

REPORT TO THE LEGISLATURE

Pursuant to P.A. 114 of 2009

Section 216(2)

Out of State Travel Report

Travel Dates		Employee Name	Destination	Purpose for Travel	Auth. Code	Source of Funds			Total Cost
Begin	End					GF/GP	Restricted	Federal	
10/01/08	10/02/08	Zeller, Lynda	Indianapolis, IN	National Conference on Health Care for Health Services Administrators. The conference consisted of sessions on infectious diseases, mental health management, the increasing cost of healthcare and pharmacy.	B, E	\$41.00			\$41.00
10/02/08	10/04/08	Shoup, Milton	Dallas, TX	This national training conference for federal grant recipients purpose for providing training for federal grant applications improving the Department's ability to apply for, receive, and manage federal grants.	C, E		\$1,022.05		\$1,022.05
10/05/08	10/08/08	Benion, Annie	Denver, CO	National Conference for Substance Abuse attendees will obtain pertinent information on the programs that are available for prisoners, parolees and probationers upon release from prison.	B, E	\$1,343.02			\$1,343.02
10/05/08	10/08/08	Combs, Tom	Denver, CO	National Conference for Substance Abuse attendees will obtain pertinent information on the programs that are available for prisoners, parolees and probationers upon release from prison.	B, E	\$1,431.52			\$1,431.52
10/17/08	10/21/08	Howard, Duncan	Chicago, IL	National Conference on Correctional Health Care training provided the opportunity to exchange information with other Correctional Health care providers in their efforts to improve Health Care operations.	B, E	\$1,290.28			\$1,290.28
10/19/08	10/22/08	Curtis-Bradt, Christine	St. Louis, MO	International Community Corrections Association conference provides numerous training sessions which will benefit OCC to measure the impact of community corrections programs and support new initiatives.	B, E	\$610.82			\$610.82
10/20/08	10/24/08	Straub, Dennis	Durham, NC	Attend the Executive Forum for Deputy Directors, a training program designed for and by deputy directors of prison operations.	B, E	\$172.14			\$172.14
10/27/08	10/31/08	Elmblad, Gerald	Baton Rouge, LA	Construction and Maintenance Institute for Criminal Justice Agencies (CMI) conference was centered on energy reduction in a corrections environment, current best practices, new methods, implementation, available technologies.	B,E	\$995.48			\$995.48
02/24/09	02/28/09	McKenize, Judith	Salt Lake City, UT	Conference focus to increase effectiveness with special education services for prisoners. Information received will assist meeting federal and state guidelines or requirements for prisoners identified with Learning Disabilities.	E, F	\$1,154.05			\$1,154.05
02/24/09	02/28/09	Featherstone, LaQuita	Salt Lake City, UT	Conference focus to increase effectiveness with special education services for prisoners. Information received will assist meeting federal and state guidelines or requirements for prisoners identified with Learning Disabilities.	E, F		\$1,153.52		\$1,153.52
03/08/09	03/11/09	Elliot, Amanda	Des Moines, IO	National Institute of Corrections training seminar: Implementing a Case Management Model for Women Offenders. Attendees received copies of all training materials for the purpose of implenting these strategies within current and future-planned training programs aimed to reduce reoffending amongst women.	B, E, F		\$1,174.26		\$1,174.26

