Board of State and Community Corrections
Executive Steering Committee for Juvenile Title 15 Regulation Revision
Title 15 Minimum Standards for Juvenile Facilities Regulations Revision Matrix

ITEM #	Regulation	Summary of Initial Feedback	Description of Recommended Revisions	Notes
1	Article 1 § 1300 Severability Pg. 5	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Update NOTE to add authority provided by Welfare and Institutions Code (WIC) § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	
2	Article 1 § 1301 Other Standards and Requirements Pg. 6	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Remove “city, county, or city and” to clarify that city agencies do not exist; only county agencies exist. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and remove outdated legislative bills from “authority cited” and “reference.” ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	
3	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Appeal hearing*** Pg. 7	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Remove “and/” from “and/or” to clarify that the hearing may be oral or in writing, consistent with § 1314. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	
3.1	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Appellant*** Pg. 7	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Remove “or city” to clarify that city agencies do not exist; only county agencies exist. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	

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3.2	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Behavioral health*** Pg. 7	Replace the word "problems" with a word reflecting modern understanding of behavioral health. Revise the definition of "Behavioral health" to include "trauma." ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 2 Attachment B – Pg. 1 Attachment Q – Pgs. 11-13	Replace forward slash (/) with "and" to separate the terms mental and emotional to clarify ambiguous terms. Replace "problems includes:" with "may be affected by" to remove negative stigma. Replace "suicide" with "suicidal ideation" and added "trauma, adverse childhood experiences, and experiences of racism and other forms of oppressive discrimination." to incorporate recommendations received from the Office of Attorney General. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	
3.3	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Behavioral or Mental Health Director*** Pg. 7	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Replace forward slash (/) with "or" between "Behavioral" and "Mental Health Director" and between "behavioral" and "mental health" to remove ambiguity. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	
3.4	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Camp*** Pg. 7	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	
3.5	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Commercially sexually exploited children*** Pg. 8	Include definition of commercially sexually exploited children found in WIC § 300(b)(2). ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment B – Pg. 1	Adopt a definition for commercially sexually exploited children, consistent with WIC § 300 (b)(4), to clarify the term proposed to be added to § 1350.5. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	

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3.6	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Committed*** Pg. 8	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Remove "jail or" because it is not necessary to keep reference to adult facilities. This revision is consistent with recent revisions made to juvenile Title 24 regulations. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	
3.7	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Credible messenger*** Pg. 8	Add a definition for the term "credible messenger" to include a person with lived experience such as formerly justice-involved, who is not law enforcement, who speaks the same language as youth contacted, who are from a similar community or neighbothood as youth, and who possess relevant cultural, indigenous, and/or religious background. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 1 Attachment E – Pg. 4 Attachment E.1 – Pg. 8 Attachment F. 1 – Pg. 6	Adopt a definition for "credible messenger" to clarify the term used in Section 1371(a)(12). The definition was developed based on research and information provided by the Credible Messenger Justice Center, and comments received through the BSCC's Listening Sessions and RFO presentations. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	
3.8	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Culturally Responsive*** Pg. 8	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Add "age and maturity" as considerations for culturally responsive to be more specific and inclusive of the age and maturity of the SYTF population. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	
3.9	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Developmental disability*** Pg. 9	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Add "cognitive" to "intellectual disabilities" for current, acceptable, and consistent terminology throughout the regulations. Further, the proposed definition is consistent with the definition of "developmental disability" in the Adult Title 15 regulations. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	

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3.10	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Direct visual observation*** Pg. 9	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Remove "/or" from "and/or" to clarify that the staff performing direct visual observation must see youth's movement and skin, and does not have the discretion to choose. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	
3.11	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Dispensing*** Pg. 9	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	
3.12	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Extended Family Member*** Pg. 10	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment H – Pg. 1	Add a definition for "extended family member," consistent with WIC § 224.70, to include enacted amendments made by AB 2417 (Chapter 786, Statutes of 2022). ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	
3.13	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Food*** Pg. 10	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Replace "in to" with "into" and remove "and/" from "and/or" for correct grammar and to remove ambiguity. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	
3.14	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***504 plan*** Pg. 10	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	

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3.15	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Gender-affirming health care*** Pg. 10	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Add a definition for "gender-affirming health care" to provide clarity of the term proposed to be used in § 1352.5. The proposed definition is consistent with that found in Welfare and Institutions Code section 16010.2 and with the World Professional Association for Transgender Health (WPATH) description of gender-affirming health care. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	
3.16	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Gender identity*** Pg. 10	Replace the word "either" with "neither" ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment F.1 – Pg. 8	Replace the word "either" with "neither" to include someone who does not identify as male or female. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	
3.17	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Gender fluidity*** Pg. 10	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Remove "and/" from "and/or" for clarity that gender fluid people may also identify as multi-gender, non-binary, or transgender. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	
3.18	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Gender Nonconforming*** Pg. 11	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Update the outdated definition to be inclusive of experiencing gender that is neither exclusively male nor female or inbetween, or beyond both genders. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	
3.19	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Health care*** Pg. 11	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Remove the forward slash (/) to separate the terms "behavioral" and "medical" for clarity and consistency throughout the regulations. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	
3.20	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Hearing panel*** Pg. 11	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Remove "or city" to clarify city agencies do not exist; only county agencies exist. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	

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3.21	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Human trafficking*** Pg. 11	Remove the definition of "human trafficking" because the term is not used in regulations, or make it inclusive of commercially sexually exploited children (CSEC) found in WIC 300(b)(2). ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment B – Pg. 1	Remove the definition of "human trafficking" because the term is not used in the regulations. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
3.22	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Individual Education Program (IEP)*** Pg. 11	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	
3.23	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Intersex*** Pg. 11	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Replace "youth" with "individual" to clarify that the term is not limited to youth. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	
3.24	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Juvenile facility*** Pg. 11	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Add "secure youth treatment facility" to clarify that a juvenile facility includes a secure youth treatment facility, consistent with enacted amendments made by SB 92 (Chapter 18, Statutes of 2021). ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
3.25	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Labeling*** Pg. 12	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	

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3.26	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Legend drugs*** Pg. 12	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	
3.27	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Linguistically appropriate*** Pg. 12	Revise the definition to "delivered in a manner that is consistent with the youth's reading and comprehension level, and that meets the requirements of the youth's IEP and/ or 504 plan as applicable." ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment B – Pg. 1	Replace "those who have low literacy or are not literate" with "limited literacy" for consistency throughout the regulations. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
3.28	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Living unit*** Pg. 12	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Add a hyphen (-) to "single- and double-occupancy" for consistency with recent revisions made to adult Title 24 regulations and those proposed in juvenile Title 24 regulations. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
3.29	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Local Health Officer*** Pg. 12	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations. Replace "his/her" with "their" to ensure that the language is contemporary, people-centered, gender neutral, and consistent throughout. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
3.30	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Minor*** Pg. 12	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Remove because the term is not used in these regulations, it has been replaced with the term "youth" throughout. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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3.31	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Nonbinary*** Pg. 12	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Add a definition to provide clarity of the term used throughout regulations. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
3.32	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Pilot project*** Pg. 12	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Remove "jail or lockup" because it is not necessary to keep reference to adult facilities. This revision is consistent with recent revisions made to juvenile Title 24 regulations. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
3.33	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Podular design*** Pg. 13	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Remove the definition because the term is not used in the regulations. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
3.34	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Post-dispositional youth*** Pg. 13	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Correct the case of "court" from capitalized to lowercase for correct grammar. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
3.35	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Proposed decision*** Pg. 13	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Remove forward slash (/) to clarify that the written recommendation could be from the hearing panel or hearing officer. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
3.36	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Rated capacity*** Pg. 13	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	

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3.37	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Remodeling*** Pg. 14	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	
3.38	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Required institutional operations*** Pg. 14	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Add a definition for "required institutional operations" to clarify the term proposed to be added in § 1354.5 and to include enacted amendments made by AB 2321 (Chapter 781, Statutes of 2022). ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
3.39	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Room confinement*** Pg. 14	Specify duration allowed for required institutional operations that is not considered room confinement. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment F – Pg. 3 Attachment F.1 – Pg. 11 Attachment G – Pg. 1 Attachment Q – Pgs. 2-4	Replace "brief periods as may be" with "a brief period lasting no longer than two hours" for clarity and to include enacted amendments made by AB 2321 (Chapter 781, Statutes of 2022). ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
3.40	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Secure youth treatment facility*** Pg. 15	Define secure youth treatment facility. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 1 Attachment J	Add a definition for "secure youth treatment facility," consistent with enacted amendments made by SB 92 (Chapter 18, Statutes of 2021). ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
3.41	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Separation*** Pg. 15	Revise the definition to specify "allowable" purpose. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment B – Pg. 1	Replace "regular programming" with "any provisions of this chapter" and add "in accordance with section 1354 of these regulations." for clarity. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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3.42	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Sexual harassment*** Pg. 15	Add a definition for "sexual harassment" to clarify prohibited actions and behaviors. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment B – Pg. 1	Add a definition to clarify the term used throughout the regulations. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
3.43	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Special visits*** Pg. 15	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment Q – Pgs. 10-11	Expand definition to include visits accommodated in addition to the two-hour minimum or outside of regular visiting hours, consistent with proposed revisions made to § 1374 and enacted amendments made by AB 2417 (Chapter 786, Statutes of 2022). ***Operational Impact:*** Facilities may need to update policies on special visits. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
3.44	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Status offender*** Pg. 15	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Remove because the term is not used in the regulations. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	
3.45	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Transgender*** Pg. 16	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Replace "youth" with "individual" to clarify that the term is not limited to youth. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
3.46	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Un-enrolled*** Pg. 16	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Remove the definition of "un-enrolled" because the term is not used in the regulations. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
3.47	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Voyeurism*** Pg. 16	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Replace "his or her" with "their" for gender neutral and consistent language throughout regulations. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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3.48	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Youth*** Pg. 17	Revise the definition of "Youth" to be inclusive of secure youth treatment facility (SYTF) population, ages 18-25. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment J Attachment L – Pg. 1	Updated the definition to clarify that "youth" is any person in custody of a juvenile facility and under the jurisdiction of the juvenile court, adult court, or both, consistent with enacted amendments made by SB 92 (Chapter 18, Statutes of 2021). ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
3.49	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions ***Youth Bill of Rights*** Pg. 17	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 1 Attachment H	Add a definition for "youth bill of rights" to clarify the term proposed to be added to § 1322, 1353, and 1374, and to include enacted amendments made by AB 2417 (Chapter 786, Statutes of 2022). ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
3.50	Article 1 § 1302 Definitions "NOTE" Pg. 17	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Update note to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to Health and Safety Code (HSC) § 101000 and WIC § 208.3, 224.70, 224.71, 224.72, 224.73, 224.74, 300, 601, 602, 875 and 881. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
4	Article 1 § 1303 Pilot Projects Pgs. 18-19	Allow more flexibility to allow people to pilot new projects, particularly projects that are outside of what is already available in terms of juvenile halls, camps, or ranches. Allow pilot projects outside of juvenile facilities. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pgs. 2-3, 48 Attachment B – Pg. 2	Remove "city, county, or city and" to clarify that city agencies do not exist; only county agencies exist (subs. (a), (a)(5), and (f)). Replace "time line" with "timeline" (subs. (a)(6)) for correct spelling and remove forward slash (/) from between "compliance" or "non-compliance" (subs. (b)) Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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5	Article 1 § 1304 Alternate Means of Compliance Pgs. 20-21	Allow alternative means of compliance to include physical or infrastructure design. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 49 Attachment B – Pg. 2	Remove “city, county, or city and” to clarify that city agencies do not exist; only county agencies exist (subs. (a), (b)(4), and (f)). Remove forward slash (/) from between “facility” and “system” to remove ambiguity (subs. (a)), replace “time line” with “timeline” for correct spelling (subs. (b)(5)), and remove forward slash (/) from between “compliance” or “non-compliance” (subs. (c)) to remove ambiguity. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
6	Article 1 § 1310 Applicability of Standards Pg. 22	Promulgate regulations that specifically apply to camps, which should have greater flexibility for accomplishing the expanded goals set out in Welf. & Inst. Code sec. 880. Clarify that the regulations contain different categories of provisions that all apply and necessitate a mode of compliance. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 49 Attachment B – Pg. 2	Remove “city and county” to clarify that city agencies do not exist; only county agencies exist. Add “secure youth treatment facilities” to the list of facilities required to comply with all regulations, consistent with enacted amendments made by SB 92 (Chapter 18, Statutes of 2021) (subs. (a)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add “reference” to WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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7	Article 2 § 1311 Emergency Suspension of Standards or Requirements Pgs. 23-24	Reduce the maximum time allowed for temporary suspension of certain standards or requirements. Add documentation requirements for documentation and notification to youth, family, attorneys, and court. Require notifications to BSCC if standards have been suspended for any period of time, rather than only those lasting longer than three days. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pgs. 3-4, 49 Attachment B – Pg. 3 Attachment D – Pgs. 4-5 Attachment F.1 – Pg. 17 Attachment Q – Pgs. 4-7	Prescriptive documentation requirements have been added, including a description of the emergency, the standards being suspended and why, the date each requirement was suspended and the anticipated length of suspension and estimated resolution date, the portions of the facility effected by the emergency, description of actions taken to address the emergency and to mitigate impact on youth, number of youth impacted, and the date when each suspended standard resumed (subs. (b)(1) through (b)(9)). Add more specific prescriptive timeline for requirements to notify the BSCC (subs. (c) and (d)). Add requirement for notification to parents or guardians, persons standing in loco parentis, spouses of youth, the youth's attorney of record, and the juvenile court, in the event that an emergency suspension lasts for more than 24 hours (subs. (e)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
8	Article 1 § 1312 Juvenile Criminal History Information Pg. 25	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	
9	Article 1 § 1313 County Inspection and Evaluation of Building and Grounds Pg. 26	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to HSC § 101045 and 13146.1 and WIC § 229 and 240. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	

