Juvenile Institutions Core Training
Topic: 10.0 CULTURAL AWARENESS

Instructional Time: 4-hours

### **CLASS #10.1: CULTURAL DIVERSITY AND ETHNIC DISPARITY**

Instructional Time: 2 hours

# **OBJECTIVES:**

- 10.1.1 Define implicit bias. (MCT)
- 10.1.2 Identify how implicit bias affects decision points that are applicable to the job (e.g., housing, detention and release, communication and report writing, etc.). (MCT)
- 10.1.3 Define reducing racial and ethnic disparity. (MCT)
- 10.1.4 Identify how cultural awareness can reduce racial and ethnic disparity. (MCT)
- 10.1.5 Identify how targeted interventions can reduce racial and ethnic disparity. (MCT)
- 10.1.6 Identify how officers can reduce racial and ethnic disparity. (MCT)
- 10.1.7 Identify societal benefits of reducing racial and ethnic disparity. (MCT)
- 10.1.8 Identify reasons for maintaining an awareness and sensitivity to the variety of cultures within a facility (e.g., group control, danger to self or staff, public trust, etc.). (MCT)

#### TRAINING NOTES:

10.1.A Given the ethnic, religious, and cultural diversity found in facilities, discuss problems or opportunities that might arise while interacting with a juvenile and/or family.

#### **CLASS #10.2: GENDER IDENTITY**

Instructional Time: 2 hours

## **OBJECTIVES:**

- 10.2.1 Identify special considerations related to gender identity issues (e.g., searches, urine testing, housing, etc.). (MCT)
- 10.2.2 Differentiate how people can identify themselves (e.g., sexual preference, natural anatomy or self-identity, etc.). (MCT)
- 10.2.3 Identify social and economic impact relating to gender identity. (MCT)