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03/08/09	03/11/09	Leahy, Tina	Des Moines, IO	National Institute of Corrections training seminar: Implementing a Case Management Model for Women Offenders. Attendees received copies of all training materials for the purpose of implenting these strategies within current and future-planned training programs aimed to reduce reoffending amongst women.	B, E, F			\$1,305.99	\$1,305.99
03/10/09	03/11/09	Schranzt, Dennis	Washington DC	Requested to testify for prisoner reentry at the House Justice Subcommittee on Appropriations and to meet with Governor's Office staff on the Second Chance Act.	B, C	\$711.31			\$711.31
03/24/09	03/25/09	Schranzt, Dennis	Baltimore, MD	Attend a consultative session at the Anne E. Casey Foundation for individuals with expertise in improving employment outcomes for releasing prisoners.	B, C	\$379.41			\$379.41
4/1/2009	4/2/2009	Schranzt, Dennis	Washington DC	Meeting with Congressional delegation supporting reentry funding.	B, C	\$641.20			\$641.20
04/17/09	04/22/09	Hoag-Wilkes, Mary	Louisville, KY	Prisoner Education and mandatory GED testing. The knowledge gained will assist teachers and principals in better preparing prisoner students for the GED.	E	\$1,312.49			\$1,312.49
04/26/09	05/02/09	Schranzt, Dennis	Kansas City, MO Tucson, AZ Lincoln, NE	To share and obtain information with other states about successful reentry efforts with mentally ill prisoners.	B, C	\$1,117.29			\$1,117.29
04/26/09	04/28/09	Sonneborn, Suzanne	Tucson, AZ	To share and obtain information with other states about successful reentry efforts with mentally ill prisoners.	B, C	\$44.59			\$44.59
05/04/09	05/07/09	Trudell, Chris	Washington DC	The conference will provide grantees with an opportunity to learn more about federal reentry initiatives and grant requirements, meet and converse with federal partners supporting this initiative.	C, F			\$1,232.63	\$1,232.63
06/21/09	06/24/09	Schautd, Wayne	Orient, OH	Attendance at NIC staffing analysis training to secure specialized training for two staff members responsible for conducting jail inspections in the State.	B, E	\$28.17			\$28.17
06/21/09	06/24/09	Cook, Jeffery	Orient, OH	Attendance at NIC staffing analysis training to secure specialized training for two staff members responsible for conducting jail inspections in the State.	B, E	\$27.96			\$27.96
07/06/09	07/08/09	Howard, Duncan	Sacramento, CA	Met with California Department of Corrections officials possible housing prisoners in vacant Michigan prisons.	C, G	\$1,101.87			\$1,101.87
07/06/09	07/08/09	Flack, David	Sacramento, CA	Met with California Department of Corrections officials possible housing prisoners in vacant Michigan prisons.	C, G	\$1,167.26			\$1,167.26
07/06/09	07/08/09	Straub, Dennis	Sacramento, CA	Met with California Department of Corrections officials possible housing prisoners in vacant Michigan prisons.	C, G	\$1,013.06			\$1,013.06
07/06/09	07/08/09	Neighbors, Bonita	Sacramento, CA	Met with California Department of Corrections officials possible housing prisoners in vacant Michigan prisons.	C, G	\$950.35			\$950.35
07/06/09	07/08/09	Wickman, Barry	Sacramento, CA	Met with California Department of Corrections officials possible housing prisoners in vacant Michigan prisons.	C, G	\$1,333.02			\$1,333.02
07/14/09	07/17/09	Kuhlman, Victor	Aurora, CO	Chief Jail Inspectors' training sponsored by the National Institute of Corrections. This training will increase staff knowledge and benefit Michigan County Jails.	B, E	\$71.80			\$71.80
08/04/09	08/04/09	Schranzt, Dennis	Trenton, NJ	New Jersey legislature invited input from Michigan as they prepare a package of bills to related to prisoner re-entry.	B	\$10.75			\$10.75
08/07/09	08/09/09	Zeller, Lynda	Nashville, TN	ACA meeting of the Health Services Administrators and Chief Medical Officer's to discuss updates on best practices in DOC healthcare, accreditation and more.	B, E	\$85.83			\$85.83

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08/08/09	08/10/09	Denny, Bruce	Nashville, TN	As the DOC ACA liaison, attend ACA Panel Hearings is imperative as the Department would be without representation. A lack of representation could put the facilities accreditation or re-accreditation in jeopardy. The conference also provides training in ACA Standards.	B, E	\$961.03			\$961.03	
08/09/09	08/11/09	Benion, Anne	Nashville, TN	Tennessee Department of Corrections Annual Sex Offender Treatment Conference to gain and enhance knowledge of the development and implementation of intervention methods for the treatment and supervision of sex offenders, to formalize guidelines and standards for treatment providers as well.	B, E	\$715.55			\$715.55	
08/18/09	08/19/09	Warren, Millicent	Indianapolis, IN	Evaluate PREA education and other programming addressing gender specific issues for female prisoners.	B, E, F			\$126.04	\$126.04	
08/18/09	08/19/09	Bouck, R. Cole	Indianapolis, IN	Evaluate PREA education and other programming addressing gender specific issues for female prisoners.	B, E, F			\$319.45	\$319.45	
08/18/09	08/19/09	Pass, Mary-Jo	Indianapolis, IN	Evaluate PREA education and other programming addressing gender specific issues for female prisoners.	B, E, F			\$331.23	\$331.23	
9/22/2009	9/25/2009	Schranz, Dennis	Kansas City, MO	Attend the Midwest Association of Correctional Administrators Conference which the focus is on reentry and learn what is working in other states	B, E	97.61			97.61	
Totals						\$18,808.86	\$0.00	\$6,665.17	\$0.00	\$25,474.03

**Authorization Codes**

- (A) Required by legal mandate or court order or for law enforcement purposes.
- (B) Necessary to protect the health or safety of Michigan citizens or visitors or to assist other states in similar circumstances.
- (C) Necessary to produce budgetary savings or to increase state revenues, including protecting existing federal funds or securing additional federal funds.
- (D) Necessary to comply with federal requirements.
- (E) Necessary to secure specialized training for staff that is not available within this state.
- (F) Financed entirely by federal or non-state funds.
- (G) State Budget Director Authorized Exemption.

**Legend:**

- ACA - American Corrections Association
- PREA - Prison Rape Elimination Act
- OCC - Office of Community Corrections
- NIC -National Institute of Corrections
- GED - General Educational Development
- CMI - Construction and Maintenance Institute for Criminal Justice Agencies