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10	Article 2 § 1314 Appeal Pgs. 27-29	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Remove references to city agencies to clarify city agencies do not exist; only county agencies exist (opening paragraph, subs. (b)(1), and (e)(1)). Replace “Chairman” with “chairperson” for gender neutral and consistent language throughout regulations (subs. (f)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
11	Article 1 § 1320 Appointment and Qualifications Pg. 30	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Correct the case of “section” from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations (subs. (b)(3) and (b)(4)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add “reference” to Government Code (GC) § 1031 and Penal Code (PC) § 6035. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	

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12	Article 3 § 1321 Staffing Pgs. 31-33	Use PREA youth to staff ratios, i.e., 1:8 during waking hours and 1:16 for sleeping hours in Juvenile Halls and Special Purpose Juvenile Halls. Permit individuals from CBOs and credible messenger programs to serve as staff. Require notification to BSCC when there is suspension of services due to staffing inadequacy. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pgs. 4, 5, 50 Attachment B – Pg. 3 Attachment D – Pgs. 6-8 Attachment L – Pg. 2 Attachment Q – Pgs. 2-7	Clarify that laws or regulation shall not be violated or suspended due to insufficient staff on duty (subs. (b)). Replace “a clearly identified person” with “at least one staff member” for clarity (subs. (d)). Replace “recreational” with “program” for clarity (subs. (g)). Require “Secure Youth Treatment Facilities” to use the same staffing ratio as juvenile halls (subs. (h)(1)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add “reference” to WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** The impact will be minimal; facilities may need to update policies and procedures to ensure SYTFs use the same staffing ratio as juvenile halls. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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13	Article 3 § 1322 Youth Supervision Staff Orientation and Training Pgs. 34-35	Require training from credible messengers or youth mentors from CBOs. Require staff to role-play de-escalation techniques and situations. Require training on SOGIE for compliance with § 1352.5 and on trauma-informed approaches for compliance with § 1355. Require ongoing training. Reduce number of orientation hours when youth supervision staff has already received 40 hours of orientation at a different facility. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pgs. 5, 50 Attachment B – Pgs. 3-4 Attachment E – Pg. 4 Attachment E.1 – Pg. 29 Attachment F – Pg. 5 Attachment F.1 – Pgs. 24-25 Attachment L – Pg. 2 Attachment Q – Pgs. 13-14	Require youth supervision staff to be properly oriented to "Title 15 Minimum Standards for Juvenile Facilities" prior to assuming any responsibilities (subs. (a)(7)). Require 40 hours of orientation "related to juvenile facility operations" rather than facility-specific orientation to ensure youth supervision staff do not need to repeat 40 hours of orientation when moving between facilities (subs. (b)). Replace "discipline" with "behavior management" for consistency with revisions made to § 1390 and § 1391 and add "including the Youth Bill of Rights" to include enacted amendments made by AB 2417 (Chapter 786, Statutes of 2022) (subs. (b)(2)). Replace "mechanical and physical restraints" with "restraint devices" for consistency with revisions made to § 1358 (subs. (b)(5)). Require orientation related to juvenile facility operations to include "adverse childhood experiences, adolescent brain development, and a review of related policies and procedures;" (subs. (b)(6)). Replace the forward slash (/) with "and" to clarify that juvenile facility operations includes fire and life safety, which is consistent with § 1323 (subs. (b)(11)). Correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations (subs. (c) and (d)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875, add "reference" to PC § 830 and 6035, and WIC § 209 and 224.71, and remove outdated legislative bills. ***Operational Impact:*** Facilities may need to update policies and procedures to ensure Title 15 Minimum Standards for Juvenile Facilities are provided to staff during orientation and training and to remove the 40-hour facility-specific orientation for staff who move between facilities. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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14	Article 3 § 1323 Fire and Life Safety Pgs. 36	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	
15	Article 3 § 1324 Policy and Procedures Manual Pgs. 37-38	Add "restorative healing approaches, youth development approaches, therapeutic approaches, and relationship buildings approaches." Require facilities to post the current version of manuals and all policies and procedures to the probation department or county's website. Change Medi-Cal references to "Cal AIM". ***Reference(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 50 Attachment B – Pg. 4 Attachment E – Pg. 4 Attachment E.1 – Pg. 31 Attachment L – Pg. 3 Attachment Q – Pgs. 14-16	Replace forward slash (/) with "and" to accurately reference the Juvenile Justice Delinquency Prevention Commission (subs. (b)). Replace the forward slash (/) with "and" to separate the terms "mental" and "behavioral" for consistency with similar revisions made throughout the regulations (subs. (d)). Require the policy and procedures manual to include non-discrimination provision that provides youth with fair and equal access to "housing" and provides that no person shall be subject to discrimination or harassment based on "ethnicity" (rather than ethnic group identification), "language," or "sex" (rather than gender) (subs. (k)). Require "zero tolerance" policy against all forms of abuse, a prompt response to such conduct, and require a provision for documenting, reporting, investigating, and responding to all suspicions or reports of such conduct. (subs. (n)). Require the manual to include a use of force policy that meets current state and federal legal requirements and prohibits use of carotid restraint and choke holds (subs. (o)). Require the manual to include policy and procedure that provide for youth access to the Division of the Ombudsperson of the Office of Youth and Community Restoration as outlined in Welfare and Institutions Code Section 2200 (sub. (p)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71, 224.73, and 2200. ***Operational Impact:*** None Anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None Anticipated.	

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16	Article 3 § 1325 Fire Safety Plan Pg. 39	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations (subs. (c)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875, remove outdated legislative bills, and add "reference" to HSC § 13146.1 and WIC § 209. ***Operational Impact:*** None Anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None Anticipated.	
17	Article 3 § 1326 Security Review Pg. 40	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875, remove outdated legislative bills, and add "reference" to WIC § 209. ***Operational Impact:*** None Anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None Anticipated.	
18	Article 3 § 1327 Emergency Procedures Pg. 41	Specify which policies and procedures may be kept confidential and to what extent. Require emergency procedures for movement of youth in relation to findings of unsuitability. movement of youth in relation to pandemics, outbreaks of communicable disease, or other public health emergencies. notifying family and legal counsel". ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 51 Attachment B – Pg. 5 Attachment D – Pgs. 9-10 Attachment L – Pg. 3	Replace "shooter" with "assailant" because it is a broader term that can be used to refer to a person posing ongoing deadly threat, to include, but not limited to, those from firearms, vehicles, explosives, and knives (IACP, Model Policy, April 2018) (subs. (b)). Replace "program" with "process" for correct grammar and clarity (subs. (f)). Require procedures to notify parents or guardians, persons standing in loco parentis, spouse of youth, and the youth's attorney of record as soon as practicable in the event of an emergency (subs. (g)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** None Anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None Anticipated.	

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19	Article 3 § 1328 Safety Checks Pg. 42	Revise language to require safety checks be conducted using the least intrusive and obstructive means possible that would minimize sleep disruption and preserve mental health of youth. Revise language to ensure the duration between safety checks does not exceed 15 minutes. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pgs. 6-7 Attachment B – Pg. 5 Attachment C – Pgs. 5-6 Attachment L – Pg. 3 Attachment Q – Pg. 15	Reformatted to include subsections and clarifying language. Require for safety checks to be minimally intrusive and minimally disruptive to sleep (subs. (d)). Require documentation requirements to include location of each safety check and identification of the staff who completed the safety check (subs. (f)(1)-(3)). Require supervisor or facility manager to review safety checks (subs. (g)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** Facilities may need to revise policies and procedures to update documentation requirements and include a review of safety checks. ***Fiscal Impact:*** None anticipated.	

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20	Article 3 § 1329 Suicide Prevention Plan Pgs. 43-44	Specify when screening is to be completed and when services are to be provided. Consult with experts for procedures to be included for monitoring. Specify documentation and timing requirements. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pgs. 27, 51 Attachment B – Pgs. 5-6 Attachment L – Pg. 4	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Replace forward slash (/) with "or" to separate the terms behavioral and mental (opening paragraph, subs. (b)(3), (c) and (f)(2)), consistent with changes made throughout regulations. Correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations (subs. (a)). Clarify referrals to behavioral or mental health staff shall occur "as soon as possible" when youth have been identified as at-risk for suicide (subs. (b)(3)). Require "Separation of youth shall be avoided, and consistent with Section 1354.5, room confinement shall not be used as an intervention for youth at risk of suicide." subs. (b)(4) Require youth to be taken to a crisis stabilization unit or emergency room for further assessment of suicide risk if youth's behavior escalates subs. ((b)(5)). Require communication during the intake process between facility intake staff and the arresting officer "or transportation officer and parents. Guardians, or persons standing in loco parentis" (subs. (f)(1)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** None Anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None Anticipated.	
21	Article 4 § 1340 Reporting of Legal Actions Pgs. 45	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** None Anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None Anticipated.	

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22	Article 4 § 1341 Death and Serious Illness or Injury of a Youth While Detained Pgs. 46-47	Include reference to mandated reporter requirements. Specify immediate notification. Include provisions for internal and external investigations. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pgs. 7, 51 Attachment B – Pg. 6	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Revised the section to include enacted amendments made by SB 519 (Chapter 306, Statutes of 2023). Specifically, to include additional in-custody death review and reporting requirements that became effective July 1, 2024, in accordance with the provisions of Penal Code sections 832.10 and 6034. The changes are consistent with those made to the adult Title 15 regulations in 2024 but include an additional requirement for notification and grief resources. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to GC § 12525 and WIC § 832.10. ***Operational Impact:*** None Anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None Anticipated.	
23	Article 4 § 1342 Population Accounting Pgs. 48	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** None Anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None Anticipated.	
24	Article 4 § 1343 Juvenile Facility Capacity Pg. 49	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None.	Remove "/or" from "and/or" to clarify Notice of the Board's findings and actions shall be public record. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** None Anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None Anticipated.	
25	Article 5 Classification and Separation Pg. 50	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None.	Replace "segregation" with "separation" in the title of Article 5 for consistency with terms used throughout the regulations. ***Operational Impact:*** None Anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None Anticipated.	
26	Article 5 § 1350 Admittance Procedures Pg. 50-51	Increase free phone calls. Require food offering to be based on dietary restrictions.	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Correct spelling of "reflect" and correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations (opening paragraph).	

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		Subsection (b) should apply to all juvenile facilities rather than just juvenile halls. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pgs. 8-9 Attachment B – Pgs. 6-7 Attachment L – Pgs. 4-5	Require documentation of every element of the admittance process (subs. (a)). Correct spelling of "Institutions" and correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations (subs. (a)(1)). Remove "documented" because it would be duplicative of subs. (a) which already requires the admittance process element to be document (subs. (a)(3)). Require that youth's dietary restrictions be considered when food is offered upon arrival at the facility (subs. (a)(4)). Correct spelling of "behavioral" (subs. (a)(5)). Correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations, correct reference from section 1413 to 1418, and correct the spelling of "identified" (subs. (a)(6) and (a)(7). Correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations (subs. (a)(8)). Require contact with a youth's social worker if the youth is identified as a dependent pursuant to WIC § 300 (subs. (a)(9)). Require SYTFs to develop policies and procedures that advise the youth of the estimated length of stay, inform them of program guidelines and provide written screening criteria for inclusion and exclusion from the program (subs. (c)). Replace "his/her" with "their" to ensure that the language is contemporary, people-centered, gender neutral, and consistent throughout regulations (subs. (d)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71, 224.73, 300, 627, and 875. ***Operational Impact:*** None Anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None Anticipated.	

