



ADMINISTRATION

Below is the list of status changes made to DOC administrative rules since 3/6/2026.

PROPOSED RULES:

291-014 Arrest and Transport

- Amends rule to make minor grammatical edits, clarify the rules, change the term "offender" to "AIC", incorporate changes in the department's business terminology, and remove gendered language.
- **Comment Period:** Comments must be received by the Rules Office before 12:00PM (noon) on 5/20/2026.

291-027 Death (AIC)

- Amends rule to permanently adopt the temporary amendments that establish the department's policy and procedures for the department's cooperation with death investigations, including reporting responsibilities and applicable information retention, and for the review of an unexpected death of an adult in custody; and to adopt other updates that change the term "inmate" to "AIC"; make minor grammatical edits; define terms used in rules newly adopted to this division; edit for clarity, conciseness, or consistency with other department rules; update to standard definitions; update policy titles; remove gendered language or use current terminology; and remove requirement to report to ICE.
- **Comment Period:** Comments must be received by the Rules Office before 12:00PM (noon) on 5/20/2026

process for the review of an unexpected death of an adult in custody (AIC), including a death that is suspected to be caused by, related to, or associated with an act of self-harm

- **Comment Period:** Comments must be received by the Rules Office before 12:00PM (noon) on 5/20/2026

TEMPORARY RULES:

291-027 Death (AIC)

- Amends rule to establish the department's policy and procedures for the department's cooperation with death investigations, including reporting responsibilities and applicable information retention, and for the review of an unexpected death of an adult in custody.
- **Effective:** 3/31/2026 through 9/19/2026

291-076 Suicide Prevention in Correctional Facilities

- Amends rule to permanently adopt the temporary amendments that establish a new process for the review of an unexpected death of an adult in custody (AIC), including a death that is suspected to be caused by, related to, or associated with an act of self-harm
- **Effective:** 3/31/2026 through 9/26/2026

PERMANENT RULES:

291-180 Interstate Compact

- Amends rule to incorporate by reference the current official ICAOS rules adopted by the Interstate Commission for Adult Offender Supervision effective April 1, 2026.
- **Effective:** 3/26/2026

/s/ J. Vaughn, Agency Rules Coordinator

291-076 Suicide Prevention in Correctional Facilities

- Amends rule to permanently adopt the temporary amendments that establish a new

GENERAL SERVICES

Magazine and Book Reviews by Mailrooms

Books and magazines that come through ODOC's mailrooms are each reviewed individually to determine if they meet the standards set forth in ODOC's mail rule, which can be found at OAR Chapter 291, Division 131 "MAIL (AIC)".

Under OAR 291-131-0037 8(b), "Vendors that repeatedly send prohibited content to adults in custody after multiple violation notices informing them of mail rule standards may be restricted."

Currently, there are no magazine vendors prohibited based on this criterion. What this means is you can subscribe to any magazine you'd like, but each issue of the magazine will be reviewed as it arrives at the facility. If mailroom staff determine that a specific magazine issue violates the rule, it is marked in the system as "provisionally rejected" with the suspected violation noted for review by the mail rule central administrator. When magazine issues or books are provisionally rejected, they are held at each facility mailroom until the next steps of the review are taken. The central administrator will then either confirm the rejection or will disagree and the magazine issue will not be rejected. This is why a magazine issue may be ok one month, then the next issue rejected the next month.

*There is an appeal process for these magazine issues or books that are provisionally rejected by the mailroom staff and confirmed for rejection by the central administrator. As written in the CD618A "Mail Violation Notice" the appeal is sent to **the Functional Unit Manager at the facility where the violation notice was written**. This is the Superintendent at the facility, who likely has a designee responsible for mail. The Functional Unit Manager has the latitude to review the material and determine if they want to allow a magazine issue or book that violates the rule into the facility they are responsible for.*

ODOC recently made changes to the mail rule to help mitigate the smuggling of drugs into facilities. ***The rules regarding pictorial or written content did not change, they are the same.***

Note: Magazines change over time. Every new editor may result in differences in the magazine content. When attempts are made to "find the line" of what's ok and what's not, when boundaries are pushed to find where that line is, eventually the line is crossed. There are some magazines which previously had

content that did not cross the line, but lately they have pushed across the line with what they write or the pictures they print. When that happens, more individual issues of that magazine end up being rejected. People may assume the entire magazine publication is banned when it is not.

