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SUBJECT: Violators entering WCCW

This memo serves to rescind the directive that was given on March 19, 2020 regarding the processing of violators entering WCCW from the community. The March 19, 2020 directive, due to limited Health Services Staff at that time, caused for violators to not be placed on Dry Cell Watches in the Close Observation Unit. Health Services staffing levels have balanced since the directive, therefore the rescinding of the direction.

Effective immediately, violators entering WCCW from the community will continue to be processed through the body scanner. Those whose scans indicate the violator may potentially be concealing contraband will then be processed as per previously established protocols to include being placed in segregation and/or dry cell watch.

While the public health crisis is still a factor, WCCW facility staff and health services have worked to implement procedures that allow for some of the suspended procedures to resume.

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