

Ray Coleman Correctional Administrator of the Year

Daniel Junior, CJM

Director

Miami-Dade County Corrections
and Rehabilitation Department
Miami, Florida



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Daniel Junior is a Miami native and father of three beautiful daughters. He is a committed employee of the Miami-Dade Corrections and Rehabilitation Department (MDCR), where he has risen through the ranks.

During his career, he has successfully spearheaded many initiatives, including the openings of a new central intake facility and a new Mental Health Treatment Center, and the ongoing development of a new offender management system. Prior to becoming Director, he served as the Assistant Director of Custody Services, responsible for the oversight of detention facilities, court services function, and the intake, classification, housing, and release of inmates.

Director Junior received a BA degree from Saint Thomas University. He is a Certified Jail Manager, as well as a graduate of the 2009 National Jail Leadership Command Academy inaugural class. He graduated from the prestigious National Academy Session 263 of the Federal Bureau of Investigation, AJA's Jail Executive Development Program, and Florida International University's Chapmanville Leadership Development Program.

He is a member of the American Jail Association, American Correctional Association, International Chiefs of Police, National Institute of Correction's Large Jail Network, Florida Police Chiefs Association, Florida Sheriffs Association, Police Officers Assistance Trust, and the National Organization of Black Law Enforcement Executives. He is the first member of MDCR to be appointed to the Executive Board of the Miami-Dade County Association of Chiefs of Police, where he is currently serving as President. He was recently honored by the Progressive Officers Club with the 2017 Man of the Year Award and by Legacy South Florida Magazine as one of Miami-Dade County's Most Powerful and Influential Leaders. Director Junior also volunteers in the 5000 Role Models of Excellence Project and Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Miami. He is a proud member of the Sigma Alpha Chapter of the Omega Psi Phi Fraternity.