

Cameron County Sheriff's Office Jail Division
7100 Old Alice Road
Olmito, Texas 78575
956.554.6701



Visitation with friends and family is defined as a "social visit". Social Visits are a privilege and are not a guaranteed right. Visits with your legal counsel or other authorized criminal justice or judicial officials are, however, a right. These visits are classified as "professional" or "privileged" visits.

Please note that all visitation time and access are subject to change without notice. The jail will not accept messages for inmates nor can inmates receive incoming calls. All mail must go through the Postmaster. Front desk personnel are not allowed to accept mail of any kind. In the event of an extreme or emergency personal/family situation you may request a special visit. All requests for special visits will be considered on a case by case basis. All visitors must be 18 years of age and present a valid form of government issued photo identification during the registration process (e.g., Texas Driver's License, Texas D.P.S. I.D., Passport, Military I.D., U.S. Immigration Visa/Border Crossing Card or Matricula Consular). All visitors under the age of 18 must have a parent or guardian present during visitation. Approvals for Securus Profiles are generally approved within 24 to 48 hours. By registering to visit an inmate you are accepting to follow all rules and regulations set forth by the Cameron County Sheriff's Department. Jail staff will not allow you to visit unless you cooperate with all requirements. Failure to comply with any of the rules set forth or to follow staff orders will result in immediate cancellation of visitation and/or a suspension from visitation privileges up to 30 days or longer depending on the circumstances.

Face-to-Face Visitation:

1. Inmates are responsible for filling out and handing in their visitation list to the jail staff. If there is not visit list in the system a visit may be approved by the shift supervisors.
2. Your photo Id is required when you sign up for a visit and will be check against the inmate's approved visitation list. Should you not be on the list you will not be allowed to visit the inmate.
3. The following items are **NOT** allowed inside the visitation lobby or visitation area(s): Purse, wallets, bags, electronic devices, cellphones, recording devices, writing instruments, lighters, weapons, liquids, foods, etc. *(subject to change at the sheriff's department discretion).*
4. Visitors are not allowed to bring any items when visiting an inmate except for car keys and/or ID cards.
5. All visitors must be signed up 20 minutes before visitation begins, but no more than one (1) hour before visit begins. Late visitors will not be allowed to go into visitation.
6. Inmates are only allowed their five (5) approved visitors to visit once on their scheduled visit day. Only two (2) children (17 years old and younger) may accompany any one adult at a time.
7. Children must be kept under the supervision of the adult(s). **NO** running and/or horse playing will be allowed. If any child is excessively noisy or unruly, the visit will be cancelled or terminated early for that family member for that day.
8. **ALL** visitors must follow **ALL** visitation **RULES** and be dressed appropriately. **NO** miniskirts, tank tops, transparent or provocative, revealing, backless, strapless, sleeveless, low cut, wide-necked clothing will be permitted in the facility.
9. No clothing displaying obscene or offensive language, drawings or gang affiliation.
10. Shorts, skirts and dresses must be at least two (2) inches under the knee in a normal standing position.
11. No spandex, tights or leggings without shorts, skirts or dresses.

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Video (Remote) Visitation:

1. Remote visits shall be scheduled in advance by the visitor from the Securus Video Visitation Website at www.videovisitanywhere.com
2. This will be a self-governing system. It will be the responsibility of the inmate and the visitor to be present at the start of the scheduled visit. If either party is late in signing in they will only receive the balance of the remaining time for the visitation.
3. The duration of each visit is 20 minutes. Inmates are restricted to 10 remote visits a week.
4. All visits are recorded and subject to monitoring by the Cameron County Jail Staff.
5. Inmates must be in full uniform while using the phones or terminals.
6. Visitors must be completely and properly dress. Person wearing transparent, provocative, or tight-fitting clothing will not be allowed during the visit. Violators will be barred from remote visitation.
7. NO Nudity- Any indecent exposure of the incarcerated individual will result in termination of the visit, and will result in disciplinary action against the incarcerated individual. Including the removal of the visitor from the visitation access.
8. NO Nudity- Any indecent exposure of a visitor's body will result in termination of the visit and removal of visitation access for the visitor.
9. Visitors appearing to be under the influence of alcohol or drugs; displaying items that may be considered as contraband such as drugs, drug paraphernalia, weapons; or displaying gang signs, symbols, colors, etc., are subject to having the visit cancelled and will be barred from future visits.
10. Any type of provocative or disruptive behavior will not be permitted. Excessive use of vulgar language or gestures is a violation of facility rules and will result in disciplinary action against the incarcerated individual.
11. No 3-way phone calls of any type.
12. **DO NOT** damage or deface the visitation equipment. Doing so may result in prosecution.
13. Additional cellular phones and/or other electronic devices are not allowed. Any visitor caught with secondary cellular phone will have their visitation revoked. No pictures or snapshots are allowed to be taken of the Video Visitation.
14. If you experience a problem with the audio or video reception during your visit, please refer to the Securus Video Visitation website for assistance, or call Securus Customer Service – 1.877.578.3658 / Securus Direct Billing 1.800.844.6591

