



Department of
Youth Services

**Message from DYS Director Harvey Reed
Circleville JCF Receives Reaccreditation**

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The American Correctional Association (ACA) “142nd Congress of Correction” is underway this week. Yesterday Circleville Juvenile Correctional Facility (CJCF) had a Panel Hearing before the Commission on Accreditation for Corrections. I am pleased to announce that CJCF was awarded final approval on reaccreditation.

The facility was reaccredited under the 4th Edition Performance-Based Standards for Juvenile Correctional Facilities, which required compliance with 368 standards. CJCF was initially accredited by ACA in August 1996 and has now successfully maintained accreditation for 16 years. Congratulations to Superintendent Ron Edwards, ACA Manager Rose Harman and all of the staff at CJCF.

Please join me in acknowledging CJCF for everyone’s hard work and dedication to ACA standards that led to a successful reaccreditation.

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