



Ex-Offender Re-Entry Program Overview

1. Life-skills Classes that teach the following types of skills:

good decision making; conflict resolution; budgeting; goal setting.

2. Employment Resource Center that:

- teaches job application and resume preparation;
- provides connections to employers willing to hire ex-offenders;
- teaches good employee skills such as:
 - timeliness, good work ethic, attention to detail, integrity;
- provides connections to other providers who teach specific job skills such as:
 - carpentry, medical transcription, carpet laying.

3. Support groups following the AA 12-step sponsor model.

4. Mentor program to provide adult mentors for inmates within six months of release and continuing that release for a minimum of six months post release. Mentors must commit to this time period. Mentors will assist the mentee in planning ahead for what will be necessary to make the transition from prison to life within the community successful. Mentors will guide the individual in making wise choices and model strong moral, ethical, and legal behavior.

5. Mentor training program to teach individuals how to be effective mentors.

6. Develop training modules for the various facets of this program which can then be used by churches, or other organizations as they choose, to participate in and provide some or all of the re-entry services in this program.

7. Promotion of this program or any of its facets to churches or other organizations.

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