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JUVENILE JUSTICE  
DEPARTMENT

## Administrative Directive #4 FY 2023

To: TJJJ Employees  
From: Shandra Carter, Executive Director  
Subject: Prohibited Items  
Date: March 22, 2023

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Effective Friday, March 24, 2023, the following personal electronic devices will be prohibited at TJJJ secure facilities and considered contraband:

- smart watches;
- fitness trackers;
- personal tablets; and
- any non-TJJJ-issued device that has the capability to transmit data using Bluetooth, cellular service, near-field communications (NFC), or Wi-Fi.

Watches that do not have the capability to install applications or communicate electronically will be allowed.

This directive will remain in effect until corresponding changes are made in the appropriate policies or manuals or until it is otherwise rescinded or modified.