201—51.5(356,356A) Physical requirements for existing facilities. This rule shall apply to all facilities in existence prior to June 30, 1984. In cases where an existing facility undergoes major remodeling, rule 201—51.7(356,356A) shall apply to the area being upgraded.

51.5(1) Each single-occupancy cell for detainees in normal status shall have a minimum floor area of 40 square feet.

51.5(2) Multiple-occupancy cells must have 40 square feet of floor space for the first occupant and an additional 20 square feet for each additional occupant.

51.5(3) Except in emergency situations, no multiple-occupancy cell shall house more detainees than the designed capacity.

51.5(4) Each cell shall provide a minimum of 7 feet from floor to ceiling height.

51.5(5) All cells shall be equipped with bunks sufficient to ensure a bunk for each detainee assigned. Every cell will be equipped with a toilet and lavatory that function properly and supply adequate running water. Bunks must be of a size to accommodate a normal-sized male adult. Toilet and lavatory facilities must be accessible to detainees at all times.

51.5(6) Reserved.

51.5(7) Holding cells are multiple-occupancy space where detainees may be confined only while awaiting processing through administrative or legal procedures. These areas must have at least 40 square feet of floor space for the first detainee with 20 square feet for each additional detainee.

51.5(8) Dormitory units shall have a minimum of 60 square feet of floor space per detainee.

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