

September 29, 2016

TO: Tae D. Johnson

Assistant Director for Detention Management

FROM: (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)

Lead Compliance Inspector The Nakamoto Group, Inc.

SUBJECT: Annual Detention Inspection of the Denver Contract Detention Facility

The Nakamoto Group, Inc. performed an annual inspection for compliance with the ICE Performance-Based National Detention Standards (PBNDS) 2011 of the Denver Contract Detention Facility in Aurora, CO during the period of September 27-29, 2016. This is a CDF.

The annual inspection was performed under the guidance of (b)(6)(b)(7)(C) Lead Compliance Inspector. Team Members were:

Subject Matter Field	Team Member	24
Security	(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)	
Detainee Rights		
Medical Care		
Safety		

Type of Inspection

This is a scheduled annual inspection, which is performed to determine overall compliance with the ICE PBNDS 2011 for Over 72 hour facilities. The facility received a previous rating of Meets Standards during the September 2015 inspection.

Inspection Summary

The Denver CDF is currently accredited by:

- The American Correctional Association (ACA) Yes
- The National Commission on Correctional Health Care (NCCHC) Yes
- The Joint Commission (TJC) No
- Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) No

Standards Compliance

The following information is a summary of the standards that were reviewed and overall compliance that was determined as a result of the 2015 and 2016 PBNDS 2011 compliance annual inspections:



2015 Inspection	
Meets Standards	41
Does Not Meet Standards	0
Repeat Finding	0
Not Applicable	1

2016 Inspection	
Meets Standards	41
Does Not Meet Standards	0
Repeat Finding	0
Not Applicable	1

Facility Snapshot/Description

The Denver Contract Facility, a.k.a. Aurora Detention Center, is owned and operated by the GEO Group and is located in an industrial area in the northern section of Aurora, CO. The two story direct-supervision facility houses adult male and female detainees of all classification levels for ICE and adult male detainees for the U.S. Marshals Service. During the inspection, the total count (b)(7)(E)

(b)(7)(E)

The housing units consist primarily of four-person cells. The housing units have a significant amount of dayroom space, and the cell doors are never locked, except in the segregation areas. Every unit has at least one television, telephone banks, and various recreational equipment, such as ping pong tables. Indoor recreation opportunities are occasionally supplemented by special events, such as concerts, X-box video games, and extra movies. Outdoor recreation times rotate daily between mornings and afternoons, and detainees receive the opportunity for optimal outdoor recreation time, no less than four hours per day. The facility emits a relaxed atmosphere throughout, even in the segregation unit, which is an uncommon characteristic. Detainees interact with staff and each other without hesitation or noticeable anxiety. Detainees enjoy access to activities such as crocheting, arts and crafts, and educational/self-help programs.

Detainees were forthcoming in interviews with the inspection team. There were a number of complaints about possible foreign objects in the food. The Safety SME inspected the food trays and the sanitation in the kitchen and was unable to verify the complaints. The grievance logs did not indicate any complaints about the food. There were three complaints about medical services, all of which were investigated by the Medical SME. Two complaints were determined to be unfounded. On the third complaint, the Medical SME determined that an appointment was somewhat delayed, but was currently scheduled. There were several complaints about a specific officer treating female detainees disrespectfully. The Safety SME followed up on these complaints and it was determined that there were no filed complaints regarding the behavior of the officer in question.

Without exception, detainees stated that they felt safe at this facility. Detainees were familiar with ICE officers and with the ICE officer visitation schedule to the housing units.

In general, the staff gave the impression of standardized, professional conduct, and displayed an understanding of the concept of civil detention and the PBNDS Standards. Many of the staff are bilingual. Interviews with LEP detainees indicated that they had no issues communicating with staff and no problems obtaining services that they needed. Confidential interviews revealed no issues or concerns. The inspection team interviewed no less than eighty ICE detainees during the course of the inspection.

Medical services, food services, and all other services are provided by the GEO Group.

