

SOUTH CAROLINA DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS
MEMORANDUM

TO: ALL WARDENS

FROM: Joel E. Anderson, Interim Director

SUBJECT: PREPARATION FOR THE HOLIDAY SEASON - 2025

DATE: October 1, 2025

This memorandum serves to remind you that the time to start planning for the upcoming holiday season is fast approaching.

VISITATION: Additional visiting days have been approved. The dates shown below should be posted for inmates and visitors. Regular weekend visitation refers to the institution's normal visiting hours Saturday and/or Sunday. **Holiday Visitation** is to be allowed, and times will be posted at each institution so that all **eligible** inmates have equal access.

Thursday	November 27, 2025	Holiday Visitation
Friday	November 28, 2025	Holiday Visitation
Saturday	November 29, 2025	Regular Weekend Visitation
Sunday	November 30, 2025	Regular Weekend Visitation
Friday	December 12, 2025	Holiday Visitation
Saturday	December 13, 2025	Regular Weekend Visitation
Sunday	December 14, 2025	Regular Weekend Visitation
Friday	December 19, 2025	Holiday Visitation
Saturday	December 20, 2025	Regular Weekend Visitation
Sunday	December 21, 2025	Regular Weekend Visitation
Wednesday	December 24, 2025	Holiday Visitation
Thursday	December 25, 2025	Holiday Visitation
Friday	December 26, 2025	Holiday Visitation
Saturday	December 27, 2025	Regular Weekend Visitation
Sunday	December 28, 2025	Regular Weekend Visitation

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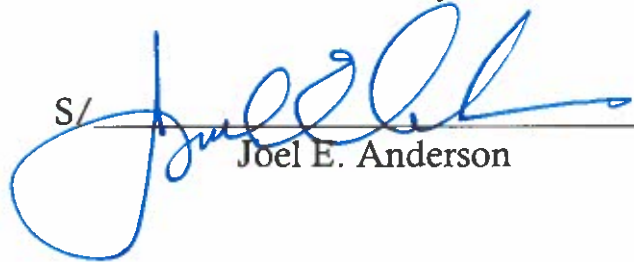
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PLEASE NOTE: During the months of December, ONLY THOSE INMATES WITH FULL VISITING PRIVILEGES will be allowed to have visits. The current parameters will determine how many visits a month. Please note that inmates housed in closed custody will continue to have four (4) visits a month. The limit for virtual visitation will remain the same, eight (8) virtual visits a month and a total of three (3) virtual visits a day. The GTL scheduler will be utilized for these visits. Please note that certain special conditions (housing assignments) will offer afternoon visitation only (2:00-4:00 pm).

Visits for inmates housed in a Restrictive Housing Unit, some Infirmaries and Gilliam Psychiatric Hospital will continue to be scheduled through the institution.

Disseminate this information to your employees and inmate population as soon as possible so that everyone may be aware of the procedures governing holiday privileges. I wish everyone a blessed and safe holiday season.

S/ 
Joel E. Anderson

cc: Executive Staff
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