

# RE-ENTRY FACTS



After inmates complete their incarceration, significant barriers remain to their successful re-entry to society. CoreCivic is committed to breaking down those barriers — beginning on **day one** of our interaction with every individual in our facilities.

## THE CHALLENGE: RECIDIVISM

**1.6 million**

people are currently in the U.S. corrections system, and almost all of them will eventually re-enter our communities.

**95%**

of inmates in state prisons will at some point be released back into the community.



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released inmates will be arrested again, and more than half of all inmates will return to prison soon after release.

**65%**

of the U.S. prison population is classified as having alcohol or other drug abuse and addiction.

**68%**

of state prison inmates did not receive a high school diploma.

SOURCE: Bureau of Justice Statistics, U.S. Department of Justice

## THE SOLUTION: FOCUS ON RE-ENTRY

Data show that inmates who participate in...



EDUCATION



JOB TRAINING



FAITH-BASED PROGRAMS



ADDICTION TREATMENT

...while in prison are **less likely** to return. And investments in reducing recidivism provide overall economic benefit.

Inmates who obtain GEDs while in prison are up to 30% less likely to return to prison. (RAND Corporation)

Inmates who complete addiction treatment in prison are 50% less likely to return to prison. (California Department of Corrections and Rehabilitation)

Inmates who complete vocational training are 28% more likely to find a job after release. (RAND Corporation)

Connecting **100** formerly incarcerated individuals with employment would produce \$1.2 million in annual earnings and \$55 million in post-release lifetime earnings for a city. (Economic League of Greater Philadelphia)

## CoreCivic's Commitments

A focus on re-entry provides great benefits for our communities — more people living healthy and productive lives and contributing to strong local economies. As an organization, CoreCivic is committed to focus more on re-entry in order to meet the changing needs of our government partners.

CoreCivic expects to graduate **more than 12,000** inmates with high school educations by the end of 2019.

Over the next five years, CoreCivic will provide addiction treatment at **no less than a 60% completion rate.**

**4,000 inmates** will complete CoreCivic's victim impact program over the next three years.

CoreCivic expects to award more than 25,000 industry-recognized certificates by the end of 2019.

Over the next five years, CoreCivic will enroll **between 1,900 and 2,300 inmates** in faith-based residential programs and achieve a **95% completion rate** for those who participate.