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14 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
15 EASTERN DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA  
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17 RALPH COLEMAN,  
18 Plaintiffs,  
19 vs.  
20 ARNOLD SCHWARZENEGGER, et al.,  
21 Defendants  
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) No.: Civ S 90-0520 LKK-JFM  
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) **ORDER REGARDING DEFENDANTS'**  
) **REVISED PROGRAM GUIDE**  
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1 The Special Master's Report and Recommendations on Defendants' Revised Program  
2 Guide was filed on February 3, 2006. Defendants filed the January 2006 Revised Program  
3 Guide on February 3, 2006. Defendants filed limited objections to the Special Master's Report  
4 on February 14, 2006, concerning issues of classification and disability discrimination.  
5 Plaintiffs filed objections on February 17, 2006, listing and clarifying their remaining  
6 objections to the January 2006 Revised Program Guide. The court has reviewed the Special  
7 Master's Report and the objections to the Report filed by the parties.

8 Good cause appearing,

9 IT IS HEREBY ORDERED THAT:

10 1. The court hereby approves the undisputed provisions of the January 2006  
11 Revised Program Guide, and orders defendants to immediately implement all such provisions.

12 2. The following disputed sections of the Revised Program Guide would, if  
13 implemented, reduce the amount of care currently mandated by the 1997 Program Guides. As  
14 to these disputed sections, the requirements of the 1997 Program Guide shall continue to apply  
15 until plaintiffs' objections have been heard and decided:

16 a. On page 12-7-4 of the Revised Program Guide, the defendants' proposed  
17 reduction in daily psych tech rounding for non-MHSDS inmates in administrative  
18 segregation to once a week rounds. The 1997 Program Guide requirement of daily  
19 rounds shall continue to apply.

20 b. On page 12-7-6 of the Revised Program Guide, the defendants' proposed  
21 reduction in individual clinical case management contacts for 3CMS inmates housed in  
22 administrative segregation to every other week clinical contacts. The 1997 Program  
23 Guides requirement of weekly clinical contacts shall continue to apply.

24 3. Plaintiffs have filed and maintained objections to various additional provisions in  
25 the Revised Program Guides. Defendants are hereby ordered to immediately implement these  
26 sections of the Revised Program Guide, even though they remain in dispute. These remaining  
27 disputes are set forth in plaintiffs' objections. In addition, plaintiffs request that certain  
28 additional requirements be added to the Revised Program Guide. Good cause appearing, this

1 matter is set for status conference on April 26, 2006 at 3:00 p.m. in Courtroom # 4 to  
2 determine an appropriate procedure for hearing plaintiffs' objections and scheduling these  
3 remaining issues for resolution.

4 4. The special master and the parties are directed to finalize the provisions of the  
5 Program Guide related to the review of psychiatrist qualifications, staffing ratios, CPR and  
6 video monitoring within 30 days from the date of this order. The parties are also directed to  
7 report to the court concerning the resolution of those matters within 45 days from the date of  
8 this order.

9 DATED: March 2, 2006.

10 /s/Lawrence K. Karlton  
11 Lawrence K. Karlton  
12 Senior Judge  
13 United States District Court  
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