Areas of Concern/Significant Observations

Of significance is the fact that there were no deficient components identified during this inspection.



Recommended Rating and Justification

The Lead Compliance Inspector recommends that the facility receive a rating of Meets Standards. The facility complies with the ICE Performance-Based National Detention Standards (PBNDS) 2011. No (0) standards were found Does Not Meet Standards and one (1) standard was Not Applicable (N/A). All remaining forty-one (41) standards were found to be in compliance.

LCI Assurance Statement

The findings of Meets Standards and Does Not Meet Standards are accurately and completely documented on the G-324A Inspection Form and are supported by documentation in the inspection file. An out brief was conducted at the facility and in addition to the entire Nakamoto Group, Inc. Inspection Team, the following were present:

ICE Officials – AFOD (b)(6);(b)(7)SDDO(b)(6);(b)(7)(C) and COR (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)
 Facility Staff – Warden (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) Assistant Warden (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)Assistant Warden (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) Compliance Administrator (b)(6);(b)(7)(C) and various supervisors and staff

(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)			
	Lead Compliance Inspector	September 29, 2016	

Printed Name of LCI

Date

A. Type of Facility Reviewed	Estimated Man-days per Year
	172,663
☐ ICE Service Processing Center	
ICE Contract Detention Facility	
☐ ICE Intergovernmental Service Agreement	G. Accreditation Certificates
	List all State or National Accreditation[s] received:
B. Current Inspection	ACA, NCCHC
Type of Inspection	Check box if facility has no accreditation[s]
Field Office HQ Inspection	H. D. M. (Combine (Control of the Control of the Co
Date[s] of Facility Review 09/27/2016 - 09/29/2016	H. Problems / Complaints (Copies must be attached)
09/27/2016 - 09/29/2016	The Facility is under Court Order or Class Action Finding Court Order Class Action Order
	The Facility has Significant Litigation Pending
C. Previous/Most Recent Facility Review	✓ Major Litigation ☐ Life/Safety Issues
Date[s] of Last Facility Review	Check if None.
09/29/2015- 10/01/2015	CHECK II Nolic.
Previous Rating Meets Standards Does Not Meet Standards	I. Facility History
	Date Built
D. Name and Location of Facility	2010
Name	Date Last Remodeled or Upgraded
Denver Contract Detention Facility	N/A
Address (Street and Name)	Date New Construction / Bedspace Added
3130 North Oakland Street	N/A
City, State and Zip Code	Future Construction Planned
Aurora, CO 80010	Yes No Date:
County	Current Bedspace Future Bedspace (# New Beds only)
Adams	1108 Number: N/A Date:
Name and Title of Facility Administrator	
(Warden/OIC/Superintendent)	J. Total Facility Population
(b)(6);(b)(7)(C)Warden	(b)(7)(E)
Telephone # (Include Area Code)	
303-739 (b)(6);	
Field Office / Sub-Office (List Office with oversight responsibilities)	
Denver	K. Classification Level (ICE SPCs and CDFs Only)
Distance from Field Office	L-1 L-2 L-3
22 miles	Adult Male (b)(7)(E)
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E. ICE Information	"
Name of Inspector (Last Name, Title and Duty Station)	L. Facility Capacity
(h)(h)(h)(LCI/Security SME / Nakamoto Group	Rated Operational Emergency
Name of Team Member / Title / Duty Location	Adult Male (b)(7)(E)
(b)(6);(b)(7 Medical SME / Nakamoto Group	Adult Female
Name of Team Member / Title / Duty Location	☐ Facility holds Juveniles Offenders 16 and older as Adults
(b)(6);(b) Safety SME / Nakamoto Group	96070 No. (5946) 470 FGG N. (5 770)
Name of Team Member / Title / Duty Location	M. Average Daily Population
(b)(6);(b) Detainee Rights SME / Nakamoto Group	ICE USMS Other
Name of Team Member / Title / Duty Location	Adult Male (b)(7)(E)
<i>f</i> /	Adult Female
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F. CDF/IGSA Information Only Contract Number Date of Contract or IGSA	N. Facility Staffing Level Security: Support:
HSCEDM-11-D-00003 Date of Contract of IGSA 09/16/2011	(b)(7)(E)
Basic Rates per Man-Day	
(b)(7)(E);(b)(4)	
Other Charges: (If None, Indicate N/A)	

