

Reentry Program Annual Report March 2017 – February 2018

Reentry Council

- 1. Ann's House/U-Turn Eloris Nash
- 2. Champaign County Board Pius Weibel & Jim McGuire
- 3. Champaign County Health Care Consumers Claudia Lennhoff & Chris Garcia
- 4. Champaign County Mental Health Board Mark Driscoll
- 5. Champaign County Probation Joe Gordon
- 6. Champaign County Regional Planning Commission Lisa Benson
- 7. Champaign County Sheriff's Department Allen Jones & Karee Voges
- 8. Citizen Representatives Marlon Mitchell & Tyke Peacock
- 9. First Followers James Kilgore & Tammy Bond
- 10. Housing Authority of Champaign County Anna Lane
- 11. IDOC, Parole Judy Oakley & Roger Smetzer
- 12. IDOC, Reentry Group (housing placement) Seyoum Owens
- 13. The Judiciary Lori Hansen
- 14. Law Enforcement Preston James (Urbana PD)
- 15. Rosecrance Central Illinois Becky Griffith
- 16. State's Attorney Julia Rietz
- 17. Treatment Alternatives for Safe Communities (TASC) Deana Elmore
- 18. U.S. Probation Gwen Powell

The Year in Numbers

March 1, 2017 – February 28, 2018

Reentry Council met 11 times this program year

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Contacts: 172 (75% M: 53% BM, 23% CM | 22% F: 12% BF, 10% CF)
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*All contacts are provided a resource flyer and offered a screening

(64% African American, 34% Caucasian, 2% Other)

Screenings: 79 (46% of contacts)

(66% African American, 32% Caucasian, 2% Other)

Engaged: 64 (37% of contacts, 81% of screenings)

(65% African American, 32% Caucasian, 3% Other)

Contact & Refer: 42 (100% of contacts)

(61% African American, 36% Caucasian, 3% Other)

Areas of Need & Outcomes

Area	Identified	Successful
of Support	Need	Outcomes
Housing	37 or 35%	4 or 11%
Employment	56 or 53%	17 or 30%
Education	31 or 29%	6 or 19%
Medical (coverage & care)	54 or 51%	26 or 48%
Benefits	48 or 45%	37 or 77%
Behavioral Health	90 or 85%	54 or 60%
Transportation	18 or 17%	6 or 33%

^{*} It is expected that more linkage to community resources occurred in Jan & Feb 2018 than has been confirmed and illustrated above.

<u>Outcomes</u>

- 2017 Results gathered through surveying Rosecrance's Reentry Clients indicated:
 - 98% satisfaction with Reentry Program experience
 - 92% experienced improvement in their situation since engaging
 - 100% would refer a friend in need of similar help
- The baseline recidivism rate for Champaign County (which includes those sentenced to IDOC and the County Jail), calculated from 2007 – 2016, is 31.85%
- The reported recidivism rate for IDOC is 48%

<u>Outcomes</u>

- Cohort 1 41% recidivism rate (35 of 85)
- Cohort 2 26% recidivism rate (29 of 112)
- Cohort 3 18% recidivism rate (14 of 78)
- Overall recidivism rate of 24% (79 of 330)

Accomplishments

- Reentry Council Plays an active role in coordinating reentry services in the County
- Recruitment of HACC on Reentry Council
- Contact with all persons returning from incarceration
- Resource Guide Including employment, health care, behavioral health, and peer support
- List of housing providers and employers for referral
- Research and recommendations
- Reentry best practices
- Some funding for local transportation
- Participation in the Expungement & Sealing Summit

Looking Forward

- Develop initiatives to more effectively address the needs of the reentry population based on risk and needs assessment
- Coordinate reentry services with other CJfocused initiatives
- Continue to evaluate recidivism data to improve and plan future reentry services

Questions

