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Bullying in prisons can have severe consequences both for those directly involved and for the prison regime as a whole, yet the subject has been curiously neglected in the literature. In 1993, the Prison Service introduced their first anti-bullying strategy, and since then there has been a great deal of research on the subject. *Bullying Among Prisoners* summarises this research, and seeks to answer some important questions. *Bullying Among Prisoners* identifies problems in defining and measuring bullying, along with proposing guidelines on how research in this field should be conducted. The book c

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