

**OKLAHOMA COMMISSION ON CHILDREN AND YOUTH  
OFFICE OF JUVENILE SYSTEM OVERSIGHT**

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**Name and Location of Facility:** Enid Adventure Program  
Enid, Oklahoma

**Date of Visit:** October 31, 2006

**Oversight Reviewer:** Dana S. Holden, Oversight Specialist

**Focus of Visit:** Second Unannounced Visit for 2006

**Date:** January 25, 2007

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**General Information**

The Office of Juvenile System Oversight (OJSO) conducted an unannounced visit on October 31, 2006, to the Enid Adventure Program, located in Enid, Oklahoma. The purpose of the visit was to assess compliance with established responsibilities and facility policy and procedures. The program was licensed for twelve residents by the Division of Child Care of the Department of Human Services (DHS). On the day of the OJSO visit, the census was twelve.

Persons Interviewed

- Entry interview and an exit conference with the program director
- Two direct care staff members
- Three residents

Documentation Reviewed

- Most recent inspection reports by the Office of the Oklahoma State Fire Marshal, the Oklahoma State Department of Health, and the DHS Division of Child Care
- Two personnel files
- Files on four residents

Areas Toured

- Entire facility

## **Overview**

### Interviews

The OJSO interviewed three residents. The interview questions pertained to the residents' perceptions of safety, program services, the rights of residents, discipline practices, and other residential program issues. The OJSO noted:

- Positive responses were given to the interview questions pertaining to safety, participation in recreation, community activities, and benefiting from the program.
- Positive comments were made regarding the staff.
- The residents reported only appropriate consequences for resident rule violations.

Two direct care staff members were interviewed. The interview questions pertained to the staff members' perceptions of program services, the rights of residents, discipline policies, and other residential program issues. Both interviewees reported:

- having current certification in the required training for their positions; and
- imposing only acceptable consequences for resident rule violations.

### File Reviews

The OJSO reviewed the files on four residents. The files were well-organized, and the materials were easy to locate. No concerns were noted from the review of the resident files.

Two personnel files were reviewed. The files were well-maintained and complete for the items reviewed. No concerns were identified from the review of the personnel files.

### Observational Tour

The OJSO conducted a tour of the facility. On the day of the OJSO visit, the physical plant was clean and the rooms were well-organized. No concerns were identified from the observational tour.

## **Summary**

On the day of the OJSO visit, the facility was well-maintained and documentation was in good order. The program offered recreational opportunities to the residents that they might not otherwise be able to access, including field trips and camping. In the exit conference, the program director advised the OJSO that in the near future, the facility would be moving to a new facility, located in Nash, Oklahoma.

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