

Item #5

NDOC Mental Health Policy Reform

- Consolidate and Centralize Mental Health delivery services for the Seriously Mental Ill (SMI).
- Transitioning the SMI population to the Northern Nevada Correctional Center (NNCC) and the Warm Springs Correctional Center (WSCC)
- Moving all current SMI inmates out of segregation units to NNCC.
- Working to develop a step-down unit for the transition of inmates back to the general population.
- Identification of Roy Hookham as the Interim Mental Health Administrator.
- Development of best practices and procedures to create a comprehensive mental health team to include correctional staff; caseworkers; psychologist; medical staff (as required); and nurses.
- Identification of two 200 bed dorms to be constructed at NNCC to address the increase in capacity of mental and medical health inmates.