

YDC operational policy and procedure framework

- Youth Justice Act 1992 (Qld)
- Youth Justice Regulation 2016 (Qld)*
- Statutory delegations
- Directives

Philosophy of Youth Detention

- YD-1-1 Casework
- YD-1-2 Behaviour support
- YD-1-3 Daily routine, education and program delivery
- YD1-4 Room sharing
- YD-1-5 Provision of medical and other health services
- YD-1-6 Suicide and self-harm risk management
- YD-1-7 Food provision and nutrition services
- YD-1-8 Visits to young people
- YD-1-9 Complaints management

POLICIES

- YD-1-10 Complaints to external agencies
- YD-1-12 Physical contact between young people
- YD-1-13 Administration of trust accounts for young people
- YD-1-14 Accommodating a child with their parent in youth detention
- YD-1-15 Independent living units

YD-1-16 Restorative practice

- YD-2-1 Admission of a young person
- YD-2-2 Leave of absence
- YD-2-3 Transfer of a young person
- YD-2-4 Release of a young person
- YD-3-1 Duty of care obligations to staff and detained young people
- YD-3-2 Duty of care considerations for youth detention operational staff involved in violence or potentially violence incidents
- YD-3-3 Reporting critical incidents that relate to youth detention centre service delivery
- YD-3-4 Communication and resolution techniques (CART)
- YD-3-5 Responding to an incident without assistance
- YD-3-6 Responding to an incident involving a dangerous item
- YD-3-7 Use of mechanical restraints
- YD-3-8 Separation
- YD-3-9 Identifying and reporting harm in a youth detention centre
- YD-3-10 Complaints about young people to QPS
- YD-3-11 Essential practices for youth detention operational staff
- YD-3-12 Use of PPE

- YD-4-1 Management of restricted and prohibited articles
- YD-4-2 Search of a young person
- YD-4-3 Grounds, building and vehicle searches
- YD-4-4 Retention and disposal of evidence relevant to an incident
- YD-4-5 Storage and carriage of rescue knives
- YD-4-6 Use of surveillance technology and client privacy

Youth Detention Centre Operations Manual

- Chapter 1: Care and management of young people
- 1-1 Complaints guide
- 1-2 Interpreter services1-3 Exchange of client information
- 1-4 Room entitlements
- 1-5 Sorry Business and Sad News
- 1-6 Range of restorative practices
- 1-7 Promoting and protecting human rights
- 1-8 Information privacy script for third parties
- 1-9 Purchase or donation of young people's artwork

- Chapter 2: Admission, external movement, transfer and release
- 2-1 Admission interview checklist
- 2-2 Room sharing assessment
- 2-3 Escort emergency procedures
- Chapter 3: Incident management
- 3-1 Protective actions continuum technique library
- 3-2 Classifying an incident
- 3-2 Glassifying an incider
 3-3 Role of professional judgement
- 3-4 Emergency management procedures
- 3-5 Emergency management codes
- 3-6 Incident response equipment
- 3-7 Practice guide referring potential criminal offences to QPS
- 3-8 Managing a hunger strike
- 3-9 Death of a young person in youth detention
- 3-10 Emergency command posts
 3-11 Failure to protect and failure to report laws

Chapter 4: Security management

Authority: Searches authorized for routine security purposes

*NOTE: Other relevant legislation (*Human Rights Act* 2019) and standards (United Nations rules and standards, AYJA standards & etc.)

