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MACON COUNTY JAIL 2025 COMPLIANCE REPORT

The Macon County Jail was monitored for compliance on April 23, 2025. Entrance and exit interviews were conducted with Jail Administrator Jamie belcher and Lt. Clayton Barrows.

IMPROVEMENTS SINCE LAST MONITORING:

New grout applied to kitchen tile.
New tile project for entire facility is continuing.
A Ford explorer transport vehicle was purchased.
Pepper Ball launching tool was purchased.
Restore and renew program was reinstated for substance abuse and GED education.
LUCAS CPR device was purchased.
(250) mattresses were purchased.

NONCOMPLIANCES WITH ILLINOIS COUNTY JAIL STANDARDS:

Section 701.70 Classification and Separation

b) Separation by Category

5.) Charged Detainees and Convicted Offenders

Jail administration should develop a policy and practice to ensure separation of charged and convicted detainees.

OTHER RECOMMENDATIONS:

Numerous storage closet and control room doors were unsecured or propped open on the date of compliance monitoring. To ensure appropriate security, all doors within the jail should be properly secured when not in use.

The 2024 Commissary audit was reported as in progress. Send results to the Jail and Detention Standards Unit upon receipt.

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