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27	Article 5 § 1350.5 Screening for the Risk of Sexual Abuse Pg. 52	Indicate that a new screening to assess the risk of sexual abuse is not necessary when a youth is transferred between different facilities. Specify screening for commercially sexually exploited children. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment L – Pg. 5	Clarify that facility staff are to assess youth shall be within 72 hours of "initial" admission (opening paragraph). Add "or nonbinary," consistent with other proposed revisions through regulations (subs. (b)). Added subs. (l) to include a requirement that the assessment is to be based on, among other information, screening for commercially sexually exploited children (CSEC) (subs. (l)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** None Anticipated; many facilities already screen for prior victimization, including CSEC. ***Fiscal Impact***: None Anticipated.	
28	Article 5 § 1351 Release Procedures Pg. 53	Incorporate a timing requirement. Include an assessment to ensure youth has place to be released to. Add transition planning procedures ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pgs. 9-10 Attachment B – Pg. 7 Attachment L – Pg. 5	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Replace "papers" with "documentation" to use accurate terminology and move the requirement to a new subs. (b) to separate it from the requirement to verify a youth's identity (subs. (b)). Add "persons standing in loco parentis, or spouse;" as persons who shall receive notification for a youth's release (subs. (c)). Correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations (subs. (e)). Remove paragraph regarding transitional and reentry services from this section to relocate to a new section, 1355.5, which is specific to transition and reentry. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** None Anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None Anticipated.	

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29	Article 5 § 1352 Classification Pg. 54	End classification because it is being abused as discipline for confinement. Classification separates youth by age, however there may not be other youth in the facility within the age group. Classification for High Risk Offenders needs to be revised for the safety and security of Low Risk Offenders because Low Risk Offender youth are recruited to join gangs and commit crimes upon release. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 18, 52	Replace forward slash (/) with "and" to separate the terms medical and mental (subs. (c)). Replace "ethnic group identification" with "ethnicity," add "language," and replace "gender" with "sex" for consistency with revisions made to § 1324, and add a hyphen (-) to "single-occupancy" for consistency with recent revisions made to adult Title 24 regulations and those proposed in juvenile Title 24 regulations (subs. (e)). Add "nonbinary," consistent with other proposed revisions through regulations (subs. (f)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71 and 224.73. ***Operational Impact:*** None Anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None Anticipated.	
30	Article 5 § 1352.5 Transgender, Nonbinary, and Intersex Youth. Pg. 55	Include non-binary. Access to gender affirming medical care. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pgs. 10, 28, 52 Attachment B – Pg. 7	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Add the term "nonbinary" throughout, consistent with other proposed revisions through regulations (opening paragraph, subs. (d) and (e). Require access to "gender-affirming health care and treatment when clinically indicated" (subs. (d)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71 and 224.73. ***Operational Impact:*** None Anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None Anticipated.	

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31	Article 5 § 1353 Orientation Pgs. 56-57	Require written and verbal information to be linguistically appropriate, as defined in § 1302. Require Title 15 Minimum Standard for Juvenile Facilities regulations to be readily accessible instead of only by request: and Add OYCR Ombudsperson as an orientation topic. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 11 Attachment B – Pg. 7 Attachment C – Pg. 6 Attachment H – Pgs. 1-3 Attachment L – Pg. 6	Require orientation to be "age-appropriate" and "linguistically appropriate" and replace "English language learners" with "limited English proficiency" for consistency with other regulation language (opening paragraph). Require "zero tolerance" policy against sexual abuse and sexual harassment, consistent with a proposed revision to § 1324 (subs. (c)). Remove the word "key" for clarity (subs. (d)). Add "devices" for consistency with language used in § 1358 Use of Restraint Devices (subs. (m)). Separate the terms "parents" and "guardians," and add "persons standing in loco parentis, or spouse of youth" as persons who shall receive information regarding a youth's stay in the facility (subs. (s)). Remove "a process by which youth may request" to ensure youth have access to Title 15 Minimum Standards for Juvenile Facilities without needing to request access (subs. (t)). Require orientation to include "Youth Bill of Rights" (subs. (u)) and "access to the Division of the Ombudsperson of the OYCR" (subs. (v)) to include enacted amendments made by AB 2417 (Chapter 786, Statutes of 2022). Require orientation to include "voters registration and voting" (subs. (w)) for consistency with a newly proposed section, § 1378 Voting. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71, 224.72, and 2200. ***Operational Impact:*** The impact will be minimal; facility policies and procedures will require updates to ensure youth receive age-appropriate and linguistically appropriate information, the Youth Bill of Rights, information regarding the OYCR Ombudsperson, and information regarding voter registration and voting. ***Fiscal Impact***: None Anticipated.	

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32	Article 5 § 1354 Separation Pg. 58	Define the allowable reasons or circumstances for its use. Require documentation requirements. Set a duration limit. Require mental health staff to meet with youth within 2 hours of being placed in room confinement. Clarify reference to normal privileges versus reference to regular programming in the definition. Daily review should be documented. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pgs. 18, 53 Attachment B – Pg. 8 Attachment F.1 – Pg. 38 Attachment L – Pg. 6 Attachment N – Pgs. 5-6	Add “immediate threat to the safety and security of youth, staff, or the facility” and “voluntary separation” as reasons for separation (subs. (a)). Require documentation of separation and a plan to reintegrate youth as soon as the reason for separation has ceased (subs. (b)). Replace “normal privileges available at the facility” with “any provisions of this chapter.” for clarity (subs. (e)). Replace “discipline” with “behavior management,” consistent with revisions made to § 1390 and 1391 (subs (f)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add “reference” to WIC § 208.3. ***Operational Impact:*** None Anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact*:** None Anticipated.	
33	Article 5 § 1354.5 Room Confinement Pgs. 59-60	Limit time youth can be held in locked single-person rooms or cells during waking hours to 4 hours. Define brief periods of time as 2 hours for required institutional operations. Require access to toilets and menstrual products at all times, including when held in room confinement. Require a log of all instances, not just those exceeding 4 hours. Abolish room confinement.	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Clarify requirements for policies and procedures to address “room” confinment, remove unecessary langauge, correct the case of “section” from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations, and remove reference to “guidelines” (subs. (a) and (b)). Clarify room confinement shall not be used as an intervention for youth identified as at risk for suicide (subs. (b)(3)). Ensure youth have reasonable access to toilets at all hours, as required by WIC 208.3 (subs. (b)(4)). Require documentation of placement of a youth in room confinement, including the reason(s) for placement, date and time of placement, and date and time of removal from placement in room confinement (subs. (b)(5)).	

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		Attachment(s): Attachment A – Pg. 11, 18-21, 29-30, 53, and 66 Attachment B – Pg. 8 Attachment C – Pg. 3 Attachment F – Pg. 3 Attachment F.1 – Pgs. 38-39 Attachment G – Pgs. 1-2 Attachment L – Pgs. 7-9 Attachment Q – Pgs. 2-7	Clarify that youth shall be removed from room confinement as soon as practicable (subs. (b)(6). Remove reference to documentation of when a youth is placed and removed in room confinement as those requirements have moved to subs. (b)(5) and replace "integrate" with "reintegrate" (subs.(b)(7)(A) and (B). Replace "by" with "from" for clarity and replace "his/her" with "their" to ensure that the language is contemporary, people-centered, gender neutral, and consistent throughout (subs. (b)(7)(C)). Require facilities to define "required institutional operations" for its facility operations, including minimum and maximum time limits for those operations, not to exceed two hours, to include enacted amendments made by AB 2321 (Chapter 781, Statutes of 2022) (subs. (c)(1) – (c)(3)). Replace "cell" with "room" for consistency throughout regulations (subs. (h)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 208.3 and 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None Anticipated.	
34	Article 5 § 1355 Youth Assessment and Case Plan Pgs. 61-62	Replace "Institutional" with "Youth." Case plan should be in line with the child welfare case plan at WIC 16501.1. Incorporate language for home-like environment. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pgs. 11-12 Attachment B – Pgs. 8-9 Attachment D – Pgs. 14-16 Attachment J – Pg. 8 Attachment L – Pgs. 9-10	Retitle the section from "Institutional Assessment and Plan" to "Youth Assessment and Case Plan" to clarify the assessment is of the youth rather than the institution and to use correct terminology of case plan. Require the youth assessment to include identification of the youth's needs in relation to programming, treatment, substance use disorder, education, vocational training, counseling, medical, mental, emotional, behavioral health, history of trauma, and family or other supportive persons, disabilities, gender identity or other special needs (subs. (a)). Clarify that the case plan may serve as an individual rehabilitation plan (IRP) required for SYTF youth in accordance with WIC §	

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			875(d), to include enacted amendments made by SB 92 (Chapter 18, Statutes of 2021) (subs. (b)(2)). Require a case plan to reflect, and be consistent with, the principles of trauma-informed, evidence-based, and culturally responsive care in accordance with WIC § 875, to include enacted amendments made by SB 92 (Chapter 18, Statutes of 2021) (subs. (b)(3)). Each subsection includes revisions for correct grammar, clarifying language, and consistency with other proposed revisions to the regulations (subs. (b)(4)(A) – (b)(4)(D). Clarify the case plan may be developed in consultation with a multidisciplinary team of youth service, mental and behavioral health, education, and other treatment providers, and the prosecutor and the youth's attorney of record may provide input, consistent with enacted amendments made by SB 92 (Chapter 18, Statutes of 2021) (subs. (b)(5)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** Facilities may need to update policies and procedures for development of a case plan that may serve as the IRP required by WIC § 875 for SYTF youth. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
35	Article 5 § 1355.5 Transition and Reentry (new) Pg. 63	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** N/A	Require policies and procedures for coordinating the provision of transition and reentry services for post disposition youth, which previously lived in § 1351 for release procedures. Transition and reentry services may include, but is not limited to, coordination for continuation of medical, dental, behavioral and mental health care, continuation of counseling or support groups, continuation of educational, vocational and skill development opportunities, housing or shelter supports, transportation supports, child care services, probation supervision; and other community-based services suitable to the youth population. Includes NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 210, 875, and 885 and add "reference" to WIC § 209 and 875. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875.	

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			Operational Impact: None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
36	Article 5 § 1356 Counseling and Casework Pg. 64	Promote more pro-active casework. Ensure staff possess training, expertise and credibility needed to provide the services. Youth should have a voice regarding counselor they would feel most comfortable with. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 54 Attachment B – Pg. 9 Attachment D – Pgs. 17-19	Require staff or outside providers to have appropriate training and professional qualifications (subs. (b)). Add "guardians, persons standing in loco parentis, spouse, extended family members, community-based service providers, and OYCR" as people that youth will receive assistance in requesting contact with (subs. (c)). Require consultation with youth regarding their preferences and needs with respect to counselors or treatment providers (subs. (d)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** The impact will be minimal; facilities must update their policies and procedures to consult with youth regarding their preferences. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
37	Article 5 § 1357 Use of Force *-and-* § 1357 Use of Force *(prohibits chemical agents)* Pgs. 65-70	Ban use of chemical agents/ pepper spray. Emphasize the importance of de-escalation techniques to avoid use of force. Require notification, reporting and tracking requirements. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pgs. 21-26 Attachment B – Pgs. 9-10 Attachment C – Pg. 2 Attachment F – Pg. 5 Attachment F.1 – Pgs. 41-42 Attachment L – Pgs. 10-11 Attachment N – Pgs. 1-5 Attachment O Attachment Q – Pgs. 7-9 Attachment V – Pgs. 1-3	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** As requested by the ESC, two drafts have been prepared for Section 1357 Use of Force; one version permits use of chemical agents whereas the second version prohibits use of chemical agents. Most revisions are to correct grammar and clarify requirements, however there are some new elements, including: Require cooperation with the behavioral or mental health director in development and implementation of use of force policies and reference GC § 7286 (opening paragraph). Require policies and procedures to outline de-escalation techniques (subs. (a)(5)) and describe trauma-informed approaches (subs. (a)(6)). Clarify that policies and procedures must outline a standardized format and time period for documenting, reporting, and reviewing use of force incidents (sub. (a)(8)).	

