THE DAILY DOZEN

If you answer yes to one or more of these questions, you are at risk for developing an inappropriate relationship with an offender. You should discuss these issues with a supervisor as soon as possible.

- 1. Do you look forward to seeing a particular offender when you come to work?
- 2. Have you done anything with an offender you would not want your family or supervisor to know about?
- 3. Would you be reluctant to have a co-worker observe your behavior for a whole day?
- 4. Do you talk about personal matters with offenders?
- 5. Do you believe you can ask an offender to do personal favors for you?
- 6. Have you ever received personal advice from an offender?
- 7. Have you ever said anything to an offender that you would not want tape recorded?
- 8. Do you have thoughts or fantasies about touching a particular offender? Does this extend to planning how you can be alone with the offender?
- 9. Do you think you have the right to touch an inmate wherever and whenever you want to?
- 10. Do you have a feeling of not being able to wait to share good/ bad news with a particular offender?
- 11. Do you think offenders are not allowed to say no to you, no matter what you ask?
- 12. Have you ever allowed offenders to talk about sexual experiences or sexual fantasies, or tell sexual jokes in your presence?

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