
 Department of Corrections and Community Supervision DIRECTIVE	TITLE Taconic Correctional Facility		NO. 0055
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REFERENCES (Include but are not limited to) Correction Law, Article 1, Section 2(28); 7NYCRR, Part 100.82; Directive #2612, #4805	APPROVING AUTHORITY 		

- I. **DESCRIPTION:** Taconic Correctional Facility is classified as a medium security correctional facility and is located in the Town of Bedford Hills in Westchester County. This facility is used for the general confinement of females 18 years of age or older.
- II. **FUNCTIONS:** Taconic Correctional Facility offers academic education, vocational training, counseling, Aggression Replacement Training (ART), substance abuse treatment services, relapse prevention services, a Re-Entry Program, Transitional Services Programs, "Moving On" (a gender informed cognitive behavioral program), a Trauma, Addiction, Mental Health and Recovery Program (TAMAR), multiple volunteer programs including parenting programs, college programming (potential to obtain Associate's/Bachelor's Degree), a Family Reunion Program, and video visitation.

 Taconic Correctional Facility has a Special Education Program in accordance with Directive #4805, "Special Education Services." Taconic Correctional Facility is a designated facility that accommodates incarcerated individuals with sensorial disabilities in accordance with Directive #2612, "Incarcerated Individuals with Sensorial Disabilities." Reasonable accommodations (to include sign language services) will be provided to eligible incarcerated individuals with sensorial disabilities.

 Taconic Correctional Facility is classified as Mental Health Service Level 2, as defined in Correction Law, Article 1, Section 2 (28).
- III. **CRITERIA:** To be eligible for placement in general confinement, an incarcerated individual must be classified medium security or less.
- IV. **PHYSICAL ENVIRONMENT:** Housing units at Taconic Correctional Facility consist of single cells, single rooms, multiple occupancy rooms, and dormitories.