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			Require a log to document all use of force incidents, including the date, time, location, reason, number of youth involved in the use of force incident and number of youth exposed to chemical agents (if any), number of staff involved in the incident, the type of force used, efforts to deescalate prior to force, including non-force options, amount of chemical agents used (if any), injuries (if any), and if youth were seen by medical personnel (subs. (a)(9)). Clarify that the administrative review shall include procedures for debriefing with staff and youth for the purpose of training as well as mitigating the effects of trauma that may have been experienced by staff and the youth involved (subs. (a)(10)). Add "persons standing in loco parentis, or spouse" as persons to be considered in defining the role, notification, and follow-up procedures required after use of force (subs. (a)(12)). Limit use of force on pregnant, laboring, or delivering youth, or youth in postpartum recovery in accordance with Penal Code Section 3407 and section 1358 of the regulations which limits the use of restraint devices unless deemed necessary for the safety and security of the inmate, the staff, or the public (subs. (a)(13)). Regarding immediate decontamination from chemical agents, clarify that "immediate" means as soon as practicable after a threat to safety has passed, and "decontaminated" means the removal or neutralization of chemical agents to minimize harm, which may be achieved through flushing affected areas with water, or using chemical agent-specific wipes or solutions (subs. (b)(4). For the version of 1357 that permits use of chemical agents, it is proposed that use on youth in restraint devices be prohibited (subs. (b)(3)) and clarifies that youth who have been exposed to chemical agents shall remain under direct visual supervision (subs. (b)(4)). These requirements are struck from the version of 1357 that prohibits use of chemical agents altogether. Clarify that policies and procedures shall address methods of decontamination (subs. (c) or (b), depending on version of 1357). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to GC § 7286 and PC § 3407.	

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			Operational Impact: Depends on which version of 1357 that ESC selects. If the ESC decides to prohibit use of chemical agents, facilities that use chemical agents will need to comply and update its use of force policies and procedures accordingly. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
38	Article 5 § 1358 Use of Restraint Devices Pgs. 71-73	Remove restraints when youth no longer present an immediate threat. Policy should be approved by medical and mental health professionals in addition to the facility administrator. Require individual assessment of need to apply restraints. Notify youth's parents, guardian, attorney, and social worker. Documentation who is authorized to use restraints, type used, duration of use, medical opinion, mental health consultation, and who was notified. Define the maximum length of time a youth may be held in restraint devices. Reduce maximum time permitted to review continued retention and obtain medical opinion and mental health consultation. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 55 Attachment B – Pgs. 10-11 Attachment C – Pg. 4 Attachment F – Pg. 5	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Require cooperation with the behavioral or mental health director in the development and implementation of policies and procedures for use of restraint devices (subs. (a)). Require removal of restraint devices when a youth no longer presents an immediate danger to themselves or others (subs. (b)(1)). Require facility manager to not exceed restraint device manufacturer's recommended maximum time limits for placement (subs. (b)(2)). Clarify that restraint devices should be used only when de-escalation efforts have been unsuccessful or are not reasonably possible (subs. (b)(3)). Prohibit the use of restraint devices for the purpose of retaliation (subs. (b)(4)). Prohibit prone position after application of a restraint device (subs. (b)(5)). Prohibit restraint on laboring or delivering youth, or youth in postpartum recovery by the wrist, ankles, or both, unless deemed necessary for the safety and security of the youth, the staff, or the public, pursuant to Penal Code section 3407 and prohibit restraint of pregnant youth and youth in postpartum recovery by leg irons, waist chains, or handcuffs behind the body, pursuant to Penal Code section 3407 (subs. (b)(6) and (b)(7)). Require the decision whether to approve application of restraint devices to be documented and based upon individual assessment of the need to apply restraints that includes consideration of less	

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		Attachment F.1 – Pg. 43 Attachment V – Pgs. 3-135	restrictive alternatives, the youth's known medical or mental health conditions, and trauma-informed approaches (subs. (b)(9)), Reduce the timeframe required to review and document continued retention of restraint devices from one hour to a minimum of every 30 minutes (subs. (b)(10)). Reduce the timeframe required to obtain the medical opinion on the safety of placement and retention from two hours to one hour and clarify the medical opinion is to be in-person (subs. (b)(11)). Require the maximum amount of time to obtain a mental health consultation from four hours to one hour (subs. (b)(12)). Require a log to document use of restraint devices (subs. (b)(13)). Require policies and procedures to address mental conditions and remove "/or" and "and/or" to remove ambiguous language (subs. (c)(1)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to PC § 3407 and WIC § 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** The impact will be minimal; facilities will need to update policy and procedure manuals. ***Fiscal Impact***: None Anticipated.	

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39	Article 5 § 1358.5 Use of Restraint Devices for Movement and Transportation Within the Facility Pg. 74	Require clear justification for why less restrictive means could not be used before restraints are used. Require a process for notifying a youth's parent/guardian, attorney, or social worker when a youth is placed in restraints for movement and transportation. Clarify that consideration of safety and security is extended to the youth instead of just the facility. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 55 Attachment B – Pg. 11 Attachment F – Pg. 5 Attachment F.1 – Pg. 44	Clarify "restraints shall not be used unless there is clear justification of why less restrictive alternatives were not feasible" (subs. (c)). Consider safety and security of youth and staff in policies and procedures for use of restraint devices for movement and transportation within the facility (subs. (d)). Replace Penal Code section 6030(f) with 3407 for consistency with revisions proposed throughout regulations (subs. (e)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to PC § 3407 and WIC § 222. ***Operational Impact:*** None Anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None Anticipated.	

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40	Article 5 § 1359 Safety Room Procedures Pgs. 75-76	Specify that youth are to be evaluated no less than every four hours. Use of a safety room must therefore comply with any additional provisions in Section 1354.5 and WIC Section 208.3 ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 55 Attachment B – Pg. Attachment L – Pg. 11	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Require cooperation with the behavioral or mental health director in development and implementation of written policies and procedures for use of safety rooms and remove the provision to allow use of safety room when a youth exhibits behavior which results in the destruction of property (subs. (a)). Clarify safety room door is to remain unlocked and open (subs. (a)(3)). Require immediate mental health consultation (subs. (a)(4)). Require completion of an individualized plan upon placement in a safety room, or as soon as practical, to reintegrate youth into the general population, rather than only when a youth's placement in a safety room must be extended beyond 4 hours. Additionally, require that the individualized plan include input from the youth (subs. (a)(5)). Require documentation of date and time of placement in a safety room (subs. (a)(6)). Require youth to be returned to general population with a safety plan in place if the youth has been held in the safety room for a period of four hours (subs. (c)) and if placement must be extended beyond four hours, the facility administrator's approval for continued placement must be documented and mental health staff shall evaluate the youth to determine the need for continued placement or transfer to a treatment facility (subs. (d)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** The impact will be minimal as many facilities already document justifications for using restraints. ***Fiscal Impact***: None Anticipated.	

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41	Article 5 § 1360 Searches Pg. 77	Require documentation of the outcome of a strip search to track contraband, if any. Add nonbinary and gender nonconforming youth to this subsection (f). ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 56 Attachment B – Pg. 11 Attachment L – Pg. 11	Searches shall not be conducted for retaliation or humiliation (subs. (b)). Correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations (subs. (c) and (f)). Require searches of nonbinary and gender nonconforming youth to comply with section 1352.5 (subs. (f)). Youth shall have access to a written search policy at any time, including the policy on who may perform searches, consistent with enacted amendments made by AB 2417 (Chapter 786, Statutes of 2022) (subs. (h)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to PC § 4030 and WIC § 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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42	Article 5 § 1361 Grievance Procedure Pgs. 78-79	Specify that the grievance form is linguistically appropriate. Provide staff with clear guidelines for investigation, analysis, and communication regarding grievance. Permit youth to have their attorney or another person of their choosing to assist with filing a grievance. Written response to a grievance should include how to file an appeal. Add attorney and social worker as individuals whose concerns will be addressed and documented regardless of whether a grievance is filed. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 26 Attachment B – Pg. 11 Attachment L – Pg. 12 Attachment Q – Pgs. 15-16	Replace “whereby any” with “ensuring the right of each” and “may” with “to file” for clarity and clarify that the timeframe for filing grievance is limited to while in custody (subs. (a)). Require a “linguistically appropriate” grievance form (subs. (a)(1)). Require multiple methods for a youth to confidentially or anonymously file a grievance (subs. (a)(2)). Clarify that staff representatives approved by the facility administrator are required to assist the youth in preparing or responding to a grievance and youth may also contact their attorney for assistance (subs. (a)(3)). Replace “his/her” with “their” to ensure that the language is contemporary, people-centered, gender neutral, and consistent throughout (subs. (a)(5)(A)). The provision for written response to a grievance must include how and when the grievance was resolved and a notice of right to appeal (subs. (a)(6)). Include attorneys and social workers as person’s whose concerns shall be addressed and documented (subs. (b)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** Impact will be minimal; facility policies and procedures may require updates. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
43	Article 5 § 1361.1 Office of Youth and Community Restoration Ombudsperson (new) Pg. 80	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Add a new section regarding the Office of Youth and Community Restoration (OYCR) Ombudsperson to include enacted amendments made by SB 823 (Ch. 337, 2020). Include NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 210, 875, and 885, and add “reference” to WIC § 209, 224.71, 224.72, and 2200. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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44	Article 5 § 1362 Reporting of Incidents Pg. 81	Require a written report of all incidents which result in a youth's separation, confinement, or restraint. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 56 Attachment B – Pg.	Require documentation of reasons for authorizing additional time to submit a written record of all incidents described in this section beyond the end of the shift. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
45	Article 5 § 1363 Use of Reasonable Force to Collect DNA Specimens, Samples, Impressions Pg. 82	The prior written authorization should indicate the offender was asked in a linguistically appropriate manner (as defined in § 1302) as well as date, time, location and who made the request. Immediately prior to cell extractions, require an officer to ask youth, while being videotaped, to comply with the request. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 56 Attachment B – Pg. 11	Correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase (subs. (a)) and replaced "cell" with "room" (subs. (b)(1)) for consistency throughout the regulations. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to PC § 296 and 298.1. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
46	Article 6 § 1370 Education Programs Pgs. 83-89	Provide youth with access to dual enrollment, postsecondary education, and vocational training opportunities. Incorporate requirements specified under Education Code § 48647, WIC § 851.1 and § 16501.1(g)(22). Educational programs should reflect a long-term education strategy that provides youth with higher education and vocational education	**Education SME Workgroup section.** Add subsections for clarity and included reference to dual-enrollment and career technical educational courses where appropriate. Require the facility administrator or designee to provide a copy of the annual review required by subs. (b) to the BSCC (subs. (b)). Require policies and procedure to address school attendance, including timely transportation (subs. (c)(7)). Add rights of individuals with disabilities (subs. (c)(9)(A) through (c)(9)(C)). Require youth identified as English Learners (EL) to be afforded an educational program that addresses their language needs pursuant	

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		Ensure college credits earned will transfer to community schools, colleges, and universities. Provide youth with reentry transition support/resources for re-enrolling after release from detention. Provide tablets. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 37 Attachment B – Pg. 12 Attachment C – Pg. 3 Attachment F – Pg. 5 Attachment F.1 – Pgs. 50-51 Attachment L – Pgs. 12-14 Attachment Q – Pgs. 16-18 Attachment R – Pgs. 2-4	to all applicable state and federal laws and regulations governing programs for EL students (subs. (c)(10)). Expand on postsecondary education opportunities, including those outlined in WIC section 858 and for transition and re-entry planning (subs. (c)(11)) and require the facility administrator to ensure operational procedures do not interfere with time afforded for postsecondary education (sub. (c)(12)). Facility administration shall provide access to computers and internet to youth enrolled in college coursework, including those in dual enrollment programs, for class time and outside of class hours to complete coursework between classes (subs. (c)(13)). Clarify that "probation staff" are responsible for advising juvenile court school staff of decisions that may affect educational programming of students and written documentation of the decision must be provided to school staff by the end of the school day (subs. (d)(2)). Add reference to Individuals with Disabilities Education Act (IDEA) and replace forward slashes (/) with "or" to remove ambiguous language (subs. (d)(3)). Require policies and procedures to be developed in conjunction with behavioral health staff and include reference to examples of additional interventions for students who may have continued difficulty completing schooldays (subs. (d)(4)). Require education, probation, and behavioral health staff to review the youth's development case plan and educational plan with the youth if a youth develops a pattern of the inability to complete an educational school day program (subs. (d)(5)) and such youth shall be entitled to receive educational assistance throughout the school day and the opportunity to complete their schoolwork in an environment that supports learning development (subs. (d)(6)). Require youth to be enrolled in school on the first school day after admission to the juvenile facility based on the educational staff's assessment to determine proper placement (subs. (e)(1)). Clarify that the youth shall be interviewed "by County of Education staff on the first attended school day" (subs. (e)(2)), and that youth	