As a customer or potential customer of a magazine, you must determine if you want to spend money on magazines that seem to be rejected regularly.

/s/ B. Stephen, Chief of Security

CORRECTIONAL REHABILITATION

Special Visit Requests:

Special visit requests shall be made in writing from the AIC to the **OSP Visiting Desk, Cpl. Yopez**, and received at least 30 days prior to the date of the requested special visit for consideration. Friends and family are allowed to visit both morning and afternoon sessions during the weekdays. Approval will be required for consideration on weekends and holidays and will be determined by frequency of visits and distance traveled. All visiting applications must be processed by Visiting Services so please help in planning accordingly.

/s/ C. Lenex, Correctional Rehabilitation Mgr.

JOB ANNOUNCEMENTS

Physical Plant General Maintenance Shop

The Physical Plant General Maintenance Shop is seeking a qualified individual with hands-on experience using tools. The ideal candidate must be able to work effectively as part of a team, successfully pass urinalysis screenings (UA's), and maintain at least one year of clear conduct.

This position starts at 12 points and includes a six-month probationary period.

If you are interested, please submit a completed job application to Physical Plant E. Harris, along with your resume and cover letter.

/s/ E. Harris, Physical Plant, General Maint Shop

RELIGIOUS SERVICES

Find Freedom and Hope Service

UPCI is offering a renewed service starting in January on the 2nd and 4th Thursdays.

We understand the challenges of feeling locked in and locked out. These services are a time to reflect on how the Lord delivers us from what binds us and brings us into His freedom.

- Hear testimonies of transformation and hope.
 - Discover the healing, freeing power of Jesus Christ
 - Embrace the joy of living victoriously through Him.
- Come as you are and discover true freedom in Jesus Christ.

Please send a kyte to the Chapel to sing up for this service.

Volunteer Ministers Doug Lethin & Dennis Mostyn

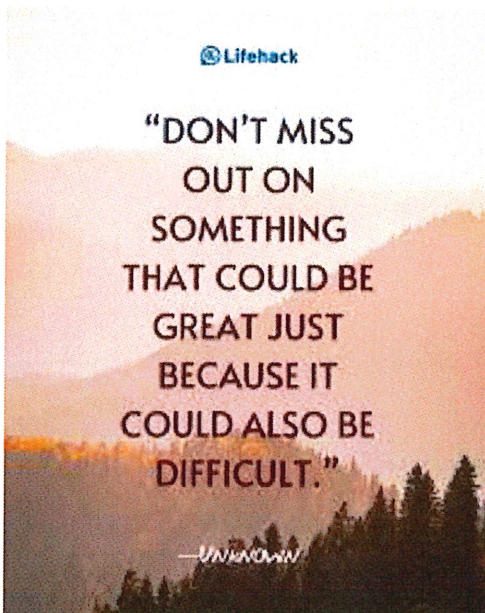
/s/ A. Y. Perlstein, Chaplain

Weekly Chapel Schedule

"Due to the ongoing construction and status of the Chapel/Education floor, the Chapel is operating on a modified schedule. Please monitor the AIC news channel and housing unit bulletin boards for updates to the Chapel Schedule."

/s/ Chaplains Perlstein, Richter, and Witcraft

POINT TO PONDER



To: All Adults in Custody

Coming Soon: Tablet Expansion and Mail Modernization

Soon **every Adult in Custody will have access to their own state-issued tablet**. We'll also move to digitally scanned mail. This will take time to implement, but we want you to know what it means and what you can expect.

Why We Are Doing This

- We want you to have better access to tools that support communication, learning, and personal growth.
- Tablets help AICs stay connected with family, complete programs, and get information in a safe way.
- This will make access to tablets equitable and help those with more demanding work and programming schedules have access to tablet-based services.
- Scanned mail helps make our institutions safe.

What Happens Next

- The move to 1:1 tablets will happen **gradually**, and each facility will get information before changes take place. We anticipate distributing tablets in fall of 2026.
- You will receive instructions about how to use, care for, and secure your device. DOC will share more details as the plan develops.

