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Adams

A former Oklahoma corrections officer accused of lewd acts with a child and rape was sentenced Monday to 20 years in prison.

Christopher Adams of Edmond avoided a jury trial by pleading no contest to 11 felony counts — one count of rape, eight counts of lewd, indecent acts with a child under 16 and two counts of forcible oral sodomy, court records show.


A no contest plea means a person admits no guilt for the crime, but the court can determine punishment. The evidence against Adams, however, would show he committed the alleged crimes, records indicate.

Prosecutors alleged Adams, 48, sexually assaulted a girl between the ages of 12 and 13 over a nearly two-year period beginning in February 2012, records show.

Adams, 48, who joined the Corrections Department in 2014, held several posts with the agency including providing security for hospitalized inmates and serving as an officer at Mabel Bassett Correctional Center in McLoud, according to the department. He was arrested on Oct. 20, 2017, and resigned as a corporal on Nov. 9, 2017.

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