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			who have completed high school shall be offered postsecondary education opportunities (subs. (e)(3)). Clarify that the County Office of Education is responsible for developing the preliminary education plan within 5 days for youth enrolled in juvenile court school (subs. (e)(4)(A)) and probation is responsible for developing the preliminary education plan within 5 days for youth with a high school diploma, high school certification of completion, California high school equivalency certification, or with postsecondary experience (subs. (e)(4)(B)). For each youth detained for more than 20 consecutive schooldays, require the County Office of Education to develop an individualized transition plan in collaboration with the county probation department, as needed (subs. (g)(1)). The individualized transition plan shall be developed before the youth's release and reviewed and revised as needed, and shall address, but not be limited to the academic, behavioral, social-emotional, and career needs of the youth and identification and engagement of programs, including higher educational programs, services, and individuals to support a youth's successful transition into and out of the juvenile detention facility (subs. (g)(1)(A)-(g)(1)(B). Require transition policies and procedures to include collaboration with relevant local educational agencies to improve communication regarding dates of release and to coordinate immediate school placement and enrollment as well as to ensure the transfer of credits between placements (subs. (g)(3) and (g)(4)). Require youth's education rights holder to be be given a copy of their educational records upon the youth's release from the facility, including school transcripts, the youth's individualized learning plan, IEP or 504 plan, if applicable, academic or vocational assessments, an analysis of credits completed and needed, and any certificates or diplomas earned by the youth (subs. (g)(5)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71 and 858. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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47	Article 6 § 1371 Programs, Recreation, and Exercise Pg. 90-91	Increase minimum hours for programs, recreation, and exercise from three to six hours. Increase weekend outdoor activity from one hour to two hours. Indicate time for breakfast, lunch, and dinner do not account for time spent outside rooms. Provide alternative programming for youth who are suspended from programming. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment B – Pg. 13 Attachment E – Pg. 4 Attachment E.1 – Pgs. 60-62 Attachment F – Pg. 6 Attachment F.1 – Pgs. 52-53 Attachment L – Pg. 15 Attachment Q – Pgs. 4-7	Require outdoor activity for two hours during each Saturday, Sunday, or other non-school days, weather permitting (subs. (b)). Correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase and insert reference to newly proposed § 1355.5, Transition and Reentry (subs. (c)). Expand list of possible programs to include gender expansive programming (subs. (c)(13)), reentry support, financial literacy, and vocational and job-readiness training (subs. (c)(17) – (c)(19)). Require the program, recreation, and exercise schedule to be up-to-date and posted in living units (subs. (f)). Require documentation when youth's participation in program, recreation, and exercise is temporarily limited, including the reason for the temporary limitation (subs. (g)) and clarify that any separation that occurs must comply with § 1354, Separation. Require written annual review of available programs, recreation, and exercise, including feedback from the youth population (subs. (h)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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48	Article 6 § 1372 Religious Program Pg. 92	Ensure staff actively expand opportunity for faith-based programs beyond those already available to youth. Require religious programs to provide for availability to spiritual mentors rather than only clergy. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment E – Pg. 5 Attachment E.1 – Pg. 63 Attachment F.1 – Pg. 54	Require "a variety of" religious services "or" religious counseling at least once each week, clarify attendance is voluntary, and replace "he/she" with "the youth" for contemporary, people-centered, gender neutral, and consistent language throughout (opening paragraph). Require religious programs to provide opportunity for youth to use and possess religious or sacred objects during participation in religious services or practices (subs. (a)). Replace "clergy" with "religious officials, mentors, healers, or advisors" (subs. (b)) to align with the revision in subs (a) to provide a variety of religious services. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 209 and 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
49	Article 6 § 1373 Voluntary Work Program Pg. 93	Work program should offer on the job training and apprenticeship programs to help youth participate in the workforce. Work programming should allow youth the opportunity to earn fair wages. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pgs. 41, 42, 57 Attachment C – Pg. 3	Include "Voluntary" when referring to work program to clarify that participation is voluntary (throughout). Require documentation reflecting completion of voluntary work programs (subs. (a)(3)). Require fair wage if the voluntary work program allows for compensation (subs. (a)(4)). Require written annual review of voluntary work programs, including consideration of feedback from youth (subs. (b)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 209. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
50	Article 6 § 1374 Visiting Pgs. 94-96	Increase minimum number of visiting hours. Support visitation to the greatest extent possible.	Require "as many in-person visits and visitors as facility schedules, space, and number of personnel will allow" (subs. (a)). Added siblings and extended family members as persons youth shall be allowed to receive visits from without being considered a	

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		Require facilities to provide prompt access to youth by attorneys and the ombudsperson. Specify that a visitor's criminal history only represents a risk if they have an active, pending, or ongoing case but not simply due to their backgrounds. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pgs. 42-43 Attachment B – Pg. 13 Attachment C – Pg. 7 Attachment E – Pg. 5 Attachment E.1 – Pg. 64 Attachment F – Pg. 6 Attachment F.1 – Pg. 55 Attachment L – Pg. 16 Attachment Q – Pgs. 10-11	special visit (subs. (b)), consistent with enacted amendments made by AB 2417 (Chapter 786, Statutes of 2022). Permit youth to receive visits from supportive adults unless there is a documented reason to deny the visit (subs. (c)), rather than requiring a supportive adult to obtain approval from the facility manager or designee. Require provision for youth to have an opportunity for a minimum of two visits each week (subs. (d)), in addition to the existing requirement for youth to have an opportunity for a minimum of two hours of visiting per week. Require special visits to be accommodated unless the facility manager has determined and documented that an operational or safety and security concern exists (subs. (e)), rather than requiring prior approval from the facility manager. Require the facility administrator or designee to document its efforts to identify potential visitors and reduce logistical barriers to visitation when a youth has not received a visit for 90 calendar days (subs. (k)). Prohibit visitation from being denied unless the facility administrator or designee has determined that the visitor presents a direct threat to the safety of youth or staff (subs. (l)) and require the facility administrator to regularly review denials and document such review (subs. (l)(3)). Prohibition cancelling visitation, unless the facility administrator has determined that an operational or safety and security concern exists (subs. (m)), require documentation and notification of cancelled visits (subs. (m)(1) – (m)(3)), and require the facility administrator to regularly review cancelled visits and document such review (subs. (m)(4)). Require visiting hours and requirements for visitors, including restrictions, to be up-to-date, publicly posted, and provided to all approved visitors (subs. (n)). Require copies of the Youth Bill of Rights to be available in visiting areas, and upon request, to parents or guardians pursuant to WIC § 224.72.	

