- g. Health care procedures and how to access health care;
- h. Inmate hygiene and cell sanitation responsibilities; and
- i. PREA information.

Staff shall document completion of the orientation and shall obtain the inmate's signature and date. If the inmate refuses or is unable to acknowledge the completion of orientation, correctional staff shall document the inmate's refusal or inability to acknowledge completion of orientation.

Observations: GFCCC is in compliance with the standard.

Standard 028 Incident Reporting

Compliant: Yes

Correctional facilities shall have a policy and procedure to report significant incidents. Significant incidents include:

- a. Severe assault of an individual;
- b. Escapes and attempted escapes;
- c. Riots, strikes, hunger strikes longer than three (3) days, demonstrations, and disturbances;
- d. Refusal of medical care the Health Authority/Medical Director determined is necessary medical care;
- e. Death;
- f. Attempted self-harm, self-harm, or suicide;
- g. Any incident involving staff injury caused by inmate conduct and which requires outside medical attention;
- h. Disruption of essential services;
- i. Significant damage or destruction of correctional facility property;
- j. Substantiated PREA allegations;
- k. Juvenile intake into the secure area of the correctional facility;
- I. Use of Force resulting in serious or substantial bodily injury; and
- m. Current population exceeds the correctional facility's maximum capacity.

Correctional facilities shall submit the Significant Incident Reporting form provided by the DOCR to the DOCR Office of Facility Inspections within 24 hours of an significant incident. Correctional facilities shall report significant incidents involving escape, death, or an injury likely to result in death within one hour to the DOCR Office of Facility Inspections.

Observations: GFCCC policies B.02, B.03, B.04, B.06, B.07, C.18 and procedures meet the requirements of the standard.

Standard 029Preservation of Evidence and Request for IndependentCompliant: YesInvestigationInvestigation

Correctional facility administrators shall request an investigation from the North Dakota Bureau of Criminal Investigation or the North Dakota Highway Patrol following:

- a. In-custody death of an inmate;
- b. Escape or attempted escape of an inmate; and
- c. Criminal activity committed by correctional facility employees that results in employee or inmate serious or substantial bodily injury.

The DOCR Office of Facility Inspections may request an investigation by the North Dakota Bureau of Criminal Investigation or the North Dakota Highway Patrol if correctional facility employees have committed suspected criminal conduct.

After an incident, correctional facilities shall ensure that all evidence is collected and stored in accordance with evidence collection and chain of custody procedures and that the scene of an in-custody death or crime is preserved for law enforcement investigation.

| Observations: | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. | |
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| Standard 030 | Trained Staff and Female Staff | Compliant: Yes |

Correctional facilities may not detain an inmate without at least two trained correctional officers who have completed North Dakota Correctional Officer Basic Certification and Correctional Medical Training I and II, have completed the training required under Standard 103, or are acting under the supervision of trained correctional facility staff on duty capable of responding to the reasonable needs of the inmate. When females are housed in a correctional facility, at least one female correctional officer must be on duty at all times in the correctional facility. An inmate may not be placed in a supervisory capacity over other inmates.

| Observations: | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. | |
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| Standard 031 Suid | cide Prevention Plan | Compliant: Yes |
| Correctional facilities s | shall have a written suicide prevention plan that include | S: |
| a. Identification of | f the warning signs and symptoms of suicidal behavior a | and mental illness; |
| b. Mental health | screening after removal from observation, when no | longer under the |
| influence, or aft | ter any life event which results in a noticeable decline in | affect or emotional |
| stability; | • | |
| c. Proper respons | se to suicide behavior or attempts; | |
| d. Referral proced | dure; | |
| e. Housing observ | vation and suicide watch level procedures; and | |
| f. Follow-up moni | itoring. | |
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| Observations: | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. | |
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| Standard 032 Inma | ate Observation | Compliant: Yes |

Correctional facilities shall have a written policy and procedure for conducting rounds and for placing inmates into and removing inmates from close observation. Trained staff shall conduct rounds to personally observe each inmate during each hourly period on an irregular basis.

Trained staff shall provide close observation of inmates who exhibit suicidal tendencies, selfdestructive behavior, or emotional distress; are intoxicated; or have specialized medical problems at more frequent intervals as the inmate's condition requires. Documentation of inmates on close observation must include:

- a. Reason for placement;
- b. Staff assigned to supervise;
- c. Location, date, time, activities, and condition of inmate at each check;
- d. Actions by agency to provide specialized outside services for inmate;
- e. Reason for removal from observation; and
- f. Person who authorized removal.

Only staff members who have completed North Dakota Correctional Officer Basic Certification and Correctional Medical Training I and II, or have completed the training required under Standard 103, or are acting under the supervision of trained correctional facility staff may complete rounds.

Only qualified medical or behavioral health personnel or staff members who have completed North Dakota Correctional Officer Basic Certification and Correctional Medical Training I and II, under Standard 103, or are acting under the supervision of trained correctional facility staff may complete inmate observation.

Observations:

GFCCC policy F.05 and procedures meet the requirements of the standard.

| Standard 033 | Daily Written Record Requirements | Compliant: Yes |
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| | lities shall maintain a daily written record, including the date | and time and name |
| of staff member | who completed the record, including: | |
| a. Personne | el on duty; | |
| b. Formal c | ount conducted in accordance with Standard 34; | |
| c. Admissic | ns and releases of inmates, including inmates transporting ou | ut of the correctional |
| • | nd reason for transport; | |
| d. Shift acti | vities and time and results of rounds; and | |
| e. Entry and | d exit of physicians, attorneys, and other visitors. | |
| Observations: | CECCC is in compliance with the standard | |
| Observations. | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. | |
| Standard 034 | Formal Count | Compliant: Yes |
| Correctional fac | lities shall have a written policy and procedure for schedule | ed formal counts of |
| inmates, which r | neet the following requirements: | |
| a. Inmates | out on temporary leave from correctional facilities are include | ed; |
| b. There is | a minimum of three formal counts within each 24-hour period | 1; |
| c. At least o | one formal count occurs outside of a shift change; and | |
| d. At least o | one formal count is a standing count. | |
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| Observations: | GFCCC policy F.05 and procedures meet the requi standard. | rements of the |
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| Standard 035 | Searches of Correctional Facility Grounds and | Compliant: Yes |
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be placed in the general population when the individuals are in the facility for a crime of violence, a crime involving illegal drugs, or the unclothed body search is based on reasonable suspicion the inmate may be concealing drugs, weapons, or other contraband.

