Improving Public Safety by Positively Changing Lives Community Partnership Contracts

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FY24 HIGHLIGHTS

1,584

Individuals served by Community Partners

7 Number of Community Partnership Contracts

100%

% of Lived-Experienced Vendors

68%

% of Minority-Owned Vendors

32% % of Women-Owned Vendors

\$1.7 Million

Amount of Funding to Support Community Partners



Program Overview

The Reentry Division partners with community organizations to provide reentry programs and services that help individuals successfully transition back into their communities. Through partnerships, the department funds programs that offer a range of support, including:

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- **4** Essential Services: Employment, transportation, and food assistance support
- Family and Community Reintegration: Parenting programs, family reunification services, and peer mentorship
- Health and Wellness: Physical and mental health services, substance use disorder treatment, and recovery support
- Legal and Administrative Assistance: Civil and legal aid to address barriers to reentry

Community partnerships provide a vital support network that helps individuals reintegrate into society after incarceration. By offering a wide range of services and resources, these partnerships can significantly reduce recidivism rates and improve the overall well-being of returning citizens.

Community Partners

- Adonai Counseling & Employment: serving Pierce, King, Lewis, Mason, Thurston, Kitsap, Snohomish, Grays Harbor, Yakima, Spokane, Tri-Cities and Eastern Counties
- A Woman's Worth, serving Spokane County and Eleanor Chase Reentry Center
- The IF Project, Serving Washington Corrections Center for Women & Mission Creek Corrections Center
- **4** OU-T (Overhaul-Unrelenting-Transfiguration), serving Reynolds Reentry
- Center and Olympic Corrections Center
 Orion Watch, serving Longview Reentry Center
- Revive Center for Returning Citizens, serving Spokane County
- **Revive Counseling Spokane**, serving Spokane County

The Washington State Department of Corrections plans to release a Request for Information (RFI) in early 2025. This RFI will seek proposals from qualified organizations offering community-based reentry services to support individuals transitioning back into society. The services will be funded for fiscal year 2026. For more information, please contact Misty Patterson, Community Partnerships Contract Manager, at <u>mapatterson@doc1.wa.gov</u>.