

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
DISTRICT OF RHODE ISLAND**

**TYLER SMITH, KYLE MOREINO,
and JOSEPH SHEPARD,
Plaintiffs**

C.A. No. 25-cv-272

v.

**RHODE ISLAND DEPARTMENT OF
CORRECTIONS, WAYNE SALISBURY,
BARRY WEINER, LYNDIA AUL, and
WILLIAM DEVINE,
Defendants**

INTERIM ORDER

In consideration of the presentations of the parties (ECF 20 and ECF 21), and further discussion at a chambers conference with the parties and this Court on November 12, 2025, it is hereby

ORDERED:

- 1) Defendants shall within thirty (30) days of the entry of this Order implement procedures and protocols for the inspection and search of medicine bags; and
- 2) Defendants shall identify vendors and processes to order dreamcatchers, medicine bags, and bird feathers within thirty (30) days of the entry of this Order, such that Plaintiffs shall be accorded the ability to order dreamcatchers, medicine bags, and bird feathers no later than thirty (30) days from entry of this Order.

Entered this 25th day of November, 2025.

By 

Hon. Melissa R. DuBose

United States District Judge