

	<b>DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC SAFETY</b>  <b>CORRECTIONS ADMINISTRATION</b> <b>POLICY AND PROCEDURES</b>	<b>EFFECTIVE DATE:</b> 11/06/2018	<b>POLICY NO.:</b> COR.10.1F.03
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## 1.0 PURPOSE

To provide guidelines for the identification and education of tobacco users.

## 2.0 SCOPE

This policy and procedure applies to all correctional facilities and their assigned personnel.

## 3.0 REFERENCES

### .1 References

- a. National Commission on Correctional Health Care, Standards for Health Services in Prisons and Jails, (2018).

## 4.0 POLICY

Persons incarcerated by the Department of Public Safety are not permitted to smoke or otherwise use tobacco products.

## 5.0 PROCEDURES

- .1 Cigarette smokers and other tobacco users will be identified during the initial Health Assessment process.
- .2 Tobacco users will receive education on the dangers of tobacco use and offered counseling during their withdrawal.
- .3 General information on the health hazards of tobacco use and second hand smoke will be made available to inmates and posted in the health care unit, housing and library.

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