





REENTRY PROGRAMS



REENTRY PROGRAMS: INTRODUCTION



INTRODUCTION

Successful reentry programs are critical to addressing the many needs of and challenges faced by individuals released from prison, jail, or juvenile facilities. Services provided through reentry programs support individuals in making the initial transition back to the community and facilitate the development of skills needed to reduce the likelihood of future criminal activity. Multifaceted reentry and rehabilitation programs address necessities such as housing, medical care, and emergency assistance. These programs also assist individuals in obtaining educational support services, job training, as well as mental health and substance abuse counseling through referrals to community-based service providers. Furthermore, successful reentry programs address workforce development and reduce hiring barriers / collateral consequences that place returning citizens at a disadvantage when searching for viable employment.

TYPES OF REENTRY

Individuals can experience a variety of reentry programs from state-run transitional facilities to community shelters with reentry programming to grassroots non-profits providing specialized services for reentering individuals.

COMMON BARRIERS TO REENTRY



 The limited capacity of transitional centers is worth highlighting because of their demonstrated success in reducing recidivism. According to the Georgia Department of Corrections, "Research has shown that offenders who have the opportunity to re-enter the community after a stay in a transitional center are up to a third more likely to succeed in maintaining a crime-free life." Despite this success, there is a very limited amount of space in these facilities and many individuals seeking reentry programs must turn to their community for support.

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EX-OFFENDER REENTRY PROGRAMS IN METRO-ATLANTA

Isolation from the world beyond the prison walls remains a real impediment to offenders securing job opportunities, housing, and other supports prior to their release.

LIST OF EX-OFFENDER REENTRY PROGRAM PROVIDERS



See Integrity CDC (Introduction)



Address:



(\) Hours:



Phone:



Email:



Website:



Requirements:



Intake:



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1030 Fayetteville Rd. | Atlanta - DeKalb, GA

() 340 ups: Mon-Fri 7:00 AM - 6:00 PM

Phone: (404) 486-9053 **Email:** info@acsatl.org

Website: acsatl.org

Requirements:

- For each child enrolled:
- Current shelter letter on agency letterhead, signed by a staff member Immunization records for enrolled child
- Birth Certificate and Social Security Card for parent and each enrolled child
- State ID or Driver's License for parent

Intake: Call and ask to speak to the Case Manager to schedule an intake.



Goodwill of North Georgia Inc.

Address:

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Phone:

Email:

Website:

Requirements:

Intake:

Atlanta Mission

Address:

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Phone:

Email:

Website:

Requirements:

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Salvation Army

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Requirements:

Intake:

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Reentry Project Inc.

This organization provides housing, transportation, job placement and counseling. Maximum stay six to twelve months.

Address:

Administrative Offices: 2352 Bolton Rd

Atlanta, 30318

Phone: (404) 588-4000

Website: atlantamission.org

Requirements:

 Must be over the age of 18 unless accompanied by a mother or legal guardian. Male children must be 11 years of age or younger. Must be fully detoxified with at least 72 hours since last use of alcohol or drugs of any kind. Must be mentally and physically able to exercise proper personal hygiene and self-care, perform task assignments, and participate in all program functions within a nonmedical, non-psychiatric facility.

Intake:

The Shepherd's Inn will have client intake sessions in-person on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:00 am – 11:00 am.



The EQUIP Reentry Program

This organization provides government surplus food, financial assistance with utility bills for qualifying families and individuals in need.

Address:

163 Martin Luther King Jr., Drive | Wimberly Center | Winder, GA 30680

(Hours: 24 Hours

Phone: (770) 867-7495

Website: atlantamission.org/shepherds-inn

Requirements:

- Be over the age of 18 and a single male
- Be fully detoxified with at least 72 hours since last use of drugs or 48 hours since last use of alcohol.

Intake:

The Shepherd's Inn will have client intake sessions in-person on Tuesdays and Thursdays from 9:00 am – 11:00 am.