Colorado Community Corrections
Office of Community Corrections
Division of Criminal Justice
SECTION 1

State Statutes and Funding

Role of the State in Community Corrections
C.R.S 17-27-101

• Establishes community corrections and its purpose

• Establishes referral agencies

• Gives local unit of government authority to designate programs, boards, and networks to address local criminal justice needs.
C.R.S 17-27-108 DCJ Responsibilities

- Administer Funding
- Establish State Standards for Program Performance
- Audit with Compliance with Standards
- Measure and Report Program Performance
- Training and Technical Assistance
Section 2

State Level Regulation

Community Corrections Standards and Audit and Evaluation Processes
Colorado Community Corrections Standards

94 standards in the areas of:

- Client Supervision
- Environment/Facility
- Communication/Coordination/Collaboration
- Client Development
- Organizational Management/Accountability
- Program Development
- Staff Development
Audit and Evaluation

Core Security Audit

PACE Evaluation

Specialized Scope of Work Review
Section 3

Future of Community Corrections

Performance Based Contracting
Wildly Important Goal: Establish a statewide baseline and framework for implementing performance-based contracting in community corrections.
What is performance?

General Definition of Overall Performance

- Program Quality (Adherence to Principles of Effective Intervention)
- Program Compliance (Core Security Functions)
- Program Efficacy (Risk Informed Outcomes)

Direct Control of Provider

INDIRECT Control of Provider and Objective

Public Safety
Questions?

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