

El Valle Detention Facility

Preparing Detainees for Successful Re-Entry

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Facility Profile

Warden: Francisco Venegas | **Capacity:** 1,000 Detainees | **Security Level:** Low, Medium, and High

Economic Impact

Staff: 250

About the El Valle Detention Facility

MTC has operated detention centers for Immigration and Customs Enforcement since 2006. MTC is committed to providing detainees with a clean, open, and comfortable living space. Staff are trained to treat the men in our care with respect and dignity while maintaining a safe and secure environment.

Our medial team provides quality, comprehensive, and responsive medical care to all detainees, meeting or exceeding current ICE standards. On the first day of arrival, each detainee receives a preliminary medical screening, immediately followed by a more comprehensive physical exam. Ongoing medical care for acute and chronic illness is available 24/7 at all MTC facilities.

MTC and community partners provide access to legal materials and services. Upon arrival, detainees attend an orientation, which includes a Know Your Rights presentation. Legal presentations are also provided on a regular basis. Each detainee has access to the law library at least 15 hours per week. They are assisted by a dedicated, full-time librarian and have access to computers.

Detainees also have access to indoor and outdoor recreation, religious services, reading materials, and other activities. Although the average stay is only eight weeks, MTC is committed to providing the highest quality of services to help make their experience positive and dignified.

