

Below are answers to questions posed from or following the Monday, 3/7/22 Taskforce meeting.

- **Do we have numbers of what percentage of kids are on any kind of depressants? Is it required for kids to be on depressants in these systems**
  - JIAC does not collect data on the number of youth on depressants.
    - In 2021 9.5% of kids admitted to JDF were taking psychotropic meds.
    - Mental health staff referred 8 kids (out of 418) (1.9%) for psychiatric referral with our in house provider. Kids can see outside providers too and families may bring their own medications and manage prescriptions outside of our provider so this isn't always easy to track.
  - JIAC does not require any youth to be on a depressant or any type of psychotropic medication.
  - JIAC does not administer any medications.
  - JIAC is prohibited from administering chemical restraints (such as Haldol/Haloperidol). JIAC Policy 8.810, Section I. E. states, "JIAC staff shall never use chemical agents...to control behavior."
  
- **Attorney General's opinion related to who has physical and legal custody of a minor taken to JIAC. (Attached)**
  
- **Notice to appear option Kansas Statute 38-2330 (Attached)**
  - JIAC NTA policy 8.828 already provided in JIAC Policy handout.
  - WPD Policy 305, Juvenile Arrests contains NTA guidelines and limitations
  
- **CPR training policy within JIAC and how many of the JIAC staff are trained with CPR.**
  - All JIAC, JDF, JRF, and ERC employee get CPR training every 2 years by Lifesaving Learning. The JIAC policy is in your JIAC Policy handout, Policy 8.400. Corrections Administrative Policy 1.401.1 is attached.
  - The Heartsaver First Aid CPR AED Student Workbook, published and copyrighted by the American Heart Association. We believe production of a copy of the book at this time would violate rights established under state law.
  
- **Written policy for how JIAC keeps youth separated.**
  - Already provided in JIAC Policy handout) Policy 8.812
  
- **Can we request the arresting report from WPD and WPD's report of the night when they interviewed JIAC staff after Cedric was taken by EMS.**
  - After legal review of this request it has been determined we cannot release records which are prohibited by state law.

- **Since we have heard many gaps within WPD policies could we ask the City Council to meet with us since they approve budget.**
  - The goal and intent is for the Taskforce to produce recommendations as a body, which will then be provided to and discussed with each governing body, i.e. Board of County Commissioners, Wichita City Council, and the South Central Legislative Delegation.
  
- **Can we get the official "Stand Your Ground" documents that the D.A used.**
  - Pages 23 – 28 of the District Attorney's report cites the applicable Kansas Statutes and case law used in his analysis
    - KSA 21-5220 through 21-5227, 21-5230 & 21-5231
    - State v Betts 2021
    - State v Phillips 2021
    - State v Dukes 2021
    - State v Evans 2017
    - State v Hardy 2017