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Today, (9/14/2015) at approximately 1300 hours, an altercation between two inmates occurred on an exercise yard, at the Diagnostic and Evaluation Center. The inmates did not follow the staff' direction's to stop fighting and consistent with department policy, responding staff deployed chemical agents. The two inmates continued to fight, and at this time the tower officer fired a warning shot into the ground. The two inmates stopped fighting and complied with staff applying restraints, the two inmates involved were removed from the area. At no time was public safety compromised. The reason for the altercation has not been determined.

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