- d. Correctional staff may conduct unclothed body searches of inmates who will be placed in general population.
- e. Correctional staff may conduct unclothed body searches of inmates who have had personal contact visitation or who have exited and returned into the facility.
- f. Unclothed body searches must be conducted where they cannot be observed by any other individuals not involved in the search. Visual inspections must be non-intrusive and may not involve touching the inmate.
- g. Cross-gender clothed searches may not be conducted on female inmates absent exigent circumstances. Facility staff shall document all cross-gender clothed searches of female inmates, including the exigent circumstances for the search.
- h. PREA requirements, including:
 - 1. Staff may not search or physically examine a transgender or intersex inmate for the sole purpose of determining the inmate's genital status.
 - 2. If the inmate's genital status is unknown, it may be determined through conversation with the inmate, by reviewing medical records, or, if necessary, by learning that information as part of a broader medical examination conducted in private by a medical practitioner.
 - 3. If it is determined either through assessment or through admission by the inmate that an inmate is transgender or intersex, the person responsible for the screening or the search shall ask the inmate if they prefer to be searched by a male or female officer and document the response.
 - 4. If the inmate does not have a preference or if a search must be completed by someone not of the inmate's preferred gender because of security concerns, available staff may conduct the search and document the reason the person was searched by someone not of the inmate's preferred gender.

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GFCCC policy F.03, C.18 and procedures meet the requirements of the standard.

Standard 037 Use of Force

Compliant: Yes

Correctional facilities shall have a written policy and procedure governing use of force. The written policy and procedure must restrict the use of force to situations where it is necessary to protect the safety and security of staff, inmates, and the public; protect property, prevent escapes, prevent crime; enforce correctional facility rules; and restore order, and only in accordance with legal authority. Staff shall document any use of force and submit a written report to correctional facility's administrator by the end of the employee's shift. Correctional facilities shall have a procedure and practice to review each use of force incident. Correctional facilities shall make a reasonable attempt to video record all use of force situations. Correctional facilities shall report the use of force that results in serious or substantial bodily injury in accordance with Standard 28.

| Observations: | GFCCC policy B.05 and procedures demonstrate compliance. |
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| Standard 038 | Inventory of Equipment | Compliant: Yes |
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| Correctional faci | lities shall have a written policy, procedure, and practice for | the daily inventory, |
| control, and use | e of keys, tools, culinary equipment, and medical/dental | supplies (including |
| syringes, needle | s, and other sharps). The policy must include daily account | ability measures for |
| outside equipme | nt and tools coming into the correctional facility. | |

Observations:

Initial inspection found the facility practice and procedure not in compliance with the standard. GFCCC submitted a corrective action

plan which was accepted resulting in a final finding of compliance.

| Standard 039 | Post Orders | Compliant: Yes |
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| Correctional faci | lities shall have written post orders for every correctional offic | er post. Written post |
| orders must spe | cify the duties of each post and the procedures that must be | followed to carry out |
| the assignment. | Correctional facilities shall review all post orders annually a | nd update or amend |
| them as needed | | |
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| Observations: | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. | |
| Standard 040 | Post Order Staff Review | Compliant: Yes |
| Correctional fac | ilities shall require all correctional staff to read, sign, and o | |
| annually, or befo | pre beginning to work a post that the staff has not been assig | gned in the previous |
| 120 days, or whe | en the post orders are updated or amended. | |
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| Observations: | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. | |
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| Standard 041 | Supervisory Staff Patrols | Compliant: Yes |
| | lities shall have a written policy, procedure and practice requi | |
| | uct a daily patrol, including weekends and holidays, of all | |
| | cord their visits and patrols in a daily log. The sheriff or | |
| | all visit living and activity areas at least weekly to observe n the sheriff or correctional facility administrator is not avail | |
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| Standard 042 | Exceeding Maximum Capacity | Compliant: Yes |
| | lities may not operate above the capacity established by the | |
| | ave a written policy and procedure governing temporary spa | |
| | exceeding the maximum capacity of the correctional facility. | |
| shall report insta | nces of exceeding maximum capacity in accordance with St | andard 28. |
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| Observations: | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. | |
| Standard 043 | Use of Restraints | Compliant: Yes |
| Correctional fac | lities shall have a written policy and procedure for the use | of restraint devices. |
| Restraint device | s may only be used as a precaution against escape, during tra | ansports, for medical |
| | ction of the medical personnel, and as a prevention agains | • |
| - | or property damage. Restraint devices may not be applied | |
| | ctions on the use of restraints must be documented. | |
| Correctional fac | ilities shall include in their policies and procedures the us | se of restraints with |
| | s. Restraints may not be used on a female who is in active la | |
| prognantionidic | | asor and derivery. |
| Observations: | GFCCC policy F.14 and procedures demonstrate com | oliance. |
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| Standard 044 | Transportation of Inmates | Compliant: Yes |
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Correctional facilities shall have a written policy and procedure governing the transportation of inmates outside the correctional facility. The policy must include the use of equipment during transport, the qualifications for transport officers, the use of firearms under N.D.C.C. § 12-44.1-30, the use of restraints, inmate transport clothes, and the use of escort vehicles. The policy shall include procedures for the following:

- a. Transportation of pregnant inmates. To allow the inmate to protect herself and the fetus correctional facilities shall refrain from the use of restraints on pregnant inmates. Exceptions may only be permitted by written approval from the correctional facility administrator.
- b. The use of firearms for inmate transports. Procedures to allow staff to carry a weapon must include:
 - 1. Documented authorization;
 - 2. A requirement for intermediate weapons to be carried any time a firearm is possessed; and
 - 3. Firearms, weapons, and ammunition must be separated from inmates by the use of a caged vehicle or a chase vehicle accompanying the transport.

As required by N.D.C.C. § 12-44.1-30, the policy must be approved by the DOCR if the correctional facility allows any correctional officer to carry a weapon.

| Observations: | GFCCC | policies | F.14, | F.06, | D.17, | B.11, | F.12, | and | procedures |
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| | demonstr | ate comp | liance. | | | | | | |

request of the facility. Prescription medications must be transferred with the inmate.

Standard 045 Transfer of Inmate Files

Compliant: Yes Correctional facilities shall have a written policy and procedure governing the transfer of a discharge summary of the inmate's medical, dental, mental health and forensic records when the inmate is transferred to another correctional facility. Correctional facilities may transfer complete medical, dental, mental health and forensic records to facilities receiving an inmate upon the

Observations:

GFCCC policies C.04 and procedures demonstrate compliance.

