

ATTENTION HUMBOLDT COUNTY INMATES

P.R.E.A. The Prison Rape Elimination Act of 2003 (PREA, P.L. 108-79) was enacted by Congress to address the problem of sexual abuse of persons in the custody of U.S. correctional agencies. The Act applies to all public and private institutions that house adult or juvenile offenders and is also relevant to community-based agencies.

Staff & Inmate Misconduct - The Humboldt County Correctional Facility maintains a zero-tolerance policy for sexual misconduct of any kind. The zero-tolerance policy applies to staff, contractors, volunteers, inmates and visitors. It is the policy of the Humboldt County Correctional Facility to prohibit conduct that would create a hostile work environment or sexualized work environment. It is also the policy of the Humboldt County Correctional Facility to prohibit any acts or behaviors of sexual abuse, sexual assault, sexual harassment or sexual misconduct as defined by **The Prison Rape Elimination Act** of 2003.

Inmates may report allegations of abuse or misconduct using any of the following methods:

- Completion of Inmate Grievance Form.
- Write a letter to the Lieutenant, Jail Captain, Undersheriff, Sheriff or any law enforcement agency.
- Report the allegation to the **housing officer, shift supervisor, medical staff or mental health worker.**

Members of the public may report allegations of misconduct by any of the following:

- Write a letter to, phone, or e-mail, this or any law enforcement agency:

Humboldt County Sheriff's Office contact information:

Humboldt County Sheriff's Office
826 4th Street
Eureka, Ca. 95501
707-445-7251

Or

Humboldt County Correctional Facility
826 4th Street
Eureka, Ca. 95501
707-441-5100

Other resources include:

- Rape Crisis Services: 1-866-UR-SAFE or 1-866-487-7233
- North Coast Rape Crisis Hotline: 1-707-443-2737

****** Be advised inmates in any housing unit may be observed at any time by a Correctional Deputy of the opposite sex without notice ******