


MELROSE POLICE DEPARTMENT		Department Manual: Policy No. 3.10
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Male Cell Monitors

1.0 SUMMARY:

The Monitor assists detainees as directed by the Officer-in-Charge. All monitors must have received a minimum of eight (8) hours' training in becoming familiar with lockup, restraint and Massachusetts Suicide Law procedures. (33.7.2)

2.0 DUTIES AND RESPONSIBILITIES:

2.1 Under the direction of the OIC, be responsible in accordance with department procedures and the MGL C 40, s. 36B (Suicide Law) for the well-being and safekeeping of all male detainees.

2.2 Communicate all significant information to the OIC through the dispatcher.

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- 2.3** To be alert and report, any conduct that may be harmful to the detainee.
- 2.4** To be aware of the proper procedure in notifying the OIC in case of emergencies.
- 2.5** Monitors are not to give anything to the detainee without permission from the OIC.
- 2.6** Monitors are to remain away from the cell doors and avoid any physical contact with the detainee.
- 2.7** Monitors will remain at their post until properly relieved.