

Sacramento County Probation Department

Juvenile Corrections Officer (JCO) Core Training

Unit 1.0: California Criminal Justice System

Module 1.3: Title 15

Instructional time: 1 hour

1. Welcome and introductions
2. Objectives:
 - a. 1.3.1 Identify the importance of the minimum standards for local detention facilities as defined in Title 15
 - b. 1.3.2 Given a description of a situation related to juvenile housing or care, and using Title 15 and case law as references, identify instances of mistreatment
3. Discuss each of the twelve articles of Title 15:
 - a. Article 1 – General instructions
 - b. Article 2 – Application of standards and inspections
 - c. Article 3 – Training, personnel and management
 - d. Article 4 – Records and public information
 - e. Article 5 – Classification and segregation
 - f. Article 6 – Programs and activities
 - g. Article 7 – Discipline
 - h. Article 8 – Health services
 - i. Article 9 – Food
 - j. Article 10 – Clothing and personal hygiene
 - k. Article 11 – Bedding and linens
 - l. Article 12 – Facility sanitation and safety
4. Discuss the importance of Title 15
5. Identify the Title 15 violations present in a description of a new intake situation in a juvenile housing facility

