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# **INTRODUCTION**

The Prison Rape Elimination Act of 2003 (PREA) was enacted to address sexual abuse and sexual harassment in federal, state, and local institutions. PREA supports the elimination, reduction, and prevention of sexual abuse and sexual harassment by establishing a zero-tolerance policy within our prisons, community confinement facilities, and local jails.

CURA, Inc. is committed to providing a safe and secure environment free from all forms of sexual misconduct and retaliation. CURA, Inc. will monitor policy and procedures to meet the PREA standards and to educating staff, volunteers, contractors, and residents.

CURA, Inc., RCRP facility, received the PREA initial certification on September 28, 2015. The agency met all standards which demonstrate our strong commitment to our zero-tolerance policy to prevent, detect, and respond to sexual abuse and harassment.

This report covers data on allegations reported from January 1, 2019 through December 31, 2019.

#### **PURPOSE**

The Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) requires data to be collected and reviewed on sexual abuse and sexual harassment incidents, annually. CURA, Inc. will analyze the PREA data to assess and improve the effectiveness of its sexual abuse prevention, detection, and response policies, and training.

#### **DEFINITIONS**

Substantiated - Investigation determined that the allegation occurred.

Unsubstantiated - Investigation determined incident may have occurred, but there was insufficient evidence to prove the allegation

Unfounded - Investigation determined incident did not occur

On-going Investigations - Investigation has not been completed

#### **PREA INCIDENT TYPES**

- Resident-on- Resident Sexual Abuse
- Resident-on-Resident Sexual Harassment
- Staff-on-Resident Sexual Abuse
- Staff-on-Resident Sexual harassment

#### **2019 PREA DATA RESULTS**

There were zero (0) PREA incidents reported during the stated time frame. Any allegations are referred for investigation to the New Jersey Department of Corrections, Special Investigation Division (SID).

#### 2019 Total Incidents:

Program	Allegations	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated	Unfounded	On-going Investigation
RCRP	0	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0	0

# 1. Allegations of Resident-on-Resident Sexual abuse

				On-going
Program	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated	Unfounded	Investigation
RCRP	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0

### 2. Allegations of Resident-on-Resident Sexual Harassment

				On-going
Program	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated	Unfounded	Investigation
RCRP	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0

#### 3. Allegations of Staff-on-Resident Sexual abuse

				On-going
Program	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated	Unfounded	Investigation
RCRP	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0

#### 4. Allegations of Staff-on-Resident Sexual Harassment

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Program	Substantiated	Unsubstantiated	Unfounded	Investigation
RCRP	0	0	0	0
Total	0	0	0	0

# **CONCLUSION**

The data presented in this annual report demonstrates that the total number of PREA incidents remained steady during the last five years with zero (0) sexual misconduct incident reports.

It is our responsibility to maintain a commitment to a zero-tolerance policy for sexual abuse and sexual harassment. Our agency will continue making efforts to provide the best possible environment for residents, staff, volunteers, and vendors. CURA, Inc. continually strives to ensure the safety of all residents.