Standard 046 Notification of Victims and Witnesses Compliant: Yes Correctional facilities shall have a written policy and procedure governing the notification of victims and witnesses in accordance with North Dakota law. At minimum, the policy and procedure must include a process for ensuring the collection, storage, and accuracy of offender and victim and witness information; the confidentiality of victim and witness information; a timely notification method; a way to document notification; and a process to follow up with notifications. if needed, and in compliance with the statewide automated victim information and notification (SAVIN) system.

Observations:

GFCCC policy A.12 and procedures demonstrate compliance.

Standard 047 Inmate Work

Compliant: Yes

Correctional facilities may require sentenced inmates to perform work. Correctional facilities may not require a pretrial detainee to perform work except routine general housekeeping duties. Correctional facilities may allow a pretrial detainee to perform work only upon the request or consent of the pretrial detainee. Correctional facilities shall provide safety training to inmates prior

to work assignment. Correctional facilities shall maintain documentation of the training. Correctional facilities' health care providers shall provide the inmate a medical screening prior to assignment to work.

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Standard 048Health Authority/Medical DirectorCompliant: YesCorrectional facility administrators shall designate a health agency, licensed physician, nurse
practitioner, or a physician's assistant to be the Health Authority/Medical Director. The Health
Authority/Medical Director shall be responsible for oversight of health care administration and
development of health care policies and procedures. The correctional facility administrator shall
maintain a copy of the credentials of persons providing health care in the correctional facility.
Medical and mental health decisions are the sole province of the responsible medical or mental
health clinician.with the approval of the
responsible medical or mental health clinician.

| Observations: | | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. | |
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Standard 049 Access to Medical Care

Compliant: Yes

Correctional facilities shall have a written policy and procedure to ensure all inmates have access to daily and ongoing necessary medical care, which includes administration of medication, physical health, mental health, eye care, dental care, and individual inmate sick call requests. The correctional facility shall designate a Health Care Administrator. Sick call for grade one and grade two correctional facilities must be provided by a licensed medical professional at least once per week.

Adequate staff, space, equipment, supplies and materials must be provided if health care is delivered in the correctional facility. The cost of medical care may be subject to payment by or reimbursement from the inmate. Inmates may not be denied access to medical care because of their inability to pay costs.

Observations: GFCCC policies C.01, C.05, and procedures demonstrate compliance.

Standard 050 First Aid and CPR

Compliant: Yes

Correctional facilities shall ensure at least one employee who has current certification in basic first aid training, basic cardiopulmonary resuscitation training (CPR), and Naloxone administration and as many additional employees with that training as needed to comply with Standard 57 are on duty within the correctional facility.

Observations:

GFCCC is in compliance with the standard.

Standard 051 Access to Medical Professional

Compliant: Yes

A licensed physician, nurse practitioner, physician's assistant, or registered nurse must be available on-call on a 24-hour basis. Procedures to notify a licensed physician, nurse practitioner, physician's assistant, or registered nurse on duty at a hospital are sufficient. Correctional facilities in communities without a licensed physician, nurse practitioner, physician's assistant or registered nurse shall provide health care to an inmate on the same basis as any resident of the community. Correctional facilities shall transport inmates to an appropriate health care facility or bring a licensed physician, nurse practitioner, physician's assistant, or registered nurse to the correctional facilities shall transport inmates to an appropriate health care facility or bring a licensed physician, nurse practitioner, physician's assistant, or registered nurse to the correctional facilities.

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| Observations: | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. | |
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| Standard 052 | Health Care Training of Staff | Compliant: Yes |
| Correctional fa | cilities shall have a training program approved by health ca | are personnel that |
| includes: | | |
| | se to emergency health-related situations; | |
| - | ition of signs, symptoms, and knowledge of action requ | uired in potential |
| emerge | tration of first aid and cardiopulmonary resuscitation; | |
| | s of obtaining assistance; | |
| | ition of signs and symptoms of mental illness, intellectual di | sability, emotional |
| | ince, and chemical dependency; | |
| | ires for patient transfers to appropriate medical facilities or hea | Ith care providers; |
| and | | • • |
| • | ations are delivered to inmates by staff within the correctional fa | acility, training and |
| certifica | tion for staff in accordance with N.D.C.C. § 12-44.1-29. | |
| Observations: | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. | |
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| Standard 053 | Treatment of Injuries Sustained in Facility | Compliant: Yes |
| | cilities shall have a written policy and procedure to provide medio | cal care for anyone |
| injured within c | orrectional facilities. | |
| Observations: | GFCCC policies C.01, C.05, and procedures demonstrate | to complianco |
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| Standard 054 | Emergency Medical Supplies | Compliant: Yes |
| | cilities shall maintain a first aid kit, emergency medical su | |
| | rnal defibrillator (AED), and Naloxone. The Health Authority | |
| | cility administrator, or designee shall determine the conten | |
| the contents. | inspection of the kits, including a schedule and checklist to use | when inventorying |
| the contents. | | |
| Observations: | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. | |
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| Standard 055 | Separation of Inmate Files | Compliant: Yes |
| | cilities shall maintain the confidentiality of inmates medical, ${f \mu}$ | |
| | rds. The medical records file must be separate from the co | rrectional facility's |
| | cords and must be securely maintained. | |
| | nmate's medical, psychological, and treatment records may or | • |
| | rdance with N.D.C.C. § 12-44.1-28, which requires that a co | 5 |
| | ection of the records, or parts of the records, upon an application | |
| | owing there is a proper and legitimate purpose for the inspectior | n and the provision |
| | itten authorization from the inmate for the inspection. | |
| b. Exce | pt for drug and alcohol treatment records, the requirement of a | a court order does |

b. Except for drug and alcohol treatment records, the requirement of a court order does not apply to the transfer of records to criminal justice agencies, the DOCR, other federal, state, or local correctional facilities receiving custody of the inmate, a municipal or state district court, the Department of Human Services, public hospitals or treatment facilities, or licensed private hospitals or treatment facilities.

- c. Records of an inmate's identity, charges, criminal convictions, bail information, and intake date and projected release dates are open records.
- d. Records of a sentenced inmate's institutional discipline, conduct, and protective management are exempt records under N.D.C.C. § 44-04-17.1.
- e. Institutional discipline, conduct, and protective management records of all other inmates are confidential records and may only be disclosed in the same manner as an inmate's medical, psychological, and treatment records.

