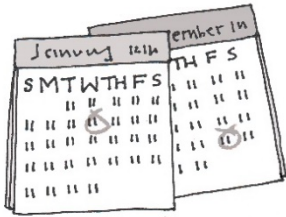




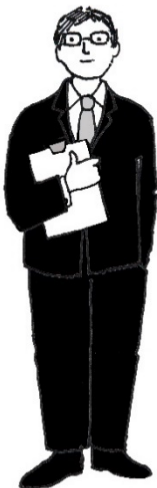
Inspection of HMP Risley



Inspectors visited this prison in April 2023.



We wanted to find out if things were better, the same or worse for prisoners since we last visited in 2016.



We did this by:

- looking around the prison
- asking prisoners and staff to fill in a questionnaire
- speaking to prisoners
- speaking to staff and helpers
- reading documents.

What did we find?



Prisoners were kept quite safe.

We gave the prison 3 out of 4 for this.



Prisoners were not treated well enough by staff.

We gave the prison 2 out of 4 for this.



Prisoners had very little to do.

We gave the prison 1 out of 4 for this.



Prisoners did not have enough help to change their behaviour and get ready for release.

We gave the prison 2 out of 4 for this.

What should the prison do?



We want the governor to read our inspection report. You can find the report in the prison library.

We want the governor to make a plan. The plan should tell us how they will fix the problems at HMP Risley and make things better for prisoners.

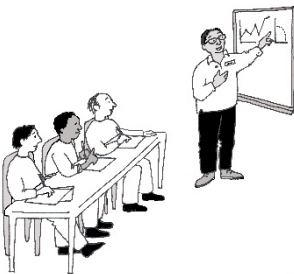
What do we want to happen?



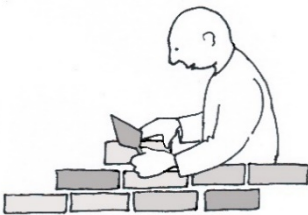
We want fewer prisoners to hurt themselves. We want them to get better care from staff.



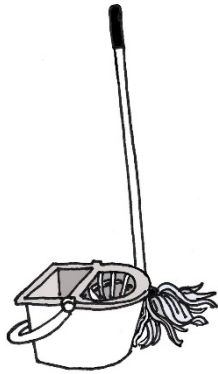
We want prisoners to have more time out of their cells.



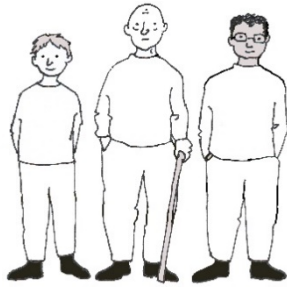
We there to be a better range of education, skills and work activities for prisoners.



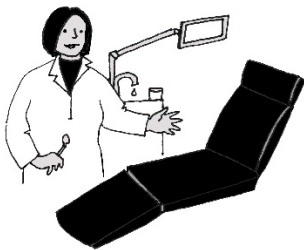
We want prisoners to get work experience and qualifications. We want them to have advice about getting a job when they leave prison.



We want the prison to be much cleaner and to be repaired. We want mould in the showers to be sorted out.



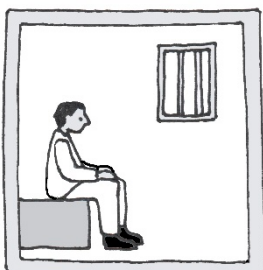
We want prisoners from different groups to be treated fairly.



We want prisoners to be able to see a dentist in the prison.

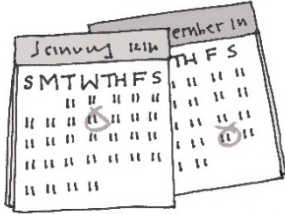


We want prisoners to be able to do the programmes they need before release.



We want the segregation unit to be much cleaner. We want segregated prisoners to have more time out of their cells.

What will we do?



We will come back in a few years to check how well the prison is doing. We will write a report to tell people what we find.



If you have any questions, please write to us:

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