

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

Name and Location of Facility: J. D. McCarty Center
Norman, Oklahoma

Dates of Visit: June 29 and 30, 2006

Oversight Reviewers: Jenifer Cooks and Cliff A. Aldridge, Oversight Specialists

Purpose of Visit: First Unannounced Visit for 2006

Date: October 24, 2006

Introduction

The Office of Juvenile System Oversight (OJSO) initiated a routine, unannounced visit on June 29, 2006, at the J. D. McCarty Center, and returned on June 30, 2006, to complete the visit. The purpose of the visit was to assess compliance with established responsibilities, facility policy and procedures, and rehabilitation licensing standards for specialized hospitals under the authority of the Oklahoma State Board of Health. The facility is licensed by the Oklahoma State Department of Health for forty-eight beds. On the first day of the OJSO visit, the census was thirty-six.

Interviews Conducted

- Entry interview with the facility Director and the Director of Rehabilitation Services
- One resident
- Six direct care staff members
- Exit conference with the Human Resource Programs Manager and the Director of Rehabilitation Services

Documentation Reviewed

- Case records on four residents
- Five personnel files
- Oklahoma Cerebral Palsy Commission specialized hospital rehabilitation certificate
- Oklahoma State Board of Pharmacy inspection report, dated March 20, 2006
- Oklahoma State Department of Health inspection report, dated January 5, 2006

Areas Toured

- Three cottages, each with a self-contained kitchen
- Rehabilitation areas

Overview

Interviews

The OJSO interviewed one resident and six direct care staff members. No concerns were noted from the resident and staff interviews.

Review of Files

The OJSO reviewed the files on four residents and five personnel files. The OJSO did not note any concerns from the review of the files.

Observational Tour

The OJSO conducted a tour of three cottages and the rehabilitation areas, including the art room, teletherapy room, adaptive skills apartment, and a large therapy room. No concerns were noted from the observational tour.

Summary

On the day of the OJSO visit, the facility was in compliance with established responsibilities and facility policy and procedures.

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