

ELEANOR CHASE HOUSE REENTRY CENTER (ECHRC)



FACT SHEET



427 W. 7th, Spokane, WA 99204
509-381-6300

ABOUT

Custody Level:

- Minimum Security Classification Facility

Capacity:

- 55 women

Annual Operating Budget:

- \$1,628,824

ECHRC is located on the eastern side of Washington state in Spokane. It is centrally located and provides access to public transportation, local businesses and medical facilities. The primary goal is to improve public safety by positively changing lives, reconnecting families and providing residents with the knowledge and skills necessary for success as they transition into the community.

Residents who meet the screening criteria may be transferred to ECHRC 12 months before their earliest release date. The facility is operated in partnership with a contract agency, The Transition House, that provides 24/7 safety, security and food services. The Department of Corrections owns the building.

ECHRC TEAM

- **Facility Contact:** Michele Mans, Reentry Center Manager
 - 509-370-4720, mlmans@doc1.wa.gov
- Bryce Van Ogle, Community Corrections Officer 3
- Jazmin Huizar, Community Corrections Officer 2
- Tony Holcomb, Maintenance Project Lead
- Shelby Irwin, Secretary Senior

Agency Staff At the Facility:

- Dr. Derrell Small, Regional Staff Psychologist
- Brent Broderick, RN
- Reentry Navigators

COVID-19 Operations: In May 2023, federal and state COVID-19 emergency declarations ended, and DOC transitioned to a new normal operation. DOC continues to follow DOH and CDC guidelines for managing and preventing infection control.

Individuals with Disabilities: The Reentry Centers meet applicable American with Disabilities Act (ADA) standards and DOC policies regarding ADA. We will coordinate with the statewide ADA coordinator prior to the arrival of residents requiring ADA accommodations to ensure the facility has the necessary items. We will ensure the facility continues to meet the accommodated residents' needs during their incarceration.

FACILITY INFORMATION

The Transition House Inc. Team:

- Blaine Cousins, Director
- Melissa Arreola, Assistant Director
- Corrections Technicians
- Food service staff

Facility Programs:

- Family-friendly activities to promote and establish relationships
- Fitness room
- Head Start to Construction
- Moving On

Community Resources:

- Community Colleges of Spokane
- Frontier Behavior Health
- Medical and Dental Clinics
- Medically Assisted Treatment Programs
- Revive Center
- Substance Abuse Recovery Programs
- YWCA – Sister's Closet

Employment Opportunities:

- Amazon
- Dollar Tree
- Goodwill
- Grocery Outlet
- Hobby Lobby
- Local Union Trades
- Madison Inn
- McDonald's
- Michael's Crafts
- MUV Fitness
- New Leaf Coffee Shop
- Q'Doba
- Quarry Tile
- Springhill Suites
- Union Gospel Mission

Community Partners:

- A Women's Worth
- Christ Kitchen
- Head Start to the Construction Trades
- Lutheran Family Services
- New Leaf Bakery and Barista Program
- Skilled Trades Preparation
- WorkSource