Onsite Video Visitation:

1. Visitors 18 and older are required to present a valid identification displaying their photograph (either a Driver's License or a Texas DPS Identification Card)
2. Visitors under the age of 18 years of age must be accompanied by an appropriately identified adult visitor and must remain under their control at all times during the visit. Failure to do so may result in expulsion of the inmate's visitor.
3. Visitors must follow all visitation rules and be completely and properly dressed. Persons wearing miniskirts, tank tops, transparent or provocative clothing will not be permitted to enter the facility. Shorts and dresses will be below the knee.
4. Cellular phones and/or other electronic devices are not allowed. Any visitor caught with a cellular phone will have their visitation revoked.

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Any violation of a visitation rule during the visitation period will result in termination of the visit and/or include the removal of the visitation access for the visitor and/or disciplinary action against the incarcerated individual.

Cameron County Sheriff's Office and/or his designee reserves the right to deny, cancel, or terminate any visit prior to or during a session when there is a reason to believe that the visit is not in the best interest of the safety and security of the facility and/or based upon the visitor or inmate's misconduct. Cameron County Sheriff's Office reserves the right to restrict a visitor from participating in all future use of the system.

Inmate Mail:

The sender's name and return address must appear on the envelope. Incoming letters that arrive without a name and return address will be returned to the post office. Packages will not be accepted.

- Cameron County Jail
(Inmate's Full Name and ID #)
(Inmate's Pod and/or Cell Assignment)
954 E. Harrison St.
Brownsville Texas 78520
- Ruben Torres Detention Center & Detention Center II
(Inmate's Full Name and ID #)
(Inmate's Pod and/or Cell Assignment)
1145 E. Harrison ST.
Brownsville Texas 78520
- Carrizales-Rucker Detention Facility
(Inmate's Full Name and ID #)
(Inmate's Pod and/or Cell Assignment)
7100 Old Alice Rd.
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Items not acceptable vial mail (Incoming Mail)

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| No glued/taped items | No glitter/stones |
| No strings/wires | No staples/paper clips |
| No stickers/post it's | No clothing (fabric) |
| No pens/pencils | No coloring pages/paint |
| No stamps/labels | No crossword/search puzzle |
| No blank paper/envelopes | No internet material |
| No alcohol in pictures | No bookmarks |
| No gang signs in pictures | No laminated items |
| No computer pictures/print outs | No hard items |
| No revealing pictures/ No Nudity | No lipstick/perfume |
| No image pictures (Saints, vehicles...etc.) | No oversized cards/pictures |
| No newspaper/magazine clippings | No 3rd party mail |

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Books and Subscriptions:

All books and subscriptions must be paperback and come directly from the publisher or books store. No hardback books or books containing staples will be accepted. Books and subscriptions must be paid in advance and cannot contain any nudity, profanity or advocate violence/hatred toward any individual, organization, religion or nation. Books and subscriptions cannot contain instructions for the manufacturing of explosives, weapons, drugs, drug paraphernalia, alcoholic beverages, escape(s) paraphernalia, or to affect and/or facilitate an escape. All books and newspapers will be thoroughly searched. You will be denied delivery of any book or newspaper that is in violation of facility regulations.

Pictures:

Inmates are allowed to have up to six (6) pictures in their possession at any one time. Other pictures will be placed in inmate's property and returned to inmate when released or inmate may mail to family. Pictures should have no nudity or sexually explicit material. Framed, matted or hardback (Instamatic) photographs are not allowed in the facility. Professional or amateur pornographic materials and sexually explicit or suggestive photographs of any type are not allowed in the facility.