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			Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71 and 224.72. ***Operational Impact:*** Youth would be entitled to have an opportunity for a minimum of two visits each week, in addition to the existing requirement for a minimum of two hours per week. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
51	Article 6 § 1375 Correspondence Pg. 97	Increase the minimum number of letters allowed to be sent postage free. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 43 Attachment L – Pg. 16	Increase the minimum number of letters from two to seven per week (subs. (b)). Require youth have access to writing materials (subs. (c)). Expand the list of parties' youth may correspond confidentially with to include attorneys and their authorized representatives, ombudspersons, other advocates, and legal service organizations, consistent with enacted amendments made by AB 2417 (Chapter 786, Statutes of 2022) and clarify that opening and inspecting such mail for contraband must be done in a manner to prevent inadvertent reading of the contents (subs. (d)). Require documentation of facts used as reasonable cause to read incoming and outgoing mail (subs. (e)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71 and 2200. ***Operational Impact:*** Impact will be minimal. The additional five letters and access to writing materials in subsections (b) and (c) were approved by a previous ESC; many facilities already provide for those requirements. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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52	Article 6 § 1376 Telephone Access Pg. 98	Provide free phone and video calls. Specify the minimum number of occurrences youth are permitted to attempt phone calls. Specify that youth be granted a minimum number of minutes per each phone call made. List OYCR Ombudsperson phone number next to each phone. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 44 Attachment B – Pg. 13 Attachment C – Pg. 7 Attachment D – Pgs. 20-21 Attachment E.1 – Pg. 65 Attachment F – Pg. 6 Attachment F.1 – Pg. 56 Attachment L – Pg. 16	Require accessible, functional voice communication services be provided free of charge to the person initiating and the person receiving the communication, consistent with enacted amendments made by SB 1008 (Chapter 827, Statutes of 2022) (subs. (a)). Provide opportunity for daily telephone access during unstructued time and accomodation for telephone access during structured time (subs. (b)). Allow youth to make and receive confidential phone calls with attorneys and their authorized representatives, ombudspersons, other advocates, holders of public office, state and federal court personnel, and legal service organizations (subs. (c)). This addition is consistent with enacted amendments made by AB 2417 (Chapter 786, Statutes of 2022) and with section 1375 regarding correspondence. Youth's right to telephone access shall not be suspended as a form of punishment, discipline, or retaliation (subs. (d)), consistent with enacted amendments made by AB 2417 (Chapter 786, Statutes of 2022). Require facilities to post OYCR's contact information near all phones and preload it in each youth's telephone account where preloaded contact telephone systems are used (subs. (e)). Require quarterly testing of phones to ensure youth have access to the Ombudsperson phone line (subs. (f)). Allow youth to make unlimited phone calls to the Ombudsperson without being counted toward a youth's personal phone call entitlement (subs. (g)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875, remove outdated legislative bills, and add "reference" to WIC § 208.1, 209, 224.71 and 2200. ***Operational Impact:*** Policies and procedures for telephone access will need to be updated to incorporate the changes described, most of which are required by statute. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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53	Article 6 § 1377 Access to Legal Services Pg. 99	Require no-cost access to legal correspondence. Require juvenile facilities to provide contact visiting for attorneys ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment B – Pg. 13 Attachment D – Pgs. 22-23	Clarify that confidential consultation includes making and receiving telephone calls, sending and receiving confidential legal correspondence, and having confidential visits with attorneys and their authorized representatives (subs. (b)), consistent with enacted amendments made by AB 2417 (Chapter 786, Statutes of 2022) and section 1375 Correspondence. Clarify that staff may open and inspect legal correspondence only to search for contraband in a manner to prevent inadvertent reading of the contents and in the present (subs. (d)) consistent with section 1375 Correspondence. The facility may provide access to technology as a supplement or alternative, but not as a replacement, for in-person visits with attorneys and their authorized representatives (subs. (e)), consistent with section 1374 Visiting. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875, remove outdated legislative bills, and add "reference" to WIC § 209 and 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** Policies and procedures for access to legal services will need to be updated to incorporate the changes described. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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54	Article 6 § 1378 Voting (new) Pg. 100	None. ***Attachment(s):*** N/A	This new section outlines minimum standards to be included in the facility administrator's written policies and procedures to ensure the right of eligible youth to register to vote and cast a ballot in all elections, in accordance with sections 2105.7 and 2300, of the Elections Code. The minimum standards required to be included are identification of youth eligible to vote or pre-register to vote (subs. (a)), providing an affidavit of registration to each eligible youth (subs. (b)), providing assistance with updating voter registration (subs. (c)), returning complete affidavits of registration and voting ballets to the county elections official in a timely manner (subs. (d) and (f)), a process for casting ballots, including provisions for secret voting, youth's ability to request assistance, replacement of spoiled ballots, and casting provisional ballots as needed (subs. (e)), and a provision of nonpartisan voter education materials to youth (subs. (g)). Include NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 210, 875, and 885 and add "reference" to WIC § 209 and Election Code § 2101, 2105.7 and 2300. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. This requirement is not new, but was not previously in regulations, therefore the facility may need to update its policies and procedures for voting. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
55	Article 7 Pg. 101	None. ***Attachment(s):*** N/A	Change the title of the article from "Discipline" to "Behavior Management." This revision is reflected throughout the regulation text, where appropriate. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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56	Article 7 § 1390 Behavior Management Pg. 101-102	Any discipline imposed on youth shall be both trauma-informed and disability-informed. Ensure youth cannot be deprived of access to clean drinking fountain, toilet, personal hygiene items, phone calls and outdoor time. Revise youth discipline to reduce and eliminate violent attacks on youth and officers. Youth with serious behavioral issues or assaultive behavior on other youth or officers need to face consequences. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 58 Attachment B – Pg. 14 Attachment E.1 – Pgs. 66-67 Attachment L – Pg. 16 Attachment N – Pgs. 5-6	Replace the term “discipline” with “behavior management” or “consequences” as appropriate for clarity. Require access to drinking water for youth (subs. (b)), rather than drinking fountain. Add guardians, persons standing in loco parentis, siblings, children of the youth, extended family members, and ombudspersons as persons a youth shall not be deprived of contact with (subs. (d)) and add “reading material” (subs. (l)) and “the right to telephone access” (subs. (m)) to the list of what youth shall not be deprived, to include enacted amendments made by AB 2417 (Chapter 786, Statutes of 2022). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** Impact will be minimal; changes update terms and incorporate statutory requirements. Facilities may need to update policies and procedures. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
57	Article 7 § 1391 Behavior Management Process Pg. 103	Include disability-informed approaches to discipline. Add requirement to track and report discipline, including alleged violations, kind of discipline imposed, and outcome of the administrative review process, if any. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 58 Attachment B – Pg. 14	Replace the term “discipline” with “behavior management” or “consequences” as appropriate for clarity. Require violations that result in a temporary removal from camp, but not a return to court or removal from the program, will follow the due process provisions for a major rule violation (subs. (g)), rather than a minor rule violation. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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58	Article 8 § 1400 Responsibility for Health Care Services Pg. 104	Include safeguards to prevent the overuse of medication-based treatments that promote chemical dependencies in dealing with life's stressors. Adopt revisions to address environmental factors and facility practices that could mitigate needs for medications like sleeping aids, e.g., turning lights off for at least 8 hours, avoiding unnecessary noise by staff, ensuring a comfortable sleeping arrangement, and addressing temperature issues in a timely manner. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 59 Attachment C – Pg. 5	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Replace forward slash (/) with "or" within the term "behavioral or mental health director" for consistency with the term defined in § 1302. Replace the term "assure" with "ensure" for proper grammar (subs. (d)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875, remove outdated legislative bills, and add "reference" to WIC § 209. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
59	Article 8 § 1401 Patient Treatment Decisions Pg. 105	Reference the right to consent to treatment by the youth or their parent/guardian. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 59 Attachment B – Pg.	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Replace "decisions" with "recommendations," "license" with "practice," and "facility" with "health care administration" for clarity and correct grammar. Require patient decisions to be made in consultation with the youth and, if appropriate, their parent, guardian, or person standing in loco parentis. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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60	Article 8 § 1402 Scope of Health Care Pg. 106	Include the obligation to ensure that care continues for youth who enter with health needs that are already being treated or have needs identified. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 59 Attachment B – Pg. 14	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Require the health care provided within the facility to meet the community standard level of care (subs. (a)). Require health care services address acute “and chronic” conditions, and replace “avoid preventable deterioration of health while in confinement” with “provide preventative care, and promote overall health and well-being” for clarity (subs. (a)(2)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add “reference” to WIC § 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
61	Article 8 § 1403 Health Care Monitoring and Audits Pg. 107	System monitoring and auditing should include external oversight and checks. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 59	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Require cooperation with the behavioral or mental health director in developing and implementing written policy and procedures for collection of statistical data, for submission of annual summaries to the facility administrator (subs. (a)), and for annual assessment of health care services, including input from the youth residing in the facility (subs. (b)). Require an annual written report be submitted to the BSCC Board and the local health officer (subs. (d)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875, remove outdated legislative bills, and add “reference” to WIC § 209 and 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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62	Article 8 § 1404 Health Care Staff Qualifications Pg. 108	None. ***Attachment(s):*** N/A	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Require cooperation with the behavioral or mental health director in developing and implementing policy and procedure to require State licensure, certification, or registration requirements and restrictions that apply in the community, also apply to health care personnel who provide services to youth (subs. (b)). Replace “assure” with “ensure” for correct grammar (subs. (d)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875, remove outdated legislative bills, and add “reference” to WIC § 209 and 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
63	Article 8 § 1405 Health Care Staff Procedures Pg. 109	None. ***Attachment(s):*** N/A	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875, remove outdated legislative bills, and add “reference” to WIC § 209 and 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
64	Article 8 § 1406 Health Care Records Pg. 110	Require that treatment providers outside of the facility be identified so they can provide continuity of care where possible. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 60 Attachment B – Pg. 14	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Replace forward slashes (/) with appropriate terms for clarity. Require health care records to include “contact information of the youth’s community-based providers, if known or to the extent available” (subs. (o)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875, remove outdated legislative bills, and add “reference” to WIC § 209 and 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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65	Article 8 § 1407 Confidentiality Pg. 111-112	Include any other applicable state and federal law on confidentiality. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 60 Attachment B – Pg. 14	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Require cooperation with the behavioral or mental health director in the establishment of policy and procedures for the multi-disciplinary sharing of health information and that such policies and procedures apply to providing information to education staff, in addition to the court, youth supervision staff, and probation officers (subs. (a)). Add reference to laws for confidentiality and information sharing, including to the Health Insurance Portability and Accountability Act, Public Law 104-191, Confidentiality of Substance Use Disorder Patient Records, 42 Code of Federal Regulations Part 2, and the Confidentiality of Medical Information Act, Civil Code section 56.36 (subs. (a)), and Welfare and Institutions Code section 827 (subs. (b)). Require a copy of any authorization for release of information to be provided to the youth's attorney upon request and in accordance with applicable laws (subs. (e)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875, remove outdated legislative bills, and add "reference" to Civil Code § 56.36, 42 Code of Federal Regulations Part 2, Public Law 104-191, and WIC § 224.71 and 827. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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66	Article 8 § 1408 Transfer of Health Care Summary and Records Pg. 113	The time-sensitive required notification only involves communicable diseases, but youth's conditions that affect their care should be included. Include any other applicable state and federal law on confidentiality. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 60 Attachment B – Pg. 14	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Replace “assure” with “require” for correct grammar (opening paragraph). Require notification to health care staff of the receiving facility when there is a youth with known or suspected communicable diseases “or other high-risk conditions, including but not limited to suicidal tendencies, ongoing medical prescriptions, medical dietary restrictions, disability status and accommodations, or health conditions which may require immediate medical intervention, monitoring or accommodations.” (subs. (c)). Add “person standing in loco parentis” to parents and guardians as a person who may provide authorization for transferring copies of health records (subs. (d)), for consistency throughout the regulations. Add that health records be maintained “consistent with all applicable state and federal laws” (subs. (e)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875, remove outdated legislative bills, and add “reference” to WIC § 209. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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67	Article 8 § 1408.5 Request for Transfer of Health Care Summary and Record After Release Pg. 114	Requirement for "written authorization" may impede ability for youth to receive treatment in the community Include necessary provisions for compliance with CalAIM. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 60 Attachment B – Pg. 14	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Replace “After youth are released to the community, health record information shall be promptly transmitted to specific physicians or health care facilities in the community, upon request and with the written authorization of the youth and/or parent/guardian” with “Health care summary and records shall be promptly released upon request and with written authorization from the youth, parent, guardian, or person standing in loco parentis” and replace “assure with “ensure” for correct grammar and clarity. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
68	Article 8 § 1409 Health Care Procedures Manual Pg. 115	Require that a body outside of the facility provides review of these critical policies and procedures. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 60 Attachment B – Pg. 14	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Require cooperation with the “responsible physician and behavioral or mental health director” in the development, implementation, and maintenance of the facility-specific health services manual (para. one). Required the health care delivery system review to include consideration of the reports and recommendations prepared for the health care monitoring and audits under section 1403 (para. three). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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69	Article 8 § 1410 Management of Communicable Diseases Pg. 116	Add stronger protections around COVID, e.g., requirements for staff to get vaccinated. Consult with pediatricians and clinicians with expertise in the psychosocial implications of the pandemic and treatment for youth. Cover all of the issues needed to keep staff and youth safe in the facility, protections in relation to people coming in and out of the facility, ways to reduce facility population during epidemic or pandemic, and ways to mitigate the impact of needed adjustments in facility operations. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 31 Attachment B – Pg. 15 Attachment D – Pg. 24	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Replace forward slash (/) with "or" for consistency throughout regulations (para. one.), and require strategies for handling disease outbreaks include policies and procedures to ensure isolation or quarantine is limited to the shortest amount of time required (subs. (g)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact*:** None anticipated.	
70	Article 8 § 1411 Access to Treatment Pg. 117	Provide guidance for how youth will access treatment services. Require related policy and procedures to be presented to the public with timeline for implementation. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A -Pg. 61 Attachment B – Pg. 15 Attachment E.1 – Pg. 76	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Replace "provide" with "ensure" for correct grammar and add clarifying language, "Youth shall receive a timely clinical judgement by a qualified health care professional within their scope of practice, and receive the ordered care from an individual qualified within their scope of competency to provide such care." Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875, remove outdated legislative bills, and add "reference" to WIC § 209 and 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact*:** None anticipated.	

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71	Article 8 § 1412 First Aid/AED and Emergency Response Pg. 118	None. ***Attachment(s):*** N/A	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Replace forward slash (/) with “or” for consistency throughout regulations, replace “assure” with “require” for correct grammar, and add “facility staff shall provide emergency services until qualified emergency services arrive” for clarification (opening paragraph). Require opioid antagonist to be readily available (subs. (c)). Require policies and procedures specific to emergency services to include provisions for notification to and responsibilities of health care staff and non-health care staff, emergency transport of the youth from the facility, and where emergency care shall be rendered (subs. (d)(1)-(3)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875, remove outdated legislative bills, and add “reference” to WIC § 209 and 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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72	Article 8 § 1413 Individualized Treatment Plans Pg. 119-120	Restructure the lettering and numbering. Provide comprehensive health plan and connect youth health needs to services that the youth has received in the community. Require staff to actively work with youth to take all steps towards continuity of care that can be taken prior to the youth's release that the youth would otherwise have to complete after release. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 61 Attachment B – Pg. 15	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Replace forward slashes (/) with "or" to remove ambiguity and for consistency throughout regulations and replace "assure" with "require" for correct grammar (subs. (a)). Clarify that reasonable accommodations shall be provided prior to limiting youth participation (subs. (a)(2)). Correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations, add "and applicable state and federal laws related to information sharing" and "disability accommodations" for clarity (subs. (a)(3)). Require accommodations for "any activities of daily living" for youth who may have special needs (subs. (a)(4)). Require the treatment plan to address or suggest alternative when healthcare services are outside the scope of practice or competency of the providers. Replace "discharge" with "reentry" for consistency throughout the regulations and replace the forward slash (/) with "and" to remove ambiguity. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
73	Article 8 § 1414 Health Clearance for In-Custody Work and Program Assignments Pg. 121	Reflect lessons and requirements related to the pandemic to ensure that youth are better protected. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 61 Attachment B – Pg. 15	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Replace forward slash (/) with "or" to separate the terms "health administrator" and "responsible physician." Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875, remove outdated legislative bills, and add "reference" to WIC § 209. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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74	Article 8 § 1415 Health Education Pg. 122	Ensure young people are providing input into the health education provided or that information is provided in languages that youth understand. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 61 Attachment B – Pg. 15	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Replace “assure” with “require” for proper grammar and clarify that medical, behavioral, mental health, and dental health education and disease prevention programs must be provided to youth “in an age and linguistically appropriate manner.” (para. one). Require the education program updates to consider feedback from the youth when feasible (para. two). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875, remove outdated legislative bills, and add “reference” to WIC § 209 and 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
75	Article 8 § 1416 Reproductive Services and Sexual Health Pg. 123	Provided the same information about reproductive services and sexual health as required for youth in foster care pursuant to the Foster Youth Sexual Health Education Act. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 61 Attachment B – Pg.	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Replace “assure” with “require” for proper grammar and correct the case of “section” from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875, remove outdated legislative bills, and add “reference” to HSC § 123450 and WIC § 220, 221, 222 and 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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76	Article 8 § 1417 Pregnant/Post-Partum Youth Pg. 124	It should be clarified that this provision includes fathers. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 61 Attachment B – Pg. 16	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Add reference to Welfare and Institutions Code sections 220, 221, 222 for requirements for pregnant and post-partum youth and Penal Code section 3407 for requirements regarding limitations on the use of restraint devices on pregnant and post-partum youth (para. one). Require written policies and procedures to include pregnant youth receive counseling and assistance (subs. (a)) and laboratory and diagnostic tests (subs. (b)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
77	Article 8 § 1418 Youth with Developmental Disabilities Pg. 125	Reference the right to request reasonable accommodations. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 62 Attachment B – Pg. 16	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Remove "/or" from "and/or" to remove ambiguity. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875, remove outdated legislative bills, and add "reference" to WIC § 209 and 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
78	Article 8 § 1430 Medical Clearance/Intake Health and Screening Pgs. 126-127	Include behavioral health needs in screening. Consult medical experts. Should reflect COVID-19 and similar communicable diseases. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 62 Attachment B – Pg. 16	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Rename the section to "Health Care Clearance and Intake Health Screening" for consistency with the terms used in the section. Replace forward slashes with "or" to remove ambiguous language. Additional revisions include a requirement that polices, and procedures are developed and implemented rather than just established, in addition to clarifying the order of events that occur for health care clearance and intake health screening - health care clearance occurs prior to an intake health screening and acceptance for booking (subs. (a)).	

