

First Aid/AED and Emergency Response

991.1 PURPOSE AND SCOPE

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The purpose is to establish and implement facility-specific written policy and procedures, in collaboration with Correctional Healthcare Services for first aid and emergency response in each juvenile facility. This policy applies to all juvenile facility staff.

991.2 AUTHORITY AND REFERENCES

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- Board of State and Community Corrections Title 15 § 1412;
- Riverside County Correctional Healthcare Services Policy Manual;
- Welfare and Institutions Code §§ 209, 210 & 885.

991.3 POLICY

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The Chief Probation Officer, or authorized designee, in cooperation with the Correctional Healthcare Services, shall establish facility-specific policies and procedures to assure access to first aid and emergency services.

991.4 FIRST AID KITS

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First aid kits shall be available in designated areas of each juvenile facility.

The responsible physician shall approve the contents, number, location and procedure for periodic inspection of the kits. The contents of the first aid kit need to be replaced as necessary and reflect the types of injuries anticipated for that given facility.

Facilities need to maintain those supplies necessary to respond to emergencies that can be anticipated including but not limited to: bee stings; allergic reactions; fights and/or falls resulting in hemorrhage, sprains, broken bones; and shock resulting from any medical trauma.

991.5 AUTOMATED EXTERNAL DEFIBRILLATORS

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Automated external defibrillators (AED) shall be available in each juvenile facility. The facility manager or designee shall ensure the device is maintained properly per manufacturer standard.

991.6 EMERGENCY RESPONSE TRAINING

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Youth supervision and on-site health care staff shall be trained to respond appropriately to emergencies requiring first aid and AED.

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Youth supervision staff and supervising probation officers (SPO) shall be required to complete first aid, cardiopulmonary resuscitation (CPR), and AED training, every two years, in accordance with the standards of the certifying organization (i.e. American Red Cross, American Heart Association, etc.).

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