Observations: GFCCC is in compliance with the standard.

Standard 056 Inmate Health Appraisals

Compliant: Yes

Inmates detained in a grade one or grade two correctional facility shall undergo a health appraisal by a licensed health practitioner authorized by the Health Authority/Medical Director within fourteen days of admission. The Health Authority/Medical Director shall determine the nature and extent of the health appraisal. The health appraisal must include:

- a. Tuberculosis Screening and Testing under the guidance of the North Dakota Department of Health;
- b. Review of admission medical and mental health screenings;
- c. Collection of additional data to complete the medical, eye care, dental, mental health, and immunization histories;
- d. Recording of height, weight, pulse, blood pressure and temperature;
- e. Laboratory or diagnostic tests and examinations the Health Authority/Medical Director may deem necessary;
- f. Review of medical examination results; and
- g. Human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) testing and reporting, if required.
 - 1. Every inmate who is convicted of a crime and further imprisoned for fifteen days or more in a grade one or grade two correctional facility must be tested for the presence of antibodies to or antigens of the human immunodeficiency virus (HIV) in accordance with N.D.C.C. § 23-07-07.5 within thirty (30) days or prior to release, whichever occurs first.
 - 2. The results of any positive test or reactive result must be reported to the North Dakota Department of Health and the inmate tested in accordance with N.D.C.C. § 23-07-02.1.

Correctional facilities shall document an inmate's refusal to participate in the health appraisal in whole or in part and place the documentation in the inmate's medical records. If the Health Authority/Medical Director or correctional facility administrator determines that the inmate's refusal presents a risk to the health or safety of other inmates or staff, the inmate may be separated from the inmate population until such time as the Health Authority/Medical Director or correctional facility administrator determines that the risk no longer exists.

Observations:

GFCCC is in compliance with the standard.

Standard 057 Health Care Orders

Compliant: Yes

Correctional facilities, in conjunction with the Health Authority/Medical Director, shall establish a written procedure to carry out the orders of the Health Authority/Medical Director relating to an inmate's medical care. Staff shall document all treatment administered to inmates pursuant to orders of the Health Authority/Medical Director. Staff must be trained and able to respond to

inmate medical emergencies within a four-minute response time.

| Observations: | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. | |
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| Standard 058 | Inmate Death Notification | Compliant: Yes |
| Correctional facili | ties shall establish a written policy and procedure to notify the ne | ext of kin or legal |
| guardian of an inr | nate's death. Correctional facilities shall notify the county corone | r and the state's |
| forensic examine | r if there is an inmate death and comply with Standard 28. | |
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| Observations: | GFCCC policy B.07 and procedures demonstrate complian | ce. |
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| Standard 059 | Intoxication Management and Social Detoxification | Compliant: Yes |

Correctional facilities shall have a written policy and procedure for intoxication management that includes a definition of intoxication if correctional facilities hold individuals who appear intoxicated or under the influence of alcohol or controlled substances. Correctional facilities may not hold an individual for more than 24 hours solely for intoxication management under N.D.C.C. § 5-01-05.1.

Before a correctional facility may hold a person for intoxication management:

- a. A licensed medical provider must provide a medical clearance from care signed by a physician, physician's assistant, or nurse practitioner; and
- b. The correctional facility ensures it can provide a trained staff person within constant hearing distance of the intoxicated person and place the individual on close observation until that person no longer qualifies for intoxication management, as defined by facility policy.

A correctional facility may only provide social detoxification if the correctional facility meets all requirements of N.D. Admin. Code Chapter 75-09-08.1.

| Observations: | GFCCC policy A.05 and procedures demonstrate compliance. |
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| Standard 060 | Maintenance and Testing of Emergency Equipme | nt Compliant: Yes |
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| Correctional fac | ilities shall have written policy and procedure that a | address the maintenance, |
| | testing of emergency equipment. Correctional facilit | ies must have access to |

equipment necessary to maintain essential lights, power, and communications in an emergency. A monthly inspection or testing of equipment must be completed. Generators must be tested monthly or as recommended by the manufacturer.

Observations: GFCCC policy G.05 and procedures demonstrate compliance.

| Standard 061 | Fire Prevention and Carbon Monoxide Detection | Compliant: Yes |
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| Correctional facili | ities shall have a written policy and procedure specific to the | ir facility for fire |
| prevention and ca | arbon monoxide detection to ensure the safety of inmates, st | aff, and visitors, |
| including: | | |

- a. Provision for an adequate fire protection service throughout the correctional facility and provision for carbon monoxide detection in the facility or sally port;
- b. A system of fire inspection and testing of equipment, including locks, keys and doors completed at least annually by the authority having jurisdiction;

- c. Availability of fire hoses or extinguishers at appropriate locations throughout the correctional facility;
- d. At least two documented fire drills in all correctional facility locations annually, at least one of which must include the evacuation of each living area of the correctional facility, and which generally should include the evacuation of all inmates unless there is a reasonable belief institutional security may be jeopardized; and
- e. Documentation of the drills and findings.

| Observations: | GFCCC policy B.01 and procedures dem | onstrate compliance. |
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| Standard 062 | Evacuation Plans | Compliant: Yes |

Itandard 062Evacuation PlansCompliant: YesCorrectional facilities shall have a written evacuation plan prepared in case of fire or major
emergency. The plan must include procedures to account for all inmates, visitors, and staff;
evacuation routes and plans for the immediate release of inmates from locked areas; and a
backup system if power-operated locks fail.

Correctional facilities shall review the plan with the authority having jurisdiction annually and update the plan when necessary. Correctional facilities shall complete an annual fire inspection by an independent, qualified source and provide documentation of all completed corrective actions.

Observations:

GFCCC is in compliance with the standard.

Standard 063 Emergency Plans

Compliant: Yes

Correctional facilities must have written plans for a response to:

- a. An escape or attempted escape;
- b. Riots, hunger strikes, hostages, and disturbances;
- c. Disruption of essential services;
- d. Outbreak of a pandemic disease; and
- e. Storms or other acts of nature that may affect operations, safety, and security.

All correctional facility personnel must be trained in the implementation of written emergency plans. Correctional facilities shall review these plans annually and update when necessary.

| Observations: GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. |
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Standard 064Storage and Use of Hazardous MaterialsCompliant: YesCorrectional facilities shall have a written policy, procedure, and practice governing the storage
and use of hazardous, toxic, and caustic materials. These policies and procedures must be in
accordance with all applicable laws and regulations. A right-to-know manual of Safety Data
Sheets must be available for review.

