

MISSION STATEMENT

To protect the community by providing security and control in secure and non-secure settings for juveniles being legally detained by court order, by a court of competent jurisdiction or by agreement with agencies with legal authority to place juveniles.

GOALS

1. Ensure public safety by providing a safe, secure environment for lawfully detained juveniles.
2. Provide for the juveniles' basic needs, including: shelter, food, clothing, personal hygiene and medical care while in Secure Detention.
3. Protect juveniles' legal rights while assigned to NJDC programs.
4. Provide for the physical, emotional, religious, educational and social needs of juveniles during detainment.
5. Provide housing for juveniles in a safe, humane environment, maintaining the level of security required to prevent escape.

All juveniles under supervision of the Norfolk Juvenile Detention Center:

- Shall have basic rights as defined in the Constitution and Laws of the United States and the Commonwealth of Virginia that may apply to juveniles. These rights shall be safeguarded by all NJDC staff.
- Shall not be subject to discrimination based on race, national origin, color, creed, religion, sex, sexual orientation or disability.

The Norfolk Juvenile Detention Center operates under the auspices of the City of Norfolk, Department of Human Services in affiliation with the Commonwealth of Virginia's Department of Juvenile Justice.

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The Norfolk Juvenile Detention Center is located at 1260 Security Lane in Norfolk.

DRIVING DIRECTIONS from WEST:

I-64 East to the Military Hwy. exit. Turn left on Lowery Rd., between the Farm Fresh and WalMart. Take the first left turn onto Security Lane. Facility is located on your right.

DRIVING DIRECTIONS from EAST:

I-64 West to the Northampton Blvd. exit, stay left. Take a left at the light. Take a left at the next light onto Kempsville Rd. (*USAA Blvd. is on the right*) From Kempsville Rd., turn right onto Lowery Rd. Turn right onto Security Lane. Facility is located on your right.

Having trouble finding us?

Call 441-5667

DELIVERIES:

From Lowery Rd., turn onto Child Care Court and turn left to get to the entrance gate at the rear of the facility. Push the call button and state your business. The Control staff will open the gate and allow access for deliveries.

NORFOLK JUVENILE DETENTION CENTER



1260 Security Lane
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PROGRAMS AND SERVICES

SECURE DETENTION

Pre-Dispositional

- Housing - 64 beds (48 males and 16 females for juveniles, ages 12-20).
- Detention clothing, linens and personal toiletries provided.
- Indoor and outdoor recreational facilities.
- Parent or legal guardian visitation: *Thursdays 7-8pm and Sundays 3-4pm.*
- Voluntary religious services on Sunday mornings. *Religious counseling available.*

SECURE DETENTION

Post-Dispositional

- Housing - 16 beds (males or females, for juveniles, ages 14-18.)
- Local alternative to DJJ commitment.
- Maximum length of program - 6 months.
- Placement by court order with monthly court reviews.
- Security levels determine eligibility for activities outside of secure setting; *includes home visits, school attendance, employment and treatment services.*
- Ability to complete court-ordered restitutions and community services while in PD program.

OUTREACH

- Alternative to Secure Detention.
- Court ordered participation.
- Supervision and counseling of juveniles pending court hearing while at home, school, work and while participating in community activities or treatment programs.

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ACTS

Assessment, Coordination & Treatment Services
Mental health services provided by the Norfolk Community Services Board

- Juveniles under house arrest (in their homes).
- Court ordered participation.
- Short term intensive sanctions and supervision.
- Licensed therapist and case manager on site.
- MAYSI-2 review and follow up.
- Mental health and substance abuse evaluations/intakes.
- Individual counseling.
- Referrals to supportive community services.
- Discharge planning.
- Follow up for up to 60 days post-release.
- Collaboration with families, Detention, school and court staff.



NET ACADEMY

- Norfolk Public School educational program for juveniles in Secure Pre and Post - Dispositional Programs.
- Academic credit and GED program.
- Adult Basic Education and Special Education needs and related services.
- Parent/Teacher meetings and programs.

SUPPORT SERVICES

MEDICAL PROGRAM

- Two nurses.
- Medication management, physicals and tuberculosis testing.
- Physician services and referrals.
- Substance abuse, STD's and pregnancy testing.
- Medical education services.
- Mental health referrals.

FOOD SERVICE PROGRAM

- Three meals and one snack provided daily to juveniles in Secure Pre-Dispositional and Post-Dispositional programs.
- Program meets USDA requirements and guidelines.
- Program inspected and approved by Norfolk Health Department, DJJ and USDA.

SPECIAL PROGRAMS

- Special events and holiday activities for juveniles in Secure Detention's Pre and Post-Dispositional programs.
- Religious services and study groups.
- Guest speakers and presentations.
- Volunteers.
- Internships and practicum programs.

