

**FOURTH OFF-SITE CORRECTIVE ACTION PLAN  
ASSESSMENT**

of

**LAKE CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION**

for the

Physical and Mental Health Survey  
Conducted February 27–March 1, 2018

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## **CAP Assessment of Lake Correctional Institution**

### **I. Overview**

On February 27–March 1, 2018, the Correctional Medical Authority (CMA) conducted an on-site physical and mental health survey of Lake Correctional Institution (LAKCI). The survey report was distributed on March 30, 2018. In April 2018, LAKCI submitted and the CMA approved, the institutional corrective action plan (CAP) which outlined the efforts to be undertaken to address the findings of the February 2018 survey. These efforts included in-service training, physical plant improvements, and the monitoring of applicable medical records for a period of no less than 90 days.

On July 24, 2018, CMA staff requested access to monitoring documents to assist in determining if an on-site or off-site assessment should be conducted. Based on the documents provided, CMA staff conducted an on-site CAP assessment on August 28, 2018 to evaluate the effectiveness of corrective actions taken by institutional staff. The CAP closure items revealed sufficient evidence to determine that 24 of 30 physical health findings and 20 of 31 mental health findings were corrected.

On November 9, 2018, CMA staff requested access to monitoring documents to assist in determining if an on-site or off-site assessment should be conducted. Based on the documents provided, CMA staff conducted an on-site CAP assessment on December 6, 2018 to evaluate the effectiveness of corrective actions taken by institutional staff. The CAP closure items revealed sufficient evidence to determine that 6 of 6 physical health findings and 5 of 11 mental health findings were corrected.

On July 26, 2019, CMA staff requested access to monitoring documents to assist in determining if an on-site or off-site assessment should be conducted. Based on the documents provided, CMA staff conducted an on-site CAP assessment on August 9, 2019 to evaluate the effectiveness of corrective actions taken by institutional staff. The CAP closure files revealed sufficient evidence to determine that 4 of 6 mental health findings were corrected.

On June 26, 2020, CMA staff requested access to monitoring documents to assist in determining if an on-site or off-site assessment should be conducted. Based on the documents provided, CMA staff conducted an off-site CAP assessment on July 29, 2020 to evaluate the effectiveness of corrective actions taken by institutional staff. Items II and III below describe the outcome of the CMA's evaluation of the institution's efforts to address the survey findings.

### **II. Physical Health Assessment Summary**

All physical health findings were closed at the second CAP assessment.

### III. Mental Health Assessment Summary

The CAP closure files revealed evidence to determine that 1 of 2 mental health findings were corrected. One mental health finding will remain open.

Finding	CAP Evaluation Outcome
<p><b><u>INPATIENT PSYCHOTROPIC MEDICATION PRACTICES</u></b></p> <p><b>A comprehensive review of 14 inpatient records revealed the following deficiencies:</b></p> <p><b>MH-23: In 3 of 14 applicable records, the inmate did not receive medications as prescribed or documentation of refusal was not present in the medical record.</b></p>	<p><b>MH-23 CLOSED</b></p> <p>Adequate evidence of in-service training and documentation of correction were provided to close MH-23.</p>

Finding	CAP Evaluation Outcome
<p><b><u>INPATIENT MENTAL HEALTH SERVICES</u></b></p> <p><b>MH-27: In 13 of 17 records reviewed, the required hours of planned structured therapeutic services were not provided.</b></p>	<p><b>MH-27 OPEN</b></p> <p>Adequate evidence of in-service training was provided; however, a review of records provided by the institution indicated an acceptable level of compliance had not been met. MH-27 will remain open.</p>

### IV. Conclusion

All physical health findings are closed.

The following mental health finding will close: MH-23. MH-27 will remain open.

Until appropriate corrective actions are undertaken by staff and the results of those corrections reviewed by the CMA, this CAP will remain open. As some of the necessary steps to correct findings require further institutional monitoring, closure may take as long as three months. Follow-up assessment by the CMA will most likely take place through an off-site visit.