

**New Beginnings Aftercare Center**  
**An outreach program of**  
**Jesus is The Way Prison Ministry**

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**Rules and Regulations**

**Participation in behavior described in rules 1-8 will result in immediate dismissal from program:**

1. **Intentional damage or the theft of any property or contents whether Jesus is the Ways' or any residents will result in a filed police report.**
2. **Willful assault, threatening, intimidating or menacing of any staff member, alumni, intern staff, or a fellow resident with intent to inflict bodily harm.**
3. **Any involvement with women (dating, relationships and sexual conduct) is prohibited while residing at Jesus is the Way.**
4. **Use of non prescription drugs, narcotics, tobacco products of any kind (Smoke, chew, blunts etc), inhalants,**

**liquor of any kind, or pornography.**

5. **Refusal to attend or participate in all church services, bible studies, and classes as required.**
6. **Refusal to submit to a drug or alcohol screen, or testing positive for alcohol or an illicit drug.**
7. **NO CELL PHONES allowed!**
8. **No candles, incense, lighters or matches.**
9. Any food items must be individually packaged. No open packages are allowed in your room.
10. Do not access or attempt to access the garage, any automobiles or others rooms without notifying staff of your reason for access.
11. Remain courteous to all who enter the ministry as you are a reflection of the ministry itself. The same will apply in the store, church or any other place you are traveling in ministry vehicles or with ministry staff.
12. Do not commit to any activity with anyone outside of the ministry without first having approval from Director of Aftercare.
13. Must inform staff of any and all prescribed medications. NO NARCOTICS are allowed.
14. **NO RESIDENT IS ALLOWED TO LEAVE THE PREMISES WITHOUT AN APPROVED DESTINATION, A**

**DESIGNATED TIME FRAME AND STAFF PERMISSION.**

15. **YOU MUST OBEY STAFF DIRECTIVES.** It is not acceptable to go from one staff member to another seeking approval for a previously declined request.
16. Disrespect of or arguing with staff members for any reason will not be tolerated.
17. Do not leave the group at church, outings bible studies, classes, or any other activities without staff permission.
18. You must keep your room neat and sanitary (refer to rule #9).
19. Do not talk about your past life or things that could cause others to stumble, such as Satanism, sex, drugs, gangs, etc. except to do only for the purpose of a testimony.
20. Do not use racial terms, nor make fun of other ethnic or racial groups.
21. Do not wear gang colors or clothes that signify drugs or drug paraphernalia.
22. **NO HORSEPLAY** with our therapy dog. She must stay calm to live on-site and be safe for our guests.
23. Complete all assignments, homework, and studies and hand them in on time.
24. Shower at least once daily, to use deodorant and be clean and smell fresh all day.

25. ALL schedules events are MANDATORY, i.e. Church, Bible Study, Classes, Etc.

**Dress code**

26. Dress appropriately at all times for onsite classes as well as offsite functions.

27. Haircuts must be neat and appropriate.

**Correspondence:**

28. Residents may receive mail only from approved individuals (no inmate correspondence) – Incoming mail will be opened by staff. Outgoing mail must be unsealed for staff approval.

29. NO solicitation of funds through mail or any other venue will be permitted at any time. If you have a need speak to staff.

**Phone calls:**

30. Residents are allowed to use the phone one day per week. All phone calls must be logged.

31. Staff and parole agents reserve the right to restrict who you call.

**Visitation:**

32. Visits are allowed only after completing 14 days in the program (No visits while in the 2 week orientation).

33. First visit is on-site from 1-5pm on a Saturday. Thereafter, approved visits on-site 8am-6pm Saturday upon approval from both staff and parole.

34. Only approved individuals may visit.

35. Visitors must be dressed modestly or the visit may be refused.

36. All visitors must check in with staff and sign the visitor's register.

37. Visitors are never to encourage residents to leave the program prematurely.

**Gifts/Money:**

38. Visitors should never feel compelled to bring gifts for the residents.

39. All gifts must be presented to the resident in the presence of staff. Any monetary gifts must be submitted to the front desk staff for deposit into resident's personal spending account.

40. Once your employment is obtained residents will pay a program fee of 30% of gross income earned. Your account will be managed at JITW's bank; you will receive a receipt for all transactions. Please note the ministry is not responsible for your housing when you leave. At the end of your program time you will have saved 50% of money for a residence when you leave.

**Passes:**

41. Residents qualify for weekend passes after 60 days in the program. Passes are permitted only in accordance with the resident's positive change in behavior & parole approval.

42. Passes are a privilege and may be reduced or canceled by staff.

43. Passes will be allowed only after a resident submits a resident pass request form, and staff approves the form.

44. Pass requests will be submitted 7 days in advance, and the destination will be called to verify resident's relationship.

45. Upon returning from a pass a resident will submit to a drug test.

**ATTN JITWPM/NBAC Staff: - Upon reviewing ALL the rules with new residents, please complete the following and store a copy in the resident's file:**

**Date of review** \_\_\_\_\_

**Staff Initials** \_\_\_\_\_

**Print Name of Resident** \_\_\_\_\_

**Resident Signature** \_\_\_\_\_