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In accordance with IMPP 01-101D, any attached IMPPs summarized below have had their revision/introduction advanced through appropriate procedures set forth within the context of that IMPP. Additionally, policy memoranda are sometimes issued on a very limited basis, and, if included in this distribution, are similarly summarized below. The following are summaries of the revisions to policy and/or procedures resulting from these processes, and have been reviewed in an attempt to ensure consistency with statutes, regulations, and the current needs and philosophy of the Department.

Per IMPP 01-101D, new and revised policies shall be distributed, prior to their implementation, to designated staff, contract personnel, volunteers, and when appropriate to offenders and designated agencies. The yellow highlighted IMPPs listed in this document are considered “**STAFF READ ONLY**” and shall not be included in the distributions to agencies or organizations not authorized such access.

- 10-121D** **PROGRAMS AND SERVICES: Health Care Personnel; Qualifications, Roles and Responsibilities.** This policy has undergone significant revisions including the removal of procedures from the “Policy Statement” and placed in the “Procedures” section; definitions were revised, deleted or new ones added; procedures were revised to specify by position the appropriate chain of command and responsibility for the provision and delivery of health services including staffing levels and education programs and the inclusion of procedures for juvenile services. KDOC IMPP 10-121 is revoked effective 10/15/15.
- 10-122D** **PROGRAMS AND SERVICES: Access to and Availability of Health Care Services.** This policy has undergone significant revisions including the removal of procedures from the “Policy Statement” and placed in the “Procedures” section; definitions were revised, deleted or new ones added; and the inclusion of procedures for juvenile services. KDOC IMPP 10-122 is revoked effective 10/15/15.
- 10-126D** **PROGRAMS AND SERVICES: Infection Control and Management Response to Offender Refusal of Medical Intervention for Infectious and/or Communicable Diseases.** This policy has undergone significant revisions including the removal of procedures from the “Policy Statement” and placed in the “Procedures” section; definitions were revised, deleted, or new ones added, inclusion of procedures for juvenile services, and specific language added as to the procedures for offenders refusing medical intervention, process for handling refusals and continued non-compliance and when use of force may be ordered to accomplish the mandatory screening of offenders for tuberculosis infection when deemed necessary and the process for continued non-compliance day 15 and day 30 in restrictive housing. KDOC IMPP 10-126 is revoked effective 10/15/15.
- 10-127D** **PROGRAMS AND SERVICES: Consent To or Refusal of Medical Treatment.** This policy has undergone significant revisions including the removal of procedures from the “Policy Statement” and placed in the “Procedures” section; definitions were revised and new ones added, and the inclusions of procedures for juvenile services. KDOC IMPP 10-127 is revoked effective 10/15/15.

NOTE: Yellow highlighting indicates that the particular IMPP is “**Staff Read Only.**”