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(a) **Standard.**

Upon intra-system transfer to a Texas Juvenile Justice Department institution, youth receive a mental health screening by a registered nurse.

(b) **Procedures.**

- (1) Upon the intra-system transfer of a youth to a TJJD institution and prior to dorm placement, a **registered nurse** conducts a mental health screening and documents the screening on the Intrasystem Health Screening form, [HLS-105](#).
 - (2) If acute psychiatric symptoms or suicidal ideation are noted during the intra-system health screening, the **registered nurse** refers the youth to a mental health professional for follow-up and documents the referral in the Electronic Medical Record (EMR).
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