Observations:

Initial inspection found the facility practice and procedure not in compliance with the standard. GFCCC submitted a corrective action plan which was accepted resulting in a final finding of compliance.

Standard 065 Boiler Inspection

Compliant: Yes

Correctional facilities using a boiler shall comply with North Dakota boiler inspection requirements.

Observations: GFCCC is in compliance with the standard.

| Standard 066 | Bedding and Clothing Exchange and Laundering | Compliant: Yes |
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| Correctional facil | ities shall provide each inmate: | |

 a. Appropriate clean clothing, towels, and bedding: The bedding must include a mattress made in compliance with national regulatory authority standards; pillow and pillowcase, if mattress does not have a built in pillow; two sheets or an alternative approved by the DOCR, including bed sleeves; and at least one blanket to provide comfort to sustain

summer and winter comfort zones; andb. The opportunity to exchange or launder sheets and pillowcases at least weekly, or more frequently if directed by the correctional facility administrator.

Clothing, pillows, and bedding must be laundered prior to issuance to a newly admitted inmate. Correctional facilities shall allow inmates to exchange or launder clothing. Correctional facilities shall provide the opportunity to exchange or launder clothing, including undergarments and towels, not less than twice weekly.

| Observations: | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. | |
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| Standard 067 | Removal of Inmate Clothing or Bedding | Compliant: Yes |
| Correctional faci | lities may remove inmate clothing or bedding from an inmate's | cell when they |
| determine it is no | ecessary for safety, security, sanitation, or orderly operation of | the correctional |
| | nal facilities shall have written procedures in place for the remov | |
| | and bedding from an inmate's cell. Correctional facility staff sha | |
| date, time, items | , and reason for removal and the date, time, and items returned | to the inmate. |
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| Observations: | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. | |
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| Standard 068 | Personal Hygiene Products | Compliant: Yes |
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Observations:

GFCCC is in compliance with the standard.

Standard 069 Inmate Grooming

Correctional facilities shall establish a policy and procedure for grooming, including hair length and style and facial hair length and style. Correctional facilities shall allow an inmate to request an exception to hair and facial hair restrictions, if any, based on the inmate's sincerely held religious beliefs. Correctional facilities may determine a schedule for barbering and hair care services.

Compliant: Yes

| Observations: | GFCCC policy E.25 and procedures demonstrate complian | ice. |
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| Standard 070 | Biohazard Materials | Compliant: Yes |
| Correctional faci | ities shall have a written policy, procedure, and practice for the piohazard materials. | |
| Observations: | GFCCC policies C.07, C.08, and procedures demonstrate | compliance. |
| Standard 071 | Licensed, Registered Dietician Review of Menu | Compliant: Yes |
| and approve for available in loca | grade two correctional facilities shall have a licensed, registered od menus annually. Correctional facilities shall make the a tions accessible to all inmates in the correctional facility. This ities whether they have in-house or contracted food services. | pproved menus |
| Observations: | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. | |
| Standard 072 | Special Diets | Compliant: Yes |
| Correctional faci | ities shall have a written policy and procedure that includes: | · |
| a. Special d | iets approved by the appropriate medical or dental personnel; | |
| b. Special d laws; and | liets for inmates whose religious beliefs require adherence to I | religious dietary |
| c. Prohibitio | ns of the use of food as a disciplinary measure. | |
| Observations: | GFCCC policy E.12 and procedures demonstrate complian standard. | nce with the |
| Standard 073 | Food Service | Compliant: Yes |

Correctional facilities shall provide inmates at least three meals, of which at least two must be hot meals, at regular mealtimes during each twenty-four-hour period, with no more than fourteen hours between the evening meal and breakfast. Correctional facility staff shall document substitutions in the meals actually served, and substitutions must be of equal nutritional value. Correctional facilities shall retain accurate records of all meals served for a minimum of one year. Variations may be allowed during emergencies, for inmates on work release, and for weekends and holidays, provided nutritional requirements are met.

| Observations: | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. |
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Standard 074 Alternate Food Service

Compliant: Yes

Correctional facilities shall have written policies and procedures that an alternate food service may be provided to an inmate who uses food or food service equipment in a manner that is hazardous to the inmate or other persons. Alternative food service must be on an individual basis, based on health or safety considerations, meet basic nutritional requirements, and have documented approval by the correctional facility administrator and responsible Health Authority/Medical Director or Health Care Administrator. If the alternate food service extends for longer than seven days, the correctional facility administrator or designee and responsible Health Authority/Medical Director or Health Care Administrator shall review and approve the alternate food service every seven days.

Observations:

GFCCC policy and procedures is in compliance with the standard.

| <u> </u> | Food Service Health Inspection | Compliant: Yes |
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| health, safety, a jurisdiction shall and grade three records of all ins entity provides f inspector having Observations: Standard 076 | cilities and employees shall, and equipment must, comply wit and sanitation laws and regulations. The health inspector a conduct an inspection of the food service area of each grade correctional facility at least once a year. Correctional facilities pections and all actions taken as a result of these inspections. V food, correctional facilities shall collect written documentation jurisdiction that the provider complies with applicable requireme GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. Weekly Food Service Inspections prepared in correctional facilities, correctional facilities shall have | h all applicable authority having one, grade two, s shall maintain Vhen an outside n from a health onts. |
| | practice requiring weekly health, safety, and sanitation insp | • • |
| • | lity administrator or designee and food service manager. I | • |
| | any corrective actions must be maintained in the correctional fac | |
| Observations: | GFCCC policy E.12 and procedures demonstrate complian | nce with the |
| | standard. | |
| Standard 077 | Inmate Telephone Usage | Compliant: Yes |
| | lities may allow an inmate to make telephone calls to persons | |
| inmates at intake | within limitations set by the correctional facility. Correctional facilies and shall post a notice in a location accessible to all inmates t ys, are subject to monitoring and recording. | |
| | ys, are subject to monitoring and recording. | |
| Observations: | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. | |
| Standard 078 | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. Visitation Restriction or Denial | Compliant: Yes |
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legal counsel, and clergy. Correctional facilities shall make their visitation rules available to inmates and post them in a public location.

| Observations: | GFCCC policy E.09 and demonstrated procedures comply with the |
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| Standard 081 | Incoming and Outgoing Inmate Mail | Compliant: Yes |
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| Correctional faci | lities shall have a written policy, procedure, and practice governir | ng incoming and |
| outgoing genera | l, official, and legal mail that includes: | |
| a. Mail depo | ository or mail collection process; | |
| | es for screening incoming and outgoing general correspondence | |
| | es for documenting and verifying incoming and outgoing legal a ching it for contraband; and | and official mail |
| d. Process f | or inmates to challenge mail rejections. | |
| Observations: | GFCCC policy E.03 and procedures demonstrate complian standard. | nce with the |

| Standard 082 | Inmate Access to Reading Materials | Compliant: Yes |
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| | ities shall have a written policy and procedure to provide for inm | ate access to |
| reading materials | s, magazines, newspapers, and periodicals. | |

Observations:

GFCCC policy E.23 and procedures demonstrate compliance with the standard.

