

IRC - Health Care Resources

3014.1 HEALTH CARE RESOURCES

- (a) Each Jail Operations facility is equipped with a variety of resources designed to meet the health care needs of the incarcerated individual. Adequate space, equipment, supplies and personnel have been provided as determined by the Medical Program Administrator.
- (b) Medical Observation Area – Receiving: The Medical Observation and Medical Triage Area at the IRC is located in the Receiving area of the first floor. A nurse practitioner and/or Correctional Nurse(s) will staff the area 24-hours per day, 7 days per week. Separate observation cells are maintained for male and female arrestees who are either temporarily uncooperative or physically incapable of being booked (i.e., intoxicated, under the influence). The regular checks will be made by the Deputies. CHS nurses who staff the Triage area will perform checks every two (2) hours of all inmates placed in CHS Booking Loop Observation Cells, excluding Sobering Cells. For Sobering Cell procedures, refer to CCOM Section 3000.5(b) – Sobering Cells. These checks are logged in the Medical Observation area. The Medical Observation area contains:
 - 1. Triage-Medical Screening/Interview Station
 - 2. Exam Room
 - 3. 2 Interview Rooms
 - 4. 12 Observation Cells
 - 5. 4 Safety Cells
 - 6. Clerical Station
- (c) Module "L": Module "L" is a housing unit on the second floor of the IRC dedicated to housing inmates requiring 24 hour nursing and/or mental health observation. Module "L" contains:
 - 1. Nurses Station
 - 2. 1 Exam Room
 - 3. 3 Safety Cells
 - 4. 96 Regular Cells
 - 5. Guard Station
 - 6. 1 Medication Room
- (d) Module Exam rooms: Each module in the IRC (i.e., J, K, L, M, and N) contains a fully equipped medical exam room. The physician and/or registered nurse will use the module exam rooms to conduct daily sick call.
- (e) Outside Hospital: The Health Care Agency (HCA) Administration maintains contracts with outside hospitals/clinics (i.e., Anaheim Global Medical Center) which are fully licensed and accredited. These hospitals will provide health care for inmates who

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require in-patient or out-patient care for illness or injury which require optimal observation or management in a licensed hospital as determined by the facility physician.