



Juvenile Rehabilitation
Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA)
Training and Policy Review Acknowledgement

Washington State Department of Children, Youth & Families Juvenile Rehabilitation (JR), has **ZERO tolerance** for any form of sexual abuse or sexual harassment in its owned, operated, and contracted juvenile facilities and buildings.

Your signature below confirms that you reviewed and understand:

- ✓ JR Policy 5.90 Applying PREA Standards in JR
- ✓ Guide to Preventing and Reporting Sexual Misconduct for Contractors and Volunteers
- ✓ JR Handbook for Contractors (if applicable)
- ✓ National Institute of Corrections video:
Keeping our Kids Safe: The Prison Rape Elimination Act and Juvenile Justice

The intent of PREA is to ensure safe, humane, and secure environments that are free from threat of sexual abuse and sexual harassment for young people in Juvenile Rehabilitation (JR) and employees, volunteers, contractors, and interns. You understand JR's position on zero tolerance for sexual abuse and sexual harassment.

You understand your obligation to maintain appropriate personal boundaries with young people in JR and to develop and maintain healthy, supportive and professional relationship while young people are in our care. You understand you are not to develop personal, unduly familiar, emotional or sexual relationships with young people in JR.

All forms of sexual contact and sexual harassment between young people and employees, volunteers, contractors, and interns are strictly prohibited, and in many cases may also be against the law.

You understand you have a duty to immediately report any knowledge, suspicion, or information you receive regarding an incident of sexual abuse or sexual harassment, or retaliation against another for reporting an allegation, and neglect that may contribute to an incident or retaliation. You understand how to report or who to contact to file a report.

You understand your responsibility for prevention, detection, reporting, and response related to an allegation of sexual harassment or sexual abuse of a young person in JR.

Printed Name _____

Signature _____

Date _____