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Detention Facility FAQs

1. How often does Environmental Health inspect detention facilities?

Detention facilities are inspected at least once per year.

2. Do detention facility inspections include juvenile facilities?

Yes.

3. What does the inspection cover?

Environmental Health conducts an inspection of the food service operation for compliance with the California Retail Food Code and does a general housing inspection for the rest of the facility, including the cells. Other Divisions within Contra Costa Health Services review the adequacy of the healthcare provided prisoners and meals meet minimum nutritional standards.

4. What detention facilities does Environmental Health inspect?

Martinez Detention Facility
West County Detention Facility
Marsh Creek Detention Facility
John A. Davis Juvenile Hall (Martinez)
Orin Allen Youth Rehabilitation Facility (Byron)
City Police Department Holding Cells
Courthouse Holding Cells (Martinez, Richmond, Walnut Creek, and Pittsburg)

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