Standard 083 Mail Rejection or Removal or Items

Compliant: Yes

Correctional facilities shall have a written policy and procedure governing incoming and outgoing mail, including electronic mail, and legal or official mail. In each case, when it is necessary to reject or remove any item of incoming or outgoing mail, a written record must be made that includes:

- a. The inmate name and number;
- b. A description of the mail in question;
- c. A description of the action taken and the reason for such action;
- d. The disposition of the item(s) involved;
- e. Signature of the acting officer; and
- f. Written notification to the inmate and sender.

A due process procedure must be provided to inmates allowing them to challenge the correctional facility's rejection of mail. The item may not be destroyed or sent out until the process has been completed. Packages mailed to an inmate must be handled the same way as mail or publications. Providing a photocopy of correspondence instead of the original correspondence is not a rejection.

| Observations: | GFCCC policy E.10 and procedures demonstrate compliance with the |
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Correctional facilities shall allow inmates to make telephone calls to their attorneys at reasonable times. Calls to and from contacts verified as legal representation may not intentionally be audio monitored or recorded. Correctional facilities shall obtain the telephone number of an attorney

who has called an inmate and permit the inmate to return the call at a reasonable time. Correctional facilities shall inform inmates electronic messaging is not a confidential means of communication.

| Observations: | GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. |
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Standard 085 Attorney Visits

Compliant: Yes

Correctional facilities shall allow inmates to have visits from their legal counsel. Upon an inmate's request, legal counsel may visit an inmate after admission or as soon as reasonably possible. All subsequent visits by legal counsel may be restricted to reasonable hours. Visits by legal counsel may be subject to staff or video visual observation, but without audio monitoring; however, when there may be observation, a notice must be posted in visiting areas. Audio or video recording of attorney visits is prohibited.

Observations:

GFCCC is in compliance with the standard.

Standard 086 Inmate Legal Material

Compliant: Yes

Correctional facilities shall have a written policy and procedure to provide legal materials or legal assistance to inmates who are not represented by legal counsel or by standby legal counsel to prepare a defense in a criminal prosecution; a challenge to a criminal conviction on a direct appeal, post-conviction or habeas proceeding; and a challenge to conditions of confinement.

Correctional facilities shall provide inmates access to the contact information for the public defender offices and local private attorneys within a reasonable time.

Legal materials may include:

- a. A current edition of a leading legal dictionary;
- b. North Dakota and federal rules of civil, criminal and appellate procedure;
- c. Rules of Court for the state of North Dakota and for the United States District Court for the district of North Dakota;
- d. Chapters of the North Dakota century code relating to criminal procedure, substantive criminal law, and state habeas and post-conviction relief;
- e. North Dakota cases related to criminal law and procedure;
- f. State post-conviction forms and United States district court forms for habeas and Section 1983 proceedings; and
- g. Statutes and rules applicable to federal habeas corpus and federal civil rights.

Correctional facilities may provide access to legal materials through sources approved by the correctional facility administrator, including the law library of the state's attorney, materials from the law library of the district court, materials from the law library of the North Dakota Supreme Court, or photocopies of legal materials.

Observations: GFCCC is in compliance with the standard.

| Standard 087 | Legal Material Sources | Compliant: Yes |
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| Correctional facil | ities shall have a policy and procedure for inmates to obtain lega | I materials from |
| sources approve | d by the correctional facility administrator including: | |

- a. State and federal court forms;
- b. Prisoner self-help manuals and access to a basic law library (e.g., local district court library, states attorney library);
- c. Postage and copying services; and

d. Access to notary services.

| Observations: | GFCCC policy E.07 and procedures demonstrate compliance with the |
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| Standard 088 Recreation and Supervision Compliant: Yes |
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Grade one and grade two correctional facilities shall provide inmates the opportunity for a minimum of one hour of daily programming outside their cells unless there is documented rationale for withholding programming. One hour of programming must include the opportunity for physical exercise in a recreation area at grade one facilities.

Correctional facilities that have recreation areas shall have policies for recreation, whether it is indoor or outdoor.

Correctional facilities that have a secure outdoor recreational area for inmate use:

- a. Shall have trained staff provide direct visual observation of all inmates at all times or
- b. May use video surveillance, if all of the following requirements are met:
 - 1. A fence or wall enclosing the area of at least 16 feet high;
 - 2. A communication mechanism for inmates to contact staff,
 - 3. A secure cover;
 - 4. A secure floor;
 - 5. A search after each use:
 - 6. "Thirty minute" rounds in the area; and
 - 7. Approval by the DOCR.

| Observations: GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. |
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Standard 089 Non-Discrimination

Compliant: Yes Correctional facilities shall have a written policy and procedure for the practice of religion. Inmates have the right to exercise their religious beliefs, subject only to the least restrictive limitations needed for correctional facility safety and security.

Correctional facilities shall have written policy and procedures for religious programs, volunteers, and visitation and may not restrict religious conduct more than comparable secular conduct.

Inmates have the right to be free from discrimination because of race, religion, genetics, sex. sexual orientation, gender identity, origin, creed, nationality, or disability. Correctional facilities shall treat inmates equally under all their policies and procedures.

| Observations: | GFCCC policies E.06, E.18, and procedures demonstrate compliance |
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| | with the standard. |

| Standard 090 | Prohibition of Abuse and Harassment | Compliant: Yes |
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| | lities shall have a written policy and procedure to protect inmate punishment, personal injury, disease, property damage, negle narassment. | |

Observations: GFCCC policies A.11, B.05, E.26, E.28, and procedures demonstrate compliance with the standard.

| Standard 09 ² | Grievance Procedure | Compliant: Yes |
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| Correctiona | facilities shall have a written policy and procedure to allow inmates to | o file grievances. |
| Staff may r | ot retaliate against inmates who file grievances. The policy and | procedure must |
| include: | | |
| a. | Written or electronic form on which an inmate may report a grievan | ice; |
| b. | A process for correctional facility staff to provide a written report results of the investigation and any recommendation for the di grievance to the inmate; | - |
| C. | Retention of the grievance and report in the correctional facility's re | ecords; |
| | Prescribed reasonable time limits for inmate reporting and staff special provisions for responding to emergencies; | |
| e. | At least one level of appeal by someone other than the individ reviewed the grievance; | lual who initially |
| f. | A process for the reviewing authority to document the findings and appeal: | disposition of an |

- g. A process for the correctional facility to provide a copy of the appeal report to the inmate; and
- h. Retention of the appeal report in the correctional facility's records.

