

PRISONER GRIEVANCE

Print Name	Institution/Module	OBSCIS Number	Log Number
Brown, Anthony L.	CCA/PCC/JG207	6555	05 0318

Date of Incident: 05/02/05 Describe the incident and your attempts to handle it informally ONE issue per grievance.

On 04/12/05 I informed CCA Medical, in writing, that I was to receive visits from family residing in Alaska during a four-day period from 4/30 through 5/3. Medical staff replied to my request with "Noted."

On 5/2, in the late evening, I was told to report to Medical for an outside appointment on 5/3 for a liver biopsy. When I informed security and medical staff that I would be visiting with family from Alaska, I was told I had to sign a "treatment refusal." My having informed them beforehand, in writing, that I would be visiting with family from Alaska was irrelevant.

I have rights to both medical care and visiting, as a component of rehabilitation, under Alaska's Constitution. Furthermore, family members travelling from Alaska to visit me, do so at great expense. I had the courtesy to inform Medical authorities of the dates of planned visits to avoid such a conflict. That courtesy was not returned.

I have not, and will not, refuse medical treatment. However, to the extent possible, Medical (and Security) staff should recognize and accommodate out-of-state visitation.

P.S. I will be visiting with my Mother, from Alaska, during the period of 5/19 through 5/24. Please, do not schedule appointments during that period. I have notified Medical of this, in writing.

(Attach additional pages if necessary)

I request the following relief (state outcome you are seeking):

Reschedule my medical appointment and let us work together to accommodate visits with my family from Alaska - it does not happen so often as to be an impediment to my medical care.

Thank you.

I understand that this grievance must be filed with the grievance coordinator within 30 days of the occurrence or my knowledge of this incident:

Date: 5/4/05 Prisoner's Signature: Anthony Lee Brown

I acknowledge receipt of this grievance and have issued the Log Number above for reference. Please refer any inquiries about this grievance to the assigned Log Number:

Date Filed in Compliance: 5/5/05 Grievance Coordinator's Signature: [Signature]

- Original : Prisoner File
- Copies: Prisoner
- Grievance Coordinator
- Grievance/Compliance Administrator