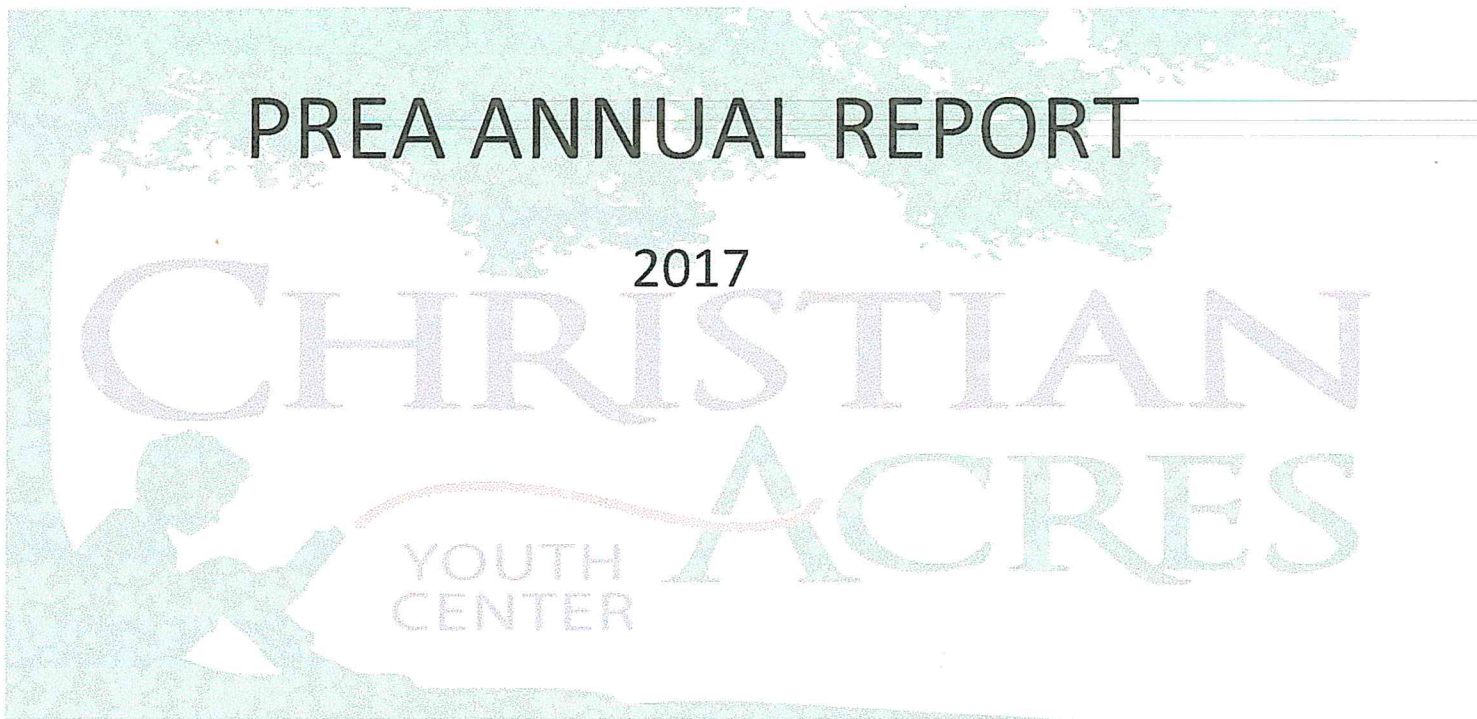


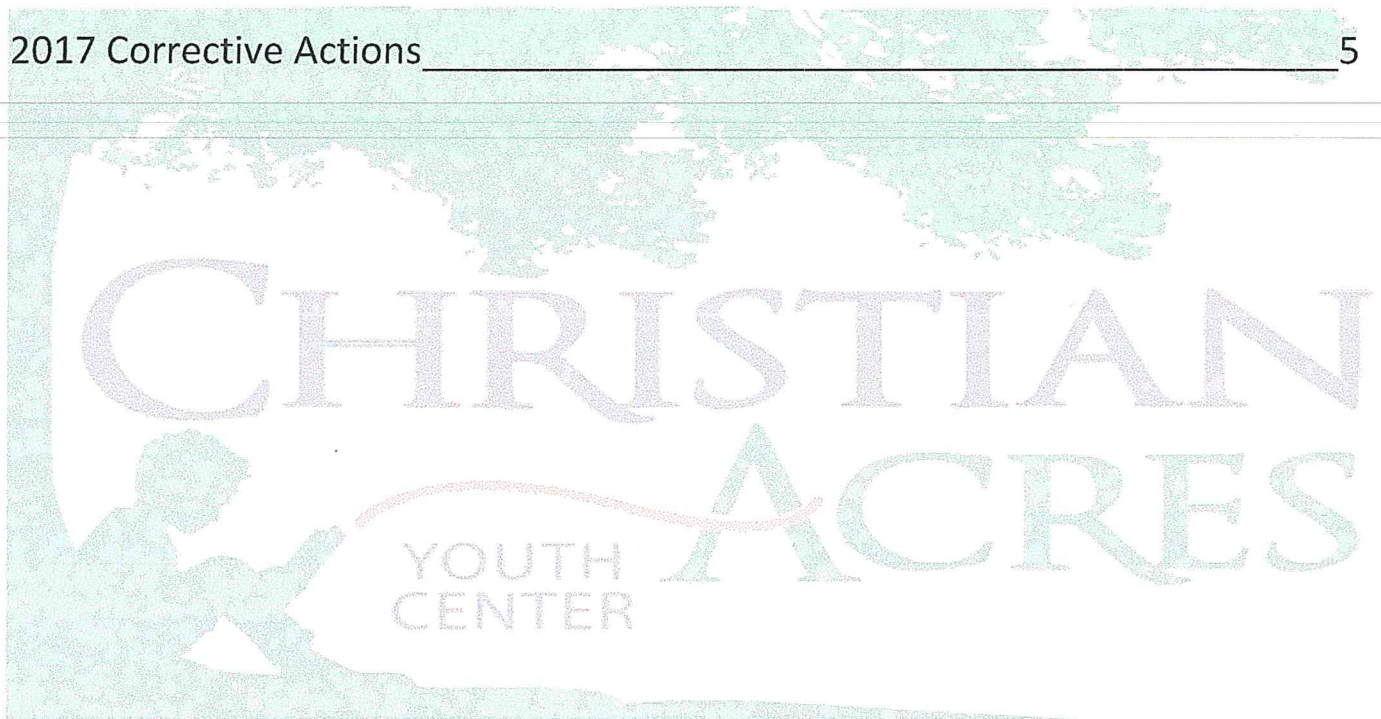
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PREA Standard 115.388

The Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA) was established to address sexual abuse and sexual harassment of persons confined to correctional facilities. Standard 115.388 Data Review for Corrective Action of PREA, requires that all public and private institutions that housed adult or juvenile offenders review data collected and aggregated on an annual basis in order to assess and enhance the effectiveness of its sexual abuse prevention, detection and response policies, practices and training, including identifying problem areas; taking corrective action on an ongoing basis; and preparing an annual report of its findings and corrective actions for each facility as well as the agency as a whole.

Christian Acres Youth Center contracts with the Louisiana Office of Juvenile Justice to house their youth. The facility accepts youth for placement from all areas of the state.

Key Terms and Definitions

NONCONSENSUAL SEXUAL ACTS – Unwanted contact with another resident or any contact with staff that involve contact with the penis and the vagina or anus; contact between the mouth and the penis, vagina, or anus; penetration of the anal or vaginal opening of another person by a hand, finger, or other object; and rubbing of another person's penis or vagina by a hand.

ABUSIVE SEXUAL CONTACTS – Unwanted contact with another resident or any contact with staff that involved touching of the residents' buttocks, thighs, penis, breasts, or vagina in a sexual way.

SEXUAL HARASSMENT – Repeated and unwelcome sexual advances, requests for sexual favors, or verbal comments, gestures, or actions of a derogatory or offensive sexual nature by one resident directed toward another.

STAFF SEXUAL MISCONDUCT – All incidents of willing and unwilling sexual contact with facility staff, and all incidents of sexual activity that involved oral, anal or vaginal penetration.

STAFF SEXUAL HARRASMENT- Repeated verbal comments or gestures of a sexual nature to a resident by a staff member, contractor, or volunteer, including demeaning references to gender, sexually suggestive or derogatory comments about body or clothing, or obscene language or gestures.

ALLEGED-accused but not proven.

SUBSTANTIATED- provide evidence to support the truth

The agency shall impose no standard higher than *a preponderance of the evidence* in determining whether allegations of sexual abuse or sexual harassment are **substantiated**.

PREPONDERANCE OF EVIDENCE- prove that there is a greater than 50% chance, based on all the reasonable evidence, that the allegation occurred.