The policy and procedure may include a restriction on the use of the grievance process based on The frivolous, abusive, or malicious use of the grievance process, provided the correctional facility provides due process.

Observations:

GFCCC policy E.08 and procedures demonstrate compliance with the standard.

Standard 092 Rules of Inmate Conduct and Prohibited Acts

Compliant: Yes

Correctional facilities shall establish written rules of inmate conduct that specify acts prohibited in the correctional facility and the disciplinary sanctions that may be imposed for violations of correctional facility rules. Correctional facilities shall make these rules available to all inmates and establish procedures to ensure that all inmates understand the rules and sanctions that may be imposed. Facility staff shall document disciplinary action of any kind and the correctional facility administrator shall review disciplinary action involving fines, fees, restitution or the extension of time to serve to ensure compliance with clearly established law and correctional facility policy.

Grade one and grade two correctional facilities shall have a written policy and procedure for inmates to earn sentence reduction credit based upon performance criteria established by the correctional facility administrator. Sentence reduction credit includes credit for time spent in custody prior to sentence when ordered by the sentencing court. An inmate may not earn more than a one-day sentence reduction credit per six days served.

Facility staff shall notify an inmate alleged to have committed a crime based on conduct in the correctional facility that the case may be referred to law enforcement officials for criminal investigation and possible prosecution in addition to correctional facility discipline.

Observations: GFCCC policies E.02, E.03, E.05, F.07, and procedures demonstrate compliance with the standard.

| Standard 093 | Levels of Violations |
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Compliant: Yes

Correctional facilities shall have written policy, procedure, and practice, including at least two levels of violations, sanctions for each level, and the use of pre-hearing detention. The policy must include procedures that reflect the following:

- a. For post-conviction inmates, violations involving possible sanctions of (1) fines, fees, or restitution; (2) adverse impact on release date; or (3) more than 5 days of disciplinary restrictive housing, restriction to quarters, or work without pay require due process (a disciplinary hearing as outlined in Standard 96 and a twenty-four hour notice of the charges prior to the hearing).
- b. For pretrial inmates, violations involving possible sanctions of (1) fines, fees, or restitution; (2) adverse impact on release date; (3) disciplinary restrictive housing; (4) restriction to quarters longer than twenty-four (24) hours; or work without pay require due process (a disciplinary hearing as outlined in Standard 96 and a twenty-four hour notice of the charges prior to the hearing).

The policy may permit the inmate to waive the twenty-four-hour notice, in writing.

| Observations: | GFCCC policies E.03, E.05, and procedures demonstrate compliance |
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| | with the standard. |

Correctional facilities shall have written policy, procedure, and practice which require that disciplinary reports include:

- a. Specific rules violated;
- b. A formal statement of the charge or charges;
- c. An explanation of the violation, including a description of who, what, when, where, why and how and any immediate action taken by staff;
- d. Disposition of any physical evidence;
- e. Staff and inmate witnesses and statements; and
- f. Date and time the report is completed and reporting staff signature.

If disclosure of information used in the finding of guilt may pose a risk to the safety or security of the correctional facility, staff, or inmates, including information received from a confidential informant, correctional facilities may withhold disclosure of the information. When this occurs, there must be a document that provides clear rationale for that action maintained with the record. A summary of the confidential information must be given to the inmate unless the disclosure of the information could jeopardize the safety or security of the correctional facility or person.

| Observations: | GFCCC policy E.05 and procedures demonstrate compliance with the |
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| | standard. |

| Standard 095 | Pre-hearing Restrictive Housing | Compliant: Yes |
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| Inmates may be | placed in restrictive housing for a violation of correctional facili | ty rules prior to a |

disciplinary hearing. This action must be documented. A disciplinary hearing must follow within seven days, unless a delay is authorized and documented by the correctional facility administrator or designee.

| Observations: GFCCC is in compliance with the standard. | |
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| Standard 096 | Disciplinary Hearing Requirements | Compliant: Yes |
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Correctional facilities shall have a written policy and procedure that requires:

- a. Disciplinary hearings are conducted by an impartial person or panel of persons;
- b. Inmates have the right to appear and testify at the disciplinary hearings;
- c. For major violations:
 - 1. Inmates can call witnesses and present documentary evidence in the inmate's defense if permitting the inmate to do so will not jeopardize security, order, or rehabilitation; and
 - 2. If inmates are not permitted to call witnesses and present documentary evidence, reasons for not allowing the inmate to call witnesses are documented in the hearing record;
- d. A written record is made of the disciplinary hearing decision, including:
 - 1. A summary of the evidence;
 - 2. Findings of fact that establish the guilt or innocence of the inmate; and
 - 3. An explanation for disciplinary sanctions imposed;
- e. Any confidential informant information is separately documented;
- f. A copy of the disciplinary hearing decision and evidence relied upon are given to the inmate but confidential information that could jeopardize the safety or security of the correctional facility or person may be excluded;
- g. When sanctions involve restrictive housing, fines, fees, restitution or may affect their release date, inmates have the right to appeal the decision to the correctional facility administrator or an independent authority; and
- h. Any disciplinary action recommended by the hearing officer(s) may be reduced on appeal but not increased.

| Observations: | GFCCC policy E.05 and procedures demonstrate compliance with the |
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| Standard 097 | Use of Restrictive Housing | Compliant: Yes |
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| they shall have a | cilities utilize disciplinary restrictive housing or administrative written policy, procedure, and practice consistent with Standar rictive housing and for supervision of inmates while in this sta | rd 93 and Standard |

| Observations: | GFCCC policy A.11 and procedures demonstrate compliance with the |
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| Standard 098 | Use of Immediate Restrictive Housing for Safety and Compliant: Yes | |
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| | Security | |

Correctional facilities shall have a written policy, procedure, and practice to authorize the use of administrative restrictive housing without notice and hearing for inmates (pretrial or post-conviction) who may need protection from other inmates, or present a serious threat to the safety or security of the correctional facility, to themselves, or to any person. The policy must include procedures that reflect the following:

a. restrictive housing, correctional facility staff shall document the reasons they were placed in administrative restrictive housing.