Significant Incident Summary Worksheet

For The Nakamoto Group to complete its review of your facility, the following information <u>must be completed</u> prior to the scheduled review dates. The information on this form should contain data for the past twelve months in the boxes provided. The information on this form is used in conjunction with the ICE Detention Standards in assessing your Detention Operations against the needs of the ICE and its detained population. This form should be filled out by the facility prior to the start of any inspection. Failure to complete this section will result in a delay in processing this report and the possible reduction or removal of ICE detainees at your facility.

Incidents	Description	Jan – Mar	Apr – Jun	Jul – Sept	Oct – Dec
Assault:	Types (Sexual ² , Physical, etc.)	Physical	Physical/Sexual	Physical	Physical/Sexual
Offenders on Offenders ¹	With Weapon	0	0	0	0/1
	Without Weapon	7	7/1	3	3/0
Assault:	Types (Sexual Physical, etc.)	Physical	Physical	N/A	Physical
Detainee on Staff	With Weapon	0	0	0	0
	Without Weapon	2	2	0	1
Number of Forced Moves, incl. Forced Cell moves ³		1	0	0	0
Disturbances ⁴		0	0	0	0
Number of Times Chemical Agents Used		1	0	0	0
Number of Times Special Reaction Team Deployed/Used		1	0	0	0
# Times Four/Five Point	Number/Reason (M=Medical, V=Violent Behavior, O=Other)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Restraints applied/used	Type (C=Chair, B=Bed, BB=Board, O=Other)	N/A	N/A	N/A	N/A
Number of Times Canines Used in Facility		0	0	0	0
Offender / Detainee Medical Referrals as a result of injuries sustained.		0	0	0	0
Escapes	Attempted	0	0	0	0
	Actual	0	0	0	0
Grievances:	# Received	25	46	59	32
	# Resolved in favor of Offender/Detainee	6	10	19	9
Deaths	Reason (V=Violent, I=Illness, S=Suicide, A=Attempted Suicide, O=Other)	0	0	0	0
	Number	0	0	0	0
Psychiatric / Medical Referrals	# Medical Cases referred for Outside Care	4	5	5	7
	# Psychiatric Cases referred for Outside Care	0	0	0	0

Any attempted physical contact or physical contact that involves two or more offenders

Oral, anal or vaginal penetration or attempted penetration involving at least 2 parties, whether it is consenting or non-consenting

Routine transportation of detainees/offenders is not considered "forced"

Any incident that involves four or more detainees/offenders, includes gang fights, organized multiple hunger strikes, work stoppages, hostage situations, major fires, or other large scale incidents.

