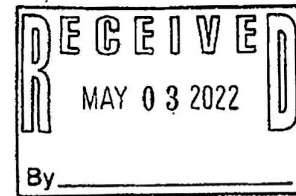


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Informal Grievance Form

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Step 1: Informal Resolution (to be completed by Inmate)

- Inmate has five (5) days after triggering incident to submit request.
- The IGP coordinator will respond within seven (7) business days

Inmate First Name:

Ryan

Inmate Last Name:

Nichols

DC DC #

376795

Unit:

SMU-A

Date:

5/2/22

Select Department/Services Needed:

Click the drop down menu to select:

Staff Treatment

Date of Incident:

5/1/22

Time of Incident:

2:45PM

Offender:

Dayshift Officers

Reason for Complaint:

Yesterday, I wrote in about not having access to drinking water or a toilet since roughly 2:45 PM on 5/1/22. The issue had nothing to do with me, but rather the cell next to me. The officers said that cell 10 "might" flood the tier if his water was on, so they turned both of our waters off for the day and night. The officers did not turn the water back on until approximately 11AM today 5/2/22, which is 20 hours and 15 minutes that I did not have access to drinking water or a flushable toilet. Water is a basic human right, and no human should have their basic right to water taken from them over something that they "might" do. Furthermore, another human (me), should not have to be punished for the actions of another individual, ESPECIALLY by way of depriving me of a basic human right- to water. Cruel and unusual punishment doesn't do this situation justice. The better word for it is TORTURE. These are actions you would expect to hear from China, North Korea, or Russia. The United States is "supposed" to be better than this, but I am finding out first hand that the United