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Subject: Coronavirus and people with cpap machines in GBCI

So Green Bay Corr. Inst. did a bunch of moving inmates around to make room for people who get sick and need to be quarantined.

They have a building called the Treatment Center which consists of three floors. The top floor is designated for records and social workers offices. The bottom floor is designated for people with "special needs", I'm not sure what "special needs" means.

Now here is what I don't understand. The second floor has three hallways. The middle hallway consists of dental, and medical. The left hallway is now the "sick" or "quarantine" hallway. The right hallway is where they are housing inmates with cpap machines.

They had a big meeting with all the inmates with cpap machines. They gave us the option of giving up our cpap machines or be moved to the treatment center's right hallway.

They told us that we are considered "high risk" to contract the virus due to our cpap machines so if we wanted to keep our machines we would have to relocate to the treatment center. A lot of inmates gave up their machines to avoid being on the same unit as the coronavirus quarantined inmates.

What I don't understand is if we are "high risk" why would the administration put us on the same floor as the people with coronavirus? This policy just doesn't make any sense. We are being forced to either suffer sleep apnea and possibly die in our sleep just to avoid being near coronavirus infected inmates or keep our machines and live within feet of infected inmates.

What kind of a choice is that? I would think you would house the "high risk" inmates as far away from quarantined inmates as possible.