- b. If placement in administrative restrictive housing exceeds 72 hours, placement must be reviewed by the correctional facility administrator. The correctional facility administrator shall document the review.
- c. Placements in administrative restrictive housing must be reviewed at least every seven (7) days by the correctional facility administrator. The correctional facility administrator shall document the reason for release or continued placement if the placement exceeds 72 hours.

| Observations: | GFCCC policy A.11 and procedures demonstrate compliance with the |
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| | standard. |

Standard 099 Restriction of Items or Activities Compliant: Yes Correctional facilities shall have a written policy, procedure, and practice that requires correctional facility staff members make a report and provide it to the correctional facility administrator when inmates are not provided any usually authorized item or activities, including visitation.

| Observations: | GFCCC policy A.11 and procedures demonstrate compliance with the | he |
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| | standard | |

Showering and Shaving Standard 100

Compliant: Yes

Correctional facilities shall have a written policy, procedure, and practice allowing inmates in restrictive housing to have the opportunity to shower at least three times per week. Shaving may be allowed according to the correctional facility schedule.

Observations:

GFCCC policy A.11 and procedures demonstrate compliance with the standard.

Standard 101 **Restrictive Housing Inmate Telephone Calls** Compliant: Yes Correctional facilities shall have a written policy, procedure, and practice that allows inmates in restrictive housing to make and receive telephone calls related specifically to access to the courts, legal representation, and family emergencies, as determined by the correctional facility administrator

Observations:

GFCCC policy A.11 is in compliance with the standard.

Standard 102 **Restrictive Housing Recreation**

Compliant: Yes

Correctional facilities shall have a written policy, procedure, and practice that correctional facility staff afford inmates in restrictive housing at least one hour outside their cell, five days per week after seven continuous days in restrictive housing, unless the correctional facility administrator can document clear rationale for denial.

Observations: GFCCC policy A.11 is in compliance with the standard.

Standard 103 Staff Orientation Training

Compliant: Yes

Correctional facilities shall have a written policy and procedure requiring all correctional officers to participate in a documented orientation training program prior to independent assignment. The orientation program must meet the particular needs of the correctional facility and must include at a minimum:

a. Facility policy and procedure;

- b. Inmate handbook;
- c. Key and equipment control;
- d. All emergency procedures to include basic first aid, emergency equipment, CPR, and Naloxone administration;
- e. Classification of inmates;
- f. Booking procedures, including medical and mental health screening;
- g. Use of force;
- h. Suicide behavior, response, intervention, and observation;
- i. Victim notification in accordance with state law;
- j. Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA); and
- k. Bloodborne pathogen training, with an emphasis on any facility-specific control measures.

Grade one correctional facilities may provide the training required in section d at any time within the first year of employment and may work independently prior to its completion, provided the correctional facility has enough employees on shift to comply with Standards 50 and 57.

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Observations: GFCCC policy D.16 is in compliance with the standard.
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Standard 104 Staff Training Requirements

Compliant: Yes

Correctional facility administrators and staff who work in direct and continuing contact with inmates shall receive training determined and approved by the North Dakota Peace Officer Standards and Training (P.O.S.T.) Board within their first year of employment and shall receive an additional forty-eight hours of training during every three-year period following the first day of January after the date of employment. The training must include the following:

- a. Recertification for CPR and Naloxone every two years;
- b. For Certified Medication Technician (CMT 2) certified staff, recertification every four years;
- c. Facility-specific training on bloodborne pathogens every four years; and
- d. Annual suicide prevention training for staff with responsibility for inmate supervision.

Correctional facility employees who have access to criminal justice information provided by the FBI or North Dakota Office of Attorney General or unescorted access to a physical area in which it is stored must apply for their access and complete required training.

Observations:

GFCCC is in compliance with the standard.

Standard 105 Staff Certification and Recertification

Compliant: Yes

The North Dakota Peace Officer Standards and Training (P.O.S.T.) Board shall determine the North Dakota Correctional Officer Training necessary to achieve North Dakota certification. Any person who has completed North Dakota Correctional Officer Training and has not been employed as a North Dakota Correctional Officer for one year or more shall complete North Dakota Correctional Officer Training. If a person has not been employed by a correctional facility for less than three years from the date of the person's last North Dakota Correctional Officer Training, then the correctional facility may collaborate with the P.O.S.T. Board to identify appropriate refresher training in lieu of the full training.

Observations:

GFCCC is in compliance with the standard.

Standard 106 Security Equipment

Compliant: Yes

Correctional facilities shall have a written policy, procedure, and practice covering the use, issuance, storage, training, daily inventory, and maintenance of security equipment, weapons,

and firearms. The policy and procedure may not permit firearms in the secure areas of the correctional facility.

Observations: GFCCC policies B.05, F.11, are in compliance with the standard.

Standard 107 Grade Four Requirements

Compliant: N/A

Grade four correctional facilities:

- a. Must be staffed by a licensed peace officer or a trained correctional officer;
- b. May not detain an inmate for more than eight hours or overnight;
- c. Shall provide meals to inmates detained more than four hours;
- d. Shall require correctional facility staff personally observe each inmate at least every thirty minutes on an irregular basis and document the time and content of the observation;
- e. May not detain an inmate under the age of eighteen; and
- f. Shall complete a yearly fire inspection per Standard 61 of the North Dakota Correctional Facilities Standards.

Current grade four correctional facilities are not subject to requirements of PREA.

| Observations: GFCCC is a grade one facility. | | |
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Standard 108 Management of Inmate Population

Compliant: Yes

Pursuant to N.D.C.C. § 12-44.1-07.1, grade one and grade two correctional facilities, in cooperation with law enforcement, state's attorneys, and the judiciary in which the correctional facility is located, shall develop an inmate population plan to prioritize inmate admissions and inmate retention, including alternatives to physical custody for individuals under charge or conviction of an offense. This standard does not apply when there are exigent circumstances that may affect correctional facilities' operations and inmate population, including acts of God and mass arrests.

Observations:

GFCCC is in compliance with the standard.

END OF REPORT

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