

**Pursuant to Public Act 41 of 2001  
Sections 215 and 216  
Michigan Youth Correctional Facility  
(April – June 2002)**

Section 215 of Public Act 41 of 2001 requires the Department of Corrections to provide quarterly reports on the Michigan Youth Correctional Facility to the members of the Senate and House Appropriations Subcommittees on Corrections, the Senate and House Fiscal Agencies, and the State Budget Director. This report will provide information as requested under that Section of the Act.

During the reporting period, there were 23 critical incident reports, which break down to:

- 9 Offender Control
- 0 Assault on Staff with Injuries
- 2 Assault on Staff with No Injuries
- 0 Prisoner Fights
- 0 Prisoner Weapon Use
- 2 Physical Plant Issues
- 5 Suicide Attempt
- 4 Prisoner on Prisoner Assault
- 1 Other<sup>1</sup>

As of June 30, 2002, there were 29 Corrections Supervisors (of 26.14 authorized positions) and 112 Corrections Officers (of 119.40 authorized positions). Turnover rates have varied by month. The quarterly turnover rate average for all positions was 4.24%.

Between April 1, 2002 and June 30, 2002, there were 339 prisoner grievances filed at Step I and 34 prisoner grievances filed at Step II.

Overtime for correctional staff in April, 2002, averaged 26.68 hours of overtime worked per staff. Overtime for correctional staff in May, 2002, averaged 31.97 hours of overtime worked per staff. Overtime for correctional staff in June, 2002, averaged 14.53 hours of overtime worked per staff. The overall average for the quarter was 24.26 hours of overtime worked per correctional staff member.

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<sup>1</sup> Lock down to collect oxford style shoes that were constructed with steel shanks. Acceptable replacement shoes were provided at a later date.

Programming available at the institution includes:

Pre-GED Instruction	33	Prisoners currently enrolled.
GED Instruction	143	Prisoners currently enrolled.
Basic Computer Literacy	22	Prisoners currently enrolled.
Anger Management Therapy	20	Prisoners currently enrolled.
Sex Offender Therapy	9	Prisoners currently enrolled.
Substance Abuse Programs	28	Prisoners currently enrolled.
Cognitive Restructuring Programs	0	Prisoners currently enrolled.
Life Skills	17	Prisoners currently enrolled.
AA and NA	14	Prisoners currently enrolled.

In accordance with Section 216 of Public Act 41 of 2001, Michigan Department of Corrections Contract Monitor James Armstrong attends all orientation sessions for new prisoners at the Michigan Youth Correctional Facility. He assures that all prisoners receive a prisoner handbook, responds to questions from prisoners and informs the prisoners about the prisoner grievance procedure and their access to this office through prisoner memo.