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			Clarify acceptance of a youth "for booking," remove "without a documented medical clearance," and replace "safely hold the youth" with "hold the youth safely" for clarity and correct grammar (subs. (a)(1)). Remove "and clearance for booking" – it is unnecessary given that a health care clearance is required at the facility prior to booking (subs. (a)(1)(A)). Clarify the order of events and necessary documents required to sufficiently create a record of why a youth would not be accepted for booking or entry into the facility (subs. (a)(1)(B)). Remove "procedures for an" – it is not longer necessary given the reorganization of the section, add "to be" for clarity, and replace "may" with "shall" to require the health screening to be performed by health care personnel, or when health care personnel are not available, a trained youth supervision staff (subs. (a)(2)) Replace forward slash (/) with "and" to remove ambiguous language (subs. (a)(2)(A)) and require the intake health screening procedure to include identification of "behavioral health" (subs. (a)(2)(C)) and the need for medical attention or medical evaluation (subs. (a)(2)(D)). Require a referral for medical attention or medical evaluation, or other necessary health care services, to commensurate with the nature of the illness, injury, complaint, or other health care need identified during the health care clearance and intake health screening process (subs. (a)(3)). Add "medical" to specify a "medical evaluation" for clarity and add "separation shall be no longer than necessary to address the health risk and shall conform to public health standards for preventing the spread of communicable diseases" (subs. (a)(4)). Clarify requirement that policies and procedures must be developed and implemented for health care clearance, medical evaluation, and communicable disease screening for all adjudicated youth who are confined in any juvenile facility for successive stays, each of which totals less than 96 hours, prior to the beginning of their next stay (subs. (b)).	

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			Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875, remove outdated legislative bills, and add "reference" to WIC § 209 and 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
79	Article 8 § 1431 Intoxicated Youth and Youth with a Substance Use Disorder Pg. 128	None. ***Attachment(s):*** N/A	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Replace forward slashes (/) with either "or" or "and" to remove ambiguous language and correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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80	Article 8 § 1432 Health Assessment Pgs. 129-130	Consult medical experts. Should reflect COVID-19 and similar communicable diseases. The health assessment should identify ongoing care needs that should be addressed while the youth is in the facility. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 62 Attachment B – Pg. 16	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Replace forward slashes (/) with "or" (para. one) to remove ambiguous language and replace "his/her" with "their" (subs. (a)) to ensure that the language is contemporary, people-centered, gender neutral, and consistent throughout. Remove "recent" from "history of recent trauma" because trauma that is not recent is important to be aware of (subs. (a)(1)(A). Clarify that components of the health assessment must be updated as appropriate (subs. (a)(2)). Require the health assessment to include diagnostic and treatment plans for each condition identified in the health assessment as clinically indicated and in accordance with section 1413 (subs. (a)(4)). Replace "assure" with "require" for proper grammar (subs. (c) and (d)) and replace forward slash (/) with "or" between the terms "health administrator" and "responsible physician" for clarity and consistency throughout regulations (subs. (d)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact*:** None anticipated.	

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81	Article 8 § 1433 Requests for Health Care Services Pg. 131	Inform youth about the availability of health care services in an age and linguistically appropriate manner. Allow youth to contact or see a health care provider in the community that they are already connected with to assure continuity of care. Health administrator should ensure that provisions "must" be made for any youth requesting services. Include cultural leaders when we talk about holistic healing. Have a more open contract or communication with alternative hospitals or just alternative care for young people. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 32 Attachment B – Pg. 16 Attachment E – Pg. 5	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Clarify that materials developed to inform youth of the availability of health care services must be "linguistically appropriate." Replace forward slashes (/) with clarifying terms throughout to remove ambiguous language. Require a process by which youth, or their parent or guardian can arrange care in cooperation with the facility manager and designated health care staff if a request is made for community-based health care (subs. (g)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** The impact will be minimal; materials on health care services will need to be updated to age and linguistically appropriate for youth. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
82	Article 8 § 1434 Consent and Refusal for Health Care Pg. 132	None. ***Attachment(s):*** N/A	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Replace forward slashes (/) with clarifying terms throughout to remove ambiguous language and correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71 and 739. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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83	Article 8 § 1435 Dental Care Pg. 133	Consult with dental professionals to ensure the appropriate standard of care and conformity to the standards of the American Academy of Pediatric Dentistry. Revise to semi-annual dental exams for youth detained longer than six months. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 62 Attachment B – Pg. 16 Attachment F.1 – Pg. 74	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Require an initial oral exam to be performed by a dentist within 60 days of admission (subs. (c)). Increase frequency of dental exams from annual to semi-annual for any youth detained for longer than six months, rather than one year (subs. (d)). Require dental care policy and procedures to address continuation of orthodontic care received in the community prior to admission (subs. (e)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** Youth detained for longer than six months would be entitled to more frequency dental exams, specifically semi-annually rather than annually. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
84	Article 8 § 1436 Protheses and Orthopedic Devices Pg. 134	his section should be reviewed by medical professionals to ensure the appropriate standard of care. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 62 Attachment B – Pg. 16	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase (subs. (c)) for consistency throughout the regulations. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC section 875, remove outdated legislative bills, and add "reference" to PC § 2656 and WIC § 209 and 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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85	Article 8 § 1437 Mental Health Services Pgs. 135-136	Include requirements related to providing youth information about available mental health services. Therapeutic services available if needed without any exception (e.g., remove "where resources permit"). Arrange for continued treatment. Allow youth to keep their providers. The three main things that youth said would have been important to their success was family therapy, mentoring and suicide and depression awareness. Youth need people that they could trust like credible Messengers Incorporate SB 832 Screening should only be done by licensed behavioral/mental/medical health personnel. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pgs. 33-34 Attachment B – Pgs. 16-17 Attachment F – Pg. 3 Attachment F.1 – Pgs. 74-75	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Replace forward slashes (/) with clarifying terms throughout to remove ambiguous language. Clarify that screening at intake should only be performed by trained youth supervision staff when health care personnel are unavailable using a validated screening tool and urgent mental health needs identified during the screening process will be addressed within 24 hours (subs. (a)). Require a mental status assessment by a behavioral or mental health provider to occur within 7 days of intake (subs. (b)). Clarify that mental health services include voluntary evaluation by a behavioral or mental health provider when indicated by the screening process, mental health evaluation, or health assessment within 30 days of accepting the offer of services (subs. (c)). Clarify that mental health services shall include "voluntary" therapeutic services and preventive services "according to the needs identified in the assessment process conducted by a behavioral or mental health provider." (subs. (d)). Clarify the requirements for mental status by reordering the subsection, replacing "assessment" with "evaluation" for consistent use of terms, and include reference to in-patient psychiatric care (subs. (h)). Correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations (last para.). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to PC § 4011.8 and WIC § 224.71, 5000 and 6552. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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86	Article 8 § 1437.5 Transfer to a Treatment Facility Pg. 137	Include a provision to require notification to a youth's parent, guardian, and attorney when the youth is transferred to a treatment facility within two hours of the transfer. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 63 Attachment B – Pg. 17	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Replace the forward slash (/) with "or" between "health administrator" and "responsible physician" to remove ambiguous language and for consistency throughout the regulations. Require health care staff to notify probation staff of the need to transfer youth to a treatment staff and require probation staff to notify the youth's parents, guardians, persons standing in loco parentis, spouse, and the youth's attorney of record as soon as practicable in the event of a transfer to a treatment facility (subs. (c)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
87	Article 8 § 1438 Pharmaceutical Management Pgs. 138-139	Clarify the terms administering medication, delivering medication and dispensing and who performs each action. Add provision to ensure that youth have sufficient medication when they are released and are connected with a community based provider. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 63 Attachment B – Pg. 17 Attachment L – Pg. 1	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Replace "administration/delivery of medicines" with "administering and delivering medication" for clarity and consistency with terms defined in section 1302. Replace legend "medications" with legend "drugs" for consistency with the term defined in section 1302 (subs. (b)(2) and (b)(8)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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88	Article 8 § 1439 Psychotropic Medications Pgs. 140-141	Move away from use of psychotropic medications. Ensure sufficient medication upon release. Consult with pediatricians and psychiatrists with expertise in prescribing and administering psychotropic medication. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 35 Attachment B – Pg. 17	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Replace forward slashes (/) throughout to remove ambiguous language and consistency throughout the regulations. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
89	§ 1450 [Repealed] Pg. 142	N/A ***Attachment(s):*** None	Remove NOTE. ***Operational Impact:*** N/A. ***Fiscal Impact***: N/A.	
90	Article 8 § 1452 Collection of Forensic Evidence Pg. 143	Ensure youth are informed of the process for the collection of forensic evidence and any right they may have to consent or refuse its collection. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 63 Attachment B – Pg. 17	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Replace "assuring" with "that require" for correct grammar (para. one). Require policies and procedures to include provision for informing the youth of forensic evidence collection processes and their rights to refuse consent (para. two). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875, remove outdated legislative bills, and add "reference" to WIC § 209 and 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** Impact will be minimal; facilities will need to update policies and procedures and provide youth with forensic evidence collection information. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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91	Article 8 § 1453 Sexual Assaults Pg. 144	Allow youth access to a supportive adult who they identify. Consult with professionals and advocates with expertise in the response and treatment of sexual assault to ensure that policies and procedures do not compound the trauma the youth has faced. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 63 Attachment B – Pg. 17 Attachment E.1 – Pg. 92	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Require a provision for ensuring youth have access to a supportive adult throughout the process of investigation and treatment (para. one). Require all facility staff to be trained on local protocols for the response to sexual assault (para. three). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** The impact will be minimal; facilities may need to update their policies and procedures to facilitate youth access to a supportive adult. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
92	Article 8 § 1454 Participation in Research Pg. 145	None. ***Attachment(s):*** N/A	**Medical and Mental Health SME Workgroup section.** Remove "assurances for" for clarity. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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93	Article 9 § 1460 Frequency of Food Serving Pg. 146	Require at least two hot meals rather than only one. Reduce the number of hours between meals from 14 to 12. Increase the minimum number of minutes to consume food from 20 to 30 minutes. Keep the minimum number of minutes to consumer food at 20 minutes. Require snack availability between meals and upon request ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pgs. 13-15 Attachment B – Pg. 17 Attachment E.1 – Pg. 93 Attachment F – Pg. 4 Attachment F.1 – Pg. 80	**Nutrition SME Workgroup section.** Rename section to “Frequency of Meals and Snacks.” Increase requirement for hot meals from one to two (subs. (a)). Clarify food shall be served to youth if more than 14 hours pass between “the last meal served and breakfast.” (subs. (b)). Require a snack be provided to youth between 2 to 4 hours after “breakfast lunch, and” dinner and to be served separately from meals (subs. (c)). Increase time for actual consumption of each meal from 20 minutes to 30 minutes (subs. (d)). Youth shall not be deprived of meals or snack (subs. (f)), consistent enacted amendments made by AB 2417 (Chapter 786, Statutes of 2022). Youth shall be allowed to converse during meals unless doing so disrupts facility operations or poses a safety or security risk (subs. (g)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875, remove outdated legislative bills, and add “reference” to WIC § 209 and 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** Increase in hot meals and time for actual consumption of meals. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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94	Article 9 § 1461 Minimum Diet Pgs. 147-152	Update to reflect Dietary Guidelines for Americans, 2020- 2025. Separate dairy group from protein, and fruits from vegetables. Snacks should not be considered part of the minimum diet but may complement/supplement it. Require equal access to healthy, protein packed, vegetarian diets. Remove option to deny requests for vegan and vegetarian meals. Specify guidelines for reducing overall added sugar and sodium levels. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pgs. 15-16 Attachment B – Pg. 17 Attachment C – Pgs. 4-5 Attachment E.1 – Pgs. 94-99 Attachment F – Pg. 4 Attachment F.1 – Pg. 81	**Nutrition SME Workgroup section.** Update the minimum diet for consistency with the 2020-2025 Dietary Guidelines for Americans, including changes to serving sizes, examples of foods for each food group, increasing overall calories from 3000 to 3200 (subs. (e)), inserting reference to lactating youth (subs. (e)(1)), including a requirement for added sugars (subs. (g)), and allowing the use of other condiments that comply with nutrition standards (subs. (h)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
95	Article 9 § 1462 Medical Diets Pg. 153	Include the International Dysphagia Diet Standardization Initiative (IDDSI) requirements on how food is rated when diets require food to be pureed, minced, soft, bite-sized, etc. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 17	**Nutrition SME Workgroup section.** Restructure first sentence for clarity. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875, remove outdated legislative bills, add "reference" to WIC § 209 and 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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96	Article 9 § 1463 Menus Pg. 154	Require menu development to include input from youth. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 17 Attachment F – Pg. 4 Attachment F.1 – Pg. 85	**Nutrition SME Workgroup section.** Existing requirements were moved around for clarity and flow. Allow youth input in meal planning where practicable (subs. (a)(4)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875, remove outdated legislative bills, and add "reference" to WIC § 209. ***Operational Impact:*** The impact will be minimal; facilities may need to update policies and procedures on menu planning and include youth in the meal planning process where practicable. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
97	Article 9 § 1464 Food Service Plan Pg. 155	Allow family members to come in and participate in having a meal with a young person or young people within a unit. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 17	**Nutrition SME Workgroup section.** Correct subsection "(l)" by removing the italicized format. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** N/A ***Fiscal Impact***: N/A	
98	Article 9 § 1465 Food Handlers Education and Monitoring Pg. 156	Add a specific minimum number of training/continuing education hours for food handlers to ensure food handlers continue to serve food according to the latest guidelines and standards. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 17	**Nutrition SME Workgroup section.** Update reference to sections 113947.1-113947.3 of the Health and Safety Code and correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to HSC § 113947.1-113947.3. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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99	Article 9 § 1466 Kitchen Facilities, Sanitation, and Food Storage Pg. 157	None. ***Attachment(s):*** N/A	**Nutrition SME Workgroup section.** Update reference from 114009.6 to 114009.65 of the Health and Safety Code (subs. (b)) and correct the case of "section" from capitalized to lowercase for consistency throughout the regulations. . Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to HSC § 114095-114099.65, 114101-114109, 114123, 114125, 114130-114141, 114149-114149.3, 114268-114269, and 114279-114282. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
100	Article 9 § 1467 Food Serving and Supervision Pg. 158	Requiring food to be prepared and/or served under immediate supervision of a staff member is not consistent with creating a home-like environment, so indicate that this requirement should not impede on creating a home-like environment. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 17	**Nutrition SME Workgroup section.** Remove "/or" from "and/or" for clarification that food shall be prepared and served under immediate supervision of a staff member. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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101	Article 10 § 1480 Standard Facility Clothing Issue Pg. 159	Serviceable footwear should include shower shoes as a standard issue by the facility. Clothing should be free of stains and pants should be replaced more often than once a week. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment E – Pg. 5 Attachment F – Pg. 4 Attachment F.1 – Pg. 88 Attachment Q – Pg. 19	**Environmental Health SME Workgroup section.** Require that issued shoes be of an appropriate size, and that appropriate footwear for exercise and showering be provided (Subs. (b)(1)). Clarify that outer garments include pants, shorts, shirts, sweatshirts, and jackets (subs. (b)(2)) and undergarments include undershirts, bras, and underwear (subs. (b)(3)). Ensure clothing appropriate for recreation activities and sleeping are provided (subs. (b)(4)). Youth have access to additional clothing upon request (subs (b)(5)). Clothing issuance shall not be denied or modified as punishment, discipline, or retaliation, consistent with enacted amendments made by AB 2417 (Chapter 786, Statutes of 2022). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** Facilities will need to update its policies and procedures for standard facility clothing issue, as described above. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
102	Article 10 § 1481 Special Clothing Pg. 160	None. ***Attachment(s):*** N/A	**Environmental Health SME Workgroup section.** Replace "minors" with "youth" for consistency throughout regulations. Require issuance of suitable clothing for youth to participate in education or recreational activities. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875, remove outdated legislative bills, and add "reference" to WIC § 209 and 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** The impact will be minimal; facilities may need to update policies and procedures for special clothing considering participation in education and recreation. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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103	Article 10 § 1482 Clothing Exchange Pg. 161	None. ***Attachment(s):*** N/A	**Environmental Health SME Workgroup section.** Require a process for youth to report when personal clothing must be replaced because it is not clean, in good repair, or has stains, holes, or tears. Remove the requirement for clothing to be exchanged each week, and replaced it with the requirement for youth to have access to a set of clean outer garments, undergarments, and socks each day. New requirement for youth to receive their own bras and socks back at exchange, similar to existing requirement to receive their own underwear back at exchange. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** Facilities will need to update its policies and procedures for clothing exchange to ensure youth receive their own bras and socks back at exchange, in addition to the existing requirement for youth to receive their own underwear back. ***Fiscal Impact***: There may be an added cost to keep youth's clothing together, such as laundry loops or bags.	
104	Article 10 § 1483 Clothing, Bedding and Linen Supply Pg. 162	Difficulty finding beds for kids who are on 5585 holds when facilities do not know the youth's charges. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 36	**Environmental Health SME Workgroup section.** Require procedures be developed and implemented and consideration for pregnant youth to be given additional bedding and pillows. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875, remove outdated legislative bills, and add "reference" to WIC § 209 and 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** Facilities will need to update its policies and procedures for clothing, bedding, and linen supply, as described above. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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105	Article 10 § 1484 Control of Vermin in Youths' Personal Clothing Pg. 163	None. ***Attachment(s):*** N/A	**Environmental Health SME Workgroup section.** Remove "/or" from "and/or" to clarify that procedures for control of vermin in youth's personal clothing must address control of contamination and spread of vermin and ectoparasites. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact*:** None anticipated.	
106	Article 10 § 1485 Issue of Personal Care Items Pgs. 164-165	Youth should not be required to share any personal care items. Increase quality of personal care items and include additional items. Personal care items list is too limited and culturally insensitive. Personal care items should be available for resupply daily as needed. Automatically provide necessary sanitary products and allow youth to keep a supply of menstrual products. Include access to a mirror. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 45 Attachment B – Pg. 18 Attachment C – Pgs. 6-7 Attachment F – Pg. 4 Attachment F.1 – Pgs. 89-90 Attachment Q – Pg. 19	**Environmental Health SME Workgroup section.** Require clothing, groom, and hygiene products be adequate and respect the youth's culture, ethnicity, and gender identity and gender expression (subs. (a)), consistent with enacted amendments made by AB 2417 (Chapter 786, Statutes of 2022). Youth who menstruate shall, without needing to request, have ready access to menstrual products (subs. (c)). Add brush or hair pick suitable for the youth's hair type (subs. (d)(4)), disposable razor and shaving cream (subs. (d)(5)), conditioner (subs. (d)(9)), and facial cleaner (subs. (d)(11)) as items required to be issued to youth upon intake, and youth shall not be required to share these items (subs. (e)). The facility shall provide youth with access to sunscreen, dental floss, lip balm, and hair ties (subs. (h)). The facility administrator shall conduct a written annual review of the available personal care items, including documentation and consideration of feedback from youth to ensure items are current, consistent, and relevant to the population (subs. (i)). Youth shall have access to alternative personal care items to address skin sensitivities or allergies. Agency policy and procedure shall outline a process for the youth to request such items in writing (subs. (j)).	

