

**DECLARATION UNDER PENALTY OF PERJURY**  
**PURSUANT TO 28 USCA 1746**

**FORMER COUNSELOR FOR Jubilee**

I, [REDACTED] declare and state as follows:  
[NAME OF DECLARANT]

1. Facility/Program Name: Jubilee Leadership Academy (aka: Jubilee Youth Ranch)

2. Facility/Program Location: Prescott, Washington

3. Length of Enrollment/Contract/Employment: [i.e. June 1, 2001-July 21, 2003]  
[REDACTED] through [REDACTED]

4. [DECLARATIVE STATEMENT: Body of Your Report Regarding Your Experience at Above Named Facility/Program]:

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Areas of concern noted during my employment were:

1. Dormitory staff dispensing prescribed medications. These same staff members did not have any credentials or licensure to dispense or handle medications. Even when inspectors with the Division of Behavioral Health and Recovery learned of this practice and counseled that JLA hire a nurse, this counsel was ignored. Unfortunately during the time I was employed at JLA, there were numerous medication errors resulting in

young men becoming ill, either from being given the wrong medication, being given no medication, or the wrong dosage.

2. Suicide attempts are common with the students enrolled at Jubilee Leadership Academy. In many instances, I and my clinical staff made the decision to involve the local crisis response team out of Walla Walla. Recommendations were also made for most of these young men to be psychiatrically hospitalized. However, the administrator (Rick Griffin) and the Admissions Coordinator (Leann Griffin, who is the wife of Rick Griffin), set forth a policy that the clinical staff were to not respond to any young men who had attempted suicide, and that they (Mr. & Mrs. Griffin) would handle this themselves. This was reported to the Washington Division of Behavioral Health and Recovery, and after a State Audit the policy had to be re-written to include interventions from the Clinical Staff.
3. The maintenance duties of Jubilee Leadership Academy are primarily completed by work-release inmates who are currently incarcerated at Washington State Penitentiary in Walla Walla. Despite that every student at Jubilee Leadership Academy meets the definition of an "at-risk youth," there is significant non-supervised time between inmates and students.
4. Jubilee Leadership Academy hires staff members directly out of prison as well as illegal immigrants. Just prior to my departure from Jubilee Leadership Academy, an inmate (Jeffrey Lee Boughter) from Washington State Penitentiary was hired on the date of his release. Initially, he was

employed in the school cafeteria as well as a residential manager in the dormitory.

5. Significant physical abuse of students is prevalent. One fight which I remember in particular involved a student beating another student who had just arrived. Even though there is a policy of no cell phones on campus, the fight was recorded by other students who posted it on social media. By the next day, the fight had generated over 20,000 views. The student who was beaten ran away from campus for his own protection.

I give HEAL permission to use this statement. I declare under penalty of perjury that the foregoing is true and correct. Executed on March 6, 2018.

[DATE SIGNED]

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