What are the Details on Scanned Mail

Most personal mail will be scanned and delivered digitally. Legal mail and certain other materials will still be handled physically.

More information will be published as we move closer to this becoming a reality. We anticipate implementing scanned mail near the end of 2026. We'll have a more accurate timeframe in a few months.

Our Commitment to You

We know communication, education, and staying connected to loved ones matters.

We are committed to making this transition as smooth as possible.

If you have questions, please submit a *Communication System Requests form* to your local Inspector 1.

To access the new form:

- i. Log in to the tablet
- ii. Go to the free profile
- iii. Open the "Requests" app
- iv. Click on the "Others" category
- v. Select the "Communication System Requests" form

APRIL 2020



SUNDAY	MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY
29-Mar AM C/E PM A/D EVE D	30-Mar AM A/D PM C/E EVE A/C	31-Mar AM MAINLINE SHOWERS PM A/D EVE F	1 AM A/D PM C/E EVE D APRIL FOOLS DAY	2 AM C/E PM A/D EVE A/C	3 AM MAINLINE SHOWERS PM C/E EVE E	4 AM C/E PM A/D EVE D
5 AM A/D PM C/E EVE A/D	6 AM C/E PM A/D EVE C/E	7 AM MAINLINE SHOWERS PM C/E EVE A/D	8 AM C/E PM A/D EVE A/D	9 AM A/D PM C/E EVE A/D PRAS PAY	10 AM MAINLINE SHOWERS PM A/D EVE C/E	11 AM A/D PM C/E EVE A/D
NIGHT YARD STARTS						
12 AM C/E PM A/D EVE C/E	13 AM A/D PM C/E EVE A/D	14 AM MAINLINE SHOWERS PM A/D EVE C/E	15 AM A/D PM C/E EVE A/D	16 AM C/E PM A/D EVE C/E	17 AM MAINLINE SHOWERS PM C/E EVE A/D	18 AM C/E PM A/D EVE C/E
19 AM A/D PM C/E EVE A/D	20 AM C/E PM A/D EVE C/E OCE PAY	21 AM MAINLINE SHOWERS PM C/E EVE A/D	22 AM C/E PM A/D EVE A/D	23 AM A/D PM C/E EVE A/D	24 AM MAINLINE SHOWERS PM A/D EVE C/E	25 AM A/D PM C/E EVE A/D
26 AM C/E PM A/D EVE C/E	27 AM A/D PM C/E EVE A/D	28 AM A/D PM C/E EVE A/D	29 AM MAINLINE SHOWERS PM A/D EVE C/E	30 AM C/E PM A/D EVE C/E	1-May AM MAINLINE SHOWERS PM C/E EVE A/D	2-May AM C/E PM A/D EVE C/E

JUST A REMINDER

A.M. - MORNING YARD (7:45 A.M - 9:45 A.M.)
P.M. - AFTERNOON YARD (1:00 P.M. - 3:30 P.M.)
EVE - EVENING YARD (4:30 P.M. - SUNSET)

THE RECREATION BUILDING MAY NOT BE OPEN FOR THE FIRST COUPLE WEEKS OF NIGHT YARD, SO PLEASE PLAN ACCORDINGLY AS WE ARE ENTERING THE RAINY SEASON.