	DHS/ICE Detention Standards Review Summary Report				_
1.	Meets Standards 2. Does Not Meet Standards 3. Repeat Finding 4. Not Applicable	1	2	3	4
PA	RT 1 SAFETY				
1	Emergency Plans	\boxtimes			
2	Environmental Health and Safety				
3	Transportation (By Land)	\boxtimes			
PA	RT 2 SECURITY				
4	Admission and Release				
5	Classification System	\boxtimes			
6	Contraband				
7	Facility Security and Control	\boxtimes			
8	Funds and Personal Property	\boxtimes			
9	Hold Rooms in Detention Facilities	\boxtimes			
10	Key and Lock Control	\boxtimes			
11	Population Counts	\boxtimes			
12	Post Orders	\boxtimes			
13	Searches of Detainees	\boxtimes			
14	Sexual Abuse and Assault Prevention and Intervention				
15	Special Management Units	\boxtimes			
16	Staff-Detainee Communication	\boxtimes			
17	Tool Control	\boxtimes			
18	Use of Force and Restraints	\boxtimes			
PA	RT 3 ORDER				
19	Disciplinary System	\boxtimes			
PA	RT 4 CARE				
20	Food Service	\boxtimes			
21	Hunger Strikes	\boxtimes			
22	Medical Care	\boxtimes			
23	Personal Hygiene	\boxtimes			
24	Suicide Prevention and Intervention	\boxtimes			
25					
PA	RT 5 ACTIVITIES				
26	Correspondence and Other Mail	\boxtimes			
27	Escorted Trips for Non-Medical Emergencies				×
28	Marriage Requests	\boxtimes			
29	Recreation	\boxtimes			
30	Religious Practices	\boxtimes			
31	Telephone Access	\boxtimes			
32	Visitation	\boxtimes			
33	Voluntary Work Program	\boxtimes			
PA	RT 6 JUSTICE	j			
34	Detainee Handbook	\boxtimes			
35	Grievance System	\boxtimes			
36	Law Libraries and Legal Material	\boxtimes			
37	Legal Rights Group Presentations	\boxtimes			
PA	RT 7 ADMINISTRATION & MANAGEMENT				
38	Detention Files	\boxtimes			
39	News Media Interviews and Tours	\boxtimes			
40	Staff Training	\boxtimes			
41	Transfer of Detainees				

LCI Review Assurance Statement

By signing below, the Lead Compliance Inspector (LCI) certifies that all findings of noncompliance with policy or inadequate controls contained in the Inspection Report are supported by evidence that is sufficient and reliable. Furthermore, findings of noteworthy accomplishments are supported by sufficient and reliable evidence. Within the scope of the review, the facility is operating in accordance with applicable law and policy, and property and resources are efficiently used and adequately safeguarded, except for the deficiencies noted in the report.

Lead Compliance Inspector: (Print Name) (b)(6);(b)(7)(C)	(b)(6);(b)(7)(Signature
Title & Duty Location	Date
LCI/Security SME, The Nakamoto Group, Inc.	09/29/2016

Team Member		
Print Name, Title, & Duty Location		
(b)(6):(b)(7)(C) Medical SME, The Nakamoto Group, Inc.		
Print Name, Title, & Duty Location		

Recommended Rating:	Meets Standards
	■ Does Not Meet Standards

Comments: This inspection was conducted to determine overall compliance with the ICE Performance-Based National Detention Standards 2011 (42 standards), which include the following additions/changes to the standards listed on page three:

- Medical Care (Women), a new standard, was rated as Meets Standard;
- Classification System is now titled Custody Classification System;
- Suicide Prevention and Intervention is now titled Significant Self-Harm and Suicide Prevention and Intervention;
- Escorted Trips for Non-Medical Emergencies is now titled Trips for Non-Medical Emergencies;
- News Media Interviews and Tours is now titled Interviews and Tours, and;
- Transfer of Detainees is now titled Detainee Transfer

There is no medical co-pay for ICE detainees. There were no detainee deaths or serious suicide attempts during the inspection period. There were six allegations of sexual assault or abuse involving ICE detainees: two were unsubstantiated, three are currently under investigation, and one resulted in a prosecution of an ICE detainee. In all cases, proper protocols were utilized and documentation was as required, and the appropriate measures were taken to protect the possible victims.

Tasers are not used and canines are not deployed at this facility. Chemical agents are stored in the master control center and will be deployed on ICE detainees if needed. There were four immediate physical responses to resistance involving four ICE detainees and two planned physical responses involving two ICE detainees. The incidents were reviewed and it was determined that the force was justified and applied only to the degree necessary to control each situation. Medical staff was involved as appropriate.

The Major Litigation box checked in Paragraph H of the first page of this document refers to a small group of detainees who filed action regarding the amount of pay they received for working at the facility.

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