

WEBER COUNTY SHERIFF'S OFFICE		POLICY AND PROCEDURES	
SUBJECT: Audio-Visual Communications and Control, Duress Alarms		CHAPTER/SECTION NO.: 48.12	
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48.12 Policy

- 48.12.1 The holding facility Control Center monitors the audio-visual communications and monitoring system within the holding area, all hallways, entrances and court rooms.
- A. An identified intercom is installed in each cell, controlled passageway, and elevators used to hold, transport detainees or in which detainees have access.
 - B. The Control Center may monitor and communicate via the intercoms and acts as the court security dispatch center through two way radio communications.
 - C. No electronic surveillance equipment, whether audio or visual shall be installed, directed or monitored in any manner that invades or could possibly invade a detainee's personal privacy. Personal privacy in this matter shall include, but may not be limited to, any areas where dressing or use of toilet facilities occurs.
- 48.12.2 Court bailiffs/deputies are equipped with two way radio communications with the Control Center. A security alarm/duress alarm system is located in each courtroom: behind the judges bench, and the clerks and bailiff's desks, as well as at each clerks counter on

every floor. Once activated the Control Center receives the duress signal and audio-visually monitors the area of concern.