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Victor Correia, Superintendent
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Re: Plan of Correction – Massachusetts Treatment Center, Bridgewater

Dear Superintendent Correia:

The Massachusetts Department of Public Health, Community Sanitation Program (CSP) has received your Plan of Correction in response to my inspection on April 12 and 13, 2023. After review, the CSP finds the plan appropriately addresses all the violations noted in the report with the following exceptions:

1. In instances where you indicate "scrape and clean" or "scrape floor" as a corrective action, please provide a corrective action which will ensure that that the floor and wall coverings are smooth and easily cleanable once completed; and
2. In regards to the issue of overcrowding, the Department appreciates the limitations of correctional facilities and the need to accommodate the ever-increasing population; however we remain concerned with the overcrowded conditions.

Thank you for your prompt attention to this matter, should you have any questions please contact me at the address listed above.

Sincerely,

Patrick Wallace

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Environmental Health Inspector, CSP, BEH

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