NO LEVEL 1 NIGHT YARD ON SATURDAYS AND SUNDAYS

Mainline

Monday (04/13/2026)		Tuesday (04/14/2026)		Wednesday (04/15/2026)		Thursday (04/16/2026)		Friday (04/17/2026)		Saturday (04/18/2026)		Sunday (04/19/2026)	
Week 1	Breakfast	Breakfast		Breakfast		Breakfast		Breakfast		Breakfast		Breakfast	
	Oatmeal - 1.00 CP Canned Fruit - 0.50 CP Peanut Butter (Sfa) - 2.00 TBS Pancakes (Sod,Chl) - 3.00 EA Maple Syrup - 2.00 FLOZ Skim Milk - 16.00 FLOZ Coffee - 8.00 FLOZ Sugar PC - 2.00 EA	Dry Cereal - 1.00 CP Fresh Fruit - 1.00 EA Fried Egg (Sfa,Chl) - 2.00 EA Refried Beans - 0.50 CP Ranchero Sauce (Sod) - 0.25 CP White Flour Tortilla (Sfa) - 1.00 EA Skim Milk - 16.00 FLOZ Coffee - 8.00 FLOZ Sugar PC - 2.00 EA	Dry Cereal - 1.00 CP Fresh Fruit - 1.00 EA Fried Egg (Sfa,Chl) - 2.00 EA Cheese Slice (Sfa,Chl) - 1.00 SLC English Muffin (Sfa,Chl) - 1.00 EA Fried Potatoes - 0.75 CP Skim Milk - 16.00 FLOZ Coffee - 8.00 FLOZ Sugar PC - 2.00 EA	Multigrain Hot Cereal - 1.00 CP Canned Fruit - 0.50 CP Fried Egg (Sfa,Chl) - 1.00 EA Cheese Slice (Sfa,Chl) - 1.00 SLC Fried Potatoes - 0.75 CP Margarine (Sfa) - 1.00 TBS Skim Milk - 16.00 FLOZ Coffee - 8.00 FLOZ Sugar PC - 2.00 EA	Farina - 1.00 CP Canned Fruit - 0.50 CP *Ham & Cheese Scramble (Chl,Sfa) - 0.75 CP Fried Potatoes - 0.75 CP Wheat Toast - 2.00 SLC Jelly (Sug) - 2.00 TBS Margarine (Sfa) - 1.00 TBS Skim Milk - 16.00 FLOZ Coffee - 8.00 FLOZ Sugar PC - 2.00 EA	Oatmeal - 1.00 CP Fresh Fruit - 1.00 EA Peanut Butter (Sfa) - 2.00 TBS Hard Boiled Egg (Sfa,Chl) - 1.00 EA Breakfast Pastry (Sfa,Chl) - 1.00 EA Jelly (Sug) - 2.00 TBS Skim Milk - 16.00 FLOZ Coffee - 8.00 FLOZ Sugar PC - 2.00 EA	Canned Fruit - 0.50 CP Scrambled Eggs (Sfa,Chl) - 0.33 CP Poultry Sausage (Chl) - 1.00 EA Fried Potatoes - 0.75 CP Wheat Toast - 2.00 SLC Jelly (Sug) - 2.00 TBS Margarine (Sfa) - 1.00 TBS Skim Milk - 16.00 FLOZ Coffee - 8.00 FLOZ Sugar PC - 2.00 EA						
Week 1	Lunch	Lunch		Lunch		Lunch		Lunch		Lunch		Lunch	
	Tomato Soup (Sod) - 10.00 FLOZ Grilled Cheese Sandwich on Wheat (Sod,Chl,Sfa) - 2.00 EA Broccoli - 0.75 CP Chips - 1.00 BAG Fresh Fruit - 1.00 EA Fortified Drink - 8.00 FLOZ	Coleslaw (Sod) - 0.75 CP *Barbeque Pork (Sod,Chl,Sfa) - 0.50 CP Wheat Hoagie Roll - 1.00 EA Macaroni & Cheese (Sfa,Sod,Chl) - 0.75 CP Green Beans - 0.75 CP Fresh Fruit - 1.00 EA Fortified Drink - 8.00 FLOZ	Potato Soup - 10.00 FLOZ Tuna Salad (Chl) - 0.50 CP Shredded Lettuce - 0.25 CP Wheat Hoagie Roll - 1.00 EA Blended Vegetables - 0.75 CP Chips - 1.00 BAG Fresh Fruit - 1.00 EA Fortified Drink - 8.00 FLOZ	*Vegetable Soup (Sod,Chl) - 10.00 FLOZ Ham & Cheese Sandwich on Wheat (Sod,Chl) - 1.00 EA Shredded Lettuce - 0.25 