



ANNUAL PREA REPORT AND ALLEGATION SUMMARY 2017

The Lake Region Residential Reentry Center (RRC) is a branch of the Lake Region Law Enforcement Center (LEC). The Lake Region Residential Reentry Center received a full PREA compliance report on March 25, 2015 and again on June 8th 2017 and is posted on our website at www.lrlec.org.

The LEC PREA Policy was signed into effect by the governing board on February 18, 2015. We continue to seek out new and current training to keep our staff up to date on any and all PREA changes or concerns.

The LEC has an existing Memo of Understanding (MOU) with Safe Alternatives for Abused Families (SAAF) of Devils Lake to provide 24-hour crisis services, assistance with medical care and one-on-one short term counseling for residents of our facility. SAAF also provides sexual assault advocates to be available for SANE/SAFE examinations.

In 2017 there were 3 PREA allegations made and investigated at the Lake Region RRC. There are no ongoing investigations of any PREA allegations.

We have reviewed our current staffing plan and found it to be adequate with hopes to be able to boost staff presence in conjunction with potential future facility updates. Although our current staffing plan is adequate, we have begun to take steps to add 4 full time officers so that we can schedule one male officer and one female officer per shift. We have also recognized some improvements that can be made to the existing physical plant of the facility to enhance safety for the residents.

The RRC staff has and will continue to work diligently toward adhering to all PREA Standards. While we are proud of the advancements we have made we are dedicated to continue to make improvements and to provide the safest environment possible for our staff and residents.

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