2016-2017 Comparison of PREA Allegations

This report includes a comparison for the calendar years of 2016 and 2017 data on sexual abuse and sexual harassment allegations and provides an assessment of Christian Acres Youth Center's progress in preventing sexual abuse and sexual harassment of its residents. This review included a review of the data from all available incident reports, grievances and investigations.

REPORTING CRITERIA

2016 2017

Number of residents present on December 31 st	72	69
Number of residents admitted during the target year	163	209
Number of <i>alleged</i> resident-on-resident NONCONSENSUAL SEXUAL ACTS	1	2
Number of <i>substantiated</i> resident-on-resident NONCONSENSUAL SEXUAL ACTS	0	1
Number of <i>alleged</i> resident-on-resident ABUSIVE SEXUAL CONTACT	1	2
Number of <i>substantiated</i> resident-on-resident ABUSIVE SEXUAL CONTACT	1	1
Number of <i>alleged</i> resident-on-resident SEXUAL HARASSMENT	2	1
Number of <i>substantiated</i> resident-on-resident SEXUAL HARASSMENT	1	0
Number of <i>alleged</i> STAFF SEXUAL MISCONDUCT	0	0
Number of <i>substantiated</i> STAFF SEXUAL MISCONDUCT	0	0
Number of <i>alleged</i> STAFF SEXUAL HARRASMENT	2	0
Number of <i>substantiated</i> STAFF SEXUAL HARRASMENT	0	0

Comparative Analysis:

Christian Acres Youth Center had changes in the categories of reported allegations from 2016-2017. The changes in the categories are from 6 total alleged allegations in 2016 to 7 total alleged allegations in 2017. In 2017 CAYC experienced an increase in residents admitted from 163 in 2016 to 209 in 2017. There was also an increase in allegations with 6 reported in 2016 and 7 reported in 2017. Based on these numbers the per capita of allegations in 2016 was 3.6% and the per capita of allegations in 2017 was 3.3%.

Christian Acres Youth Center continues its efforts in ensuring that the residents, staff, volunteers and contractors are educated in the agency's Zero Tolerance policy. Any suspicions based on the attached continuum are investigated to ensure the health and safety of the residents served. A comparative analysis, based on the definitions in this report, of 2016 and 2017 data indicates the following:

- There is an **increase** of reported resident-on-resident NONCONSENSUAL SEXUAL ACTS. In 2016 there is 1 reported and in 2017 there is 2 reported.
- There is an **increase** of reported resident-on-resident ABUSIVE SEXUAL CONTACT. In 2016 there is 1 reported and in 2017 there is 2 reported.
- There is a **decrease** of reported resident-on-resident SEXUAL HARASSMENT. In 2016 there is 2 reported and in 2016 there is 1 reported.

- There is **no change** of reported STAFF SEXUAL MISCONDUCT. In 2016 & 2017 there is 0 allegations reported.
- There is a **decrease** of reported STAFF SEXUAL HARRASMENT. In 2016 there is 2 reported and in 2017 there is 0 reported.

2016 Corrective Actions

With the increase in PREA Training for employees there appeared to be an increase in allegations from the previous year. It is believed that this increase shows that the staff are more aware of what to look for in keeping the residents safe and there is a general overall comfort in the investigative process.

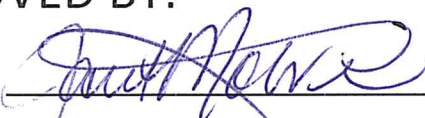
- Training noting the significance of documenting incidents and prevention of incidents was held on 03/17/16 with the emphasis on bathroom and shower procedures.
- All staff participated in Mandatory Reporter Training through the Louisiana Department of Children and Family Services Website.
- Representatives from the agency attended SART (Sexual Assault Response Team) Training offered by the Office of Juvenile Justice through the Moss Group, Inc.

2017 Corrective Actions

- Training noting the significance of documenting incidents and prevention of incidents was held on 03/20/17 with the emphasis on residents who are on precautions and the importance of supervision during bathroom and shower procedures.
- New signs were placed in the gym regarding monitoring the bathroom during the school, as well as keeping the bathroom door locked at all times. The teachers who are employed with the Madison Parish School Board were made aware that they were not responsible for opening the bathroom for the residents. Only CAYC staff members are to open the bathroom doors for residents to assure the proper monitoring.
- CAYC launched an on-line training program for all staff in March 2017. This has assured that all staff receive the information needed in order to provide for the residents' overall safety.
- In August 2017 CAYC launched the data base system. Information is easily accessed for review as well as monitoring any possible retaliation for reports made.

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