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			Personal care items issued pursuant to this section shall not be denied or modified based on behavior (subs. (k)), consistent with enacted amendments made by AB 2417 (Chapter 786, Statutes of 2022) Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** The impact will be minimal; facilities will need to update its policies and procedures on the issue of personal hygiene, as described above. ***Fiscal Impact***: Minimal due to the requirement to issue hairbrush suitable for youth's hair type, conditioner, facial cleanser and access to sunscreen, dental floss, lip balm, and hair ties.	
107	Article 10 § 1486 Personal Hygiene Pgs. 166	Stronger language to guide each facility in constructing their policies and procedures, for example, not allowing staff to place community toothpaste on each youth's toothbrush. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pgs. 45, 64, 65 Attachment B – Pg. 18	**Environmental Health SME Workgroup section.** Replaced forward slashes (/) with "or" to remove ambiguous language. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
108	Article 10 § 1487 Shaving Pg. 167	Access to shaving cannot be denied or provided for disciplinary purposes or in any manner that intentionally or knowingly causes embarrassment and distress. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 65 Attachment B – Pg. 18	**Environmental Health SME Workgroup section.** Clarify that youth shall have equal opportunity to shave face and body hair "regardless of gender identity." Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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109	Article 10 § 1488 Hair Care Services Pg. 168	Access to hair care service cannot be denied or provided for disciplinary purposes or in any manner that intentionally or knowingly causes embarrassment and distress. ***Attachment(s):*** Attachment A – Pg. 65 Attachment B – Pg. 18	**Environmental Health SME Workgroup section.** In addition to the existing requirement for hair care services to occur at least once per month, clarify that there shall not be more than six weeks between hair care services to ensure youth receive hair care services timely (subs. (a)). Require hair care services to be culturally appropriate and provided in a manner considerate of a youth's gender identity and expression (subs. (b)), consistent with enacted amendments made by AB 2417 (Chapter 786, Statutes of 2022). Clarify that equipment shall be cleaned and disinfected after each haircut or procedure as described Title 16, Chapter 9, sections 979 and 980, California Code of Regulations (subs. (c)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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110	Article 11 § 1500 Bedding and Linens Pg. 169	None. ***Attachment(s):*** N/A	**Environmental Health SME Workgroup section.** Require bedding and linens to be free of holes, tears, and stains and for bedding and linens to be provided to youth upon housing assignment (subs. (a)). Require one wash cloth be standard issue (subs. (a)(5)). Permit youth to have access to additional blankets upon request to ensure warmth (subs. (b)). New requirement to offer youth one disposable sleep mask upon intake and allow youth access to replacement disposable masks upon request (subs. (c)). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875, remove outdated legislative bills, and add "reference" to WIC § 209 and 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** Facilities will need to provide a wash cloth to youth as standard issue, provide youth will access to additional blankets upon request and offer youth a disposable sleep mask upon intake and a replacement mask upon request. ***Fiscal Impact***: Minimal due new requirement to offer disposable mask, however many facilities already provide wash cloths and additional blankets upon request.	

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111	Article 11 § 1501 Bedding and Linen Exchange Pg. 170	None. ***Attachment(s):*** N/A	**Environmental Health SME Workgroup section.** Require "wash cloths" to be exchanged for clean replacement at least each week, or more frequently as needed (para. one). Increase frequency of blanket laundering from at least once to at least twice a month, or more frequently as needed (para. two). Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to WIC § 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** Facilities will need to provide and exchange wash cloths, as well as increase blanket laundering services to at least twice per month. ***Fiscal Impact***: Minimal due to increasing laundry services, but many facilities already provide and exchange wash cloths.	
112	Article 11 § 1502 Mattresses Pg. 171	None. ***Attachment(s):*** N/A	**Environmental Health SME Workgroup section.** Require mattresses to be "serviceable" as defined in section 1302 and update the reference to requirements outlined for mattresses to Title 16 Code of Federal Regulations, Chapter II, Subchapter D, Part 1633 and Title 24 California Code of Regulations, Part 9, Chapter 8, section 805.3.2. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add "reference" to Title 16, Part 1633, Code of Federal Regulations. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	

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113	Article 12 § 1510 Facility Sanitation, Safety and Maintenance Pg. 172	None. ***Attachment(s):*** N/A	**Environmental Health SME Workgroup section.** Replace the terms “housekeeping” with “janitorial and maintenance” for clarity. Require unsanitary and unsafe conditions to be addressed immediately. Prohibit youth from being responsible for tasks related to facility sanitation, safety, and maintenance. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875 and add “reference” to WIC § 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	
114	Article 12 § 1511 Smoke Free Environment Pg. 173	None. ***Attachment(s):***	**Environmental Health SME Workgroup section.** Minor grammatical revisions to clarify that the smoke free environment policies and procedures are to prevent youth exposure to use of tobacco products or electronic nicotine delivery system devices while in the facility or in the custody of staff. Update NOTE to add authority provided by WIC § 875, remove outdated legislative bills, and add “reference” to WIC § 224.71. ***Operational Impact:*** None anticipated. ***Fiscal Impact***: None anticipated.	