

Sixth District Department of Correctional Services POLICY	Issue Date 12/20/91	Effective Date 01/15/21	Policy Number 2522-21
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POLICY:

Residential facility staff members do not allow any offender/resident or group of offenders/residents to be in a position of control or authority over the correctional program of another offender/resident.

PROCEDURE:

1. Staff is responsible for the resident's program at the facility.
2. Residents may be allowed to function in a supervisory position over other resident(s) in the performance of Employment Policy (2506), however, primary management is provided by another Supervisor who provides work reports to staff.
3. If staff discovers that inappropriate control or authority by residents over other residents exists, disciplinary proceedings are initiated to immediately terminate the situation.
4. Staff prohibits any resident or group of residents from exercising control over another resident.
5. Residential facility staff addresses the offender's correctional program in the privacy of their office or a place that affords privacy and not in an area where their discussion may be overheard by others.
6. Residential facility staff does not discuss the progress or lack of progress of one (1) resident with another resident.

BY ORDER OF:

Bruce Vander Sanden, District Director