CP Mayo & Mustard (Sod) - 2.00 TBS Zucchini - 0.75 CP Chips - 1.00 BAG Fresh Fruit - 1.00 EA Fortified Drink - 8.00 FLOZ	Asian Cabbage Salad - 0.75 CP Beef & Broccoli (Chl,Sfa) - 0.75 CP Brown Rice - 0.75 CP Stir-Fry Vegetables - 0.75 CP Milk Roll - 1.00 EA Fortified Drink - 8.00 FLOZ	Taco Salad with Meat (Chl,Sfa) - 1.00 SV Seasoned Beans - 0.75 CP Shredded Cheese (Sfa,Chl) - 2.00 TBS Salsa (Sod) - 0.25 CP Salad Dressing (Sfa,Sod) - 2.00 FLOZ Spanish Rice - 0.75 CP Tortilla Chips - 2.00 OZ Fresh Fruit - 1.00 EA Fortified Drink - 8.00 FLOZ	Lettuce Salad - 1.00 CP Salad Dressing - 1.00 FLOZ Chicken Quarter (Chl,Sfa) - 1.00 EA Mashed Potatoes - 0.75 CP Poultry Gravy - 2.00 FLOZ Peas - 0.75 CP Wheat Dinner Roll - 1.00 EA Margarine (Sfa) - 1.00 TBS Ice Cream Cup - 1.00 EA Fortified Drink - 8.00 FLOZ						
Week 1	Dinner	Dinner		Dinner		Dinner		Dinner		Dinner		Dinner	
	Lettuce Salad - 1.00 CP Salad Dressing (Sod) - 1.00 FLOZ FLOZ Beef Patty - 1.00 EA Onions & Pickles (Sod) - 0.25 CP Wheat Burger Bun (Sfa,Chl) - 1.00 EA Peas - 0.75 CP Seasoned Potatoes - 0.75 CP Ketchup - 1.00 TBS Tea - 8.00 FLOZ	Lettuce Salad - 1.00 CP Salad Dressing - 1.00 FLOZ Chicken & Broccoli Casserole (Chl) - 1.25 CP Carrots - 0.75 CP Wheat Bread - 2.00 SLC Margarine (Sfa) - 1.00 TBS Pudding - 0.50 CP Tea - 8.00 FLOZ	Lettuce Salad - 1.00 CP Salad Dressing - 1.00 FLOZ Ranch Style Chili (Chl,Sfa) - 10.00 FLOZ Baked Potato - 1.00 EA Sour Cream (Sfa,Chl) - 2.00 TBS Green Beans - 0.75 CP Cornbread (Sod,Chl) - 1.00 EA Margarine (Sfa) - 1.00 TBS Tea - 8.00 FLOZ	Lettuce Salad - 1.00 CP Salad Dressing - 1.00 FLOZ *Ham, Pepper and Onion Pizza (Sod,Chl,Sfa) - 1.00 EA Broccoli - 0.75 CP Chocolate Brownie (Sfa,Chl,Sug) - 1.00 EA Tea - 8.00 FLOZ	Lettuce Salad - 1.00 CP Salad Dressing - 1.00 FLOZ Chicken Pot Pie (Chl) - 0.75 CP Corn - 0.75 CP Biscuit (Sfa,Sod) - 1.00 EA Margarine (Sfa) - 1.00 TBS Choice Cookie (Sfa,Chl,Sug) - 1.00 EA Tea - 8.00 FLOZ	Lettuce Salad - 1.00 CP Salad Dressing - 1.00 FLOZ Meat Sauce (Chl,Sfa) - 1.00 CP Spaghetti (Sod) - 1.00 CP Cauliflower - 0.75 CP French Bread - 1.00 SLC Garlic Margarine (Sfa) - 1.00 TBS Tea - 8.00 FLOZ	Texas Slaw - 0.75 CP Burrito Meat (Chl,Sfa) - 0.50 CP Refried Beans - 0.50 CP Shredded Cheese (Sfa,Chl) - 2.00 TBS Spanish Rice - 0.75 CP Salsa (Sod) - 0.25 CP White Flour Tortilla (Sfa,Sod) - 2.00 EA Fresh Fruit - 1.00 EA Tea - 8.00 FLOZ						

Menu subject to change without notice. Meat Alternative Trays available at lunch & dinner only. *Contains or may contain pork.
Sod = High Sodium Sfa = High Saturated Fat Chl = High Cholesterol Sug = High Sugar
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