# Connecticut Department of Correction

**PROGRAMS & TREATMENT UNIT** 

# Alphabetic Listing of Programs for CHESHIRE CI, All Auspices, All Types

# Compendium Program: 12 Step Program

# Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

12 step fellowship self-help group for men and women who provide mutual support in obtaining and maintaining sobriety while also helping others to recover from addiction. Meetings are held in a variety of formats, ie, step meetings, speaker meetings, etc.; and are held on a weekly basis. Addiction services or volunteer services staff coordinate the meetings and provide oversight for the program.

- \* Alcoholics Anonymous
- \* Narcotics Anonymous
- \* NA Writing Step for Recovery correspondence based.
- \* Al-Anon (YCI only)
- \* Alcoholics Anonymous Spanish
- \* Alcoholics Anonymous English
- \* CODA Codependents Anonymous
- \* Wellbriety
- \*\*\* 12 Step programming availability can vary by facility

#### Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WALKER RC;WILLARD CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Addiction Treatment Unit

Treatment Types: Substance Abuse (SA)

### **Compendium Program: 5 or 7 Day Job Assignments**

#### Gender Specific for:BOTH

Description:

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CENTRAL OFFICE ;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WALKER RC;WILLARD CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Unknown

Treatment Types: Life Skills (LS)

**Compendium Program: Alternatives To Violence - Advanced Workshops** 

# Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

Certified AVP volunteers lead advanced workshops to inmates who have completed the AVP basics workshop. Participants completing both basic and advanced workshops qualify for selection to become peer mentors. The workshop is completed over a 2-3 day period.

Facilities: BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;MACDOUGALL CI;OSBORN CI

Auspices: Volunteer Services

Treatment Types: Aggression Replacement Training (ART);Life Skills (LS)

**Compendium Program: Alternatives to Violence - Basic Workshops** 

### Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

Certified AVP volunteers lead basic, intermediate workshops to teach inmates to understand and to control anger, and how to cope with violence in their lives. Participants completing both basic and advanced workshops qualify for selection to become peer mentors. The workshop is completed over a 2-3 day period.

Facilities: BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;MACDOUGALL CI;OSBORN CI

Auspices: Volunteer Services

Treatment Types: Aggression Replacement Training (ART);Life Skills (LS)

# **Compendium Program: Alternatives to Violence - Training for Trainer Workshops**

### **Gender Specific for:BOTH**

#### Description:

This program is used to train inmates who have successfully completed AVP Basic and Advanced and will now be facilitating future programming as peer mentors.

Facilities: BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;MACDOUGALL CI;OSBORN CI

Auspices: Volunteer Services

Treatment Types:

Aggression Replacement Training (ART);Life Skills (LS)

### **Compendium Program: Anger Management Program**

### Gender Specific for:BOTH

### Description:

This program was designed based upon research regarding what works for Anger Management Programs. This 10-week program includes skill building, cognitive techniques, relaxation techniques and role play. In addition, an assessment tool to ensure program fidelity audits this program. This program can be modified for special populations.

#### Facilities:

BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WILLARD CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Programs & Treatment Unit

Treatment Types: Aggression Replacement Training (ART);Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (CBT);Life Skills (LS);Victim Impact (VI)

### Compendium Program: Arabic Language

### Gender Specific for:MALE

### Description:

This is an introduction to the Arabic language. It is designed to teach the Arabic alphabet and basic everyday words. This will also include an introduction to Arabic writing.

Facilities: BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CYBULSKI CI;MACDOUGALL CI;WILLARD CI

Auspices: Religious Services

Treatment Types: Unknown

Compendium Program: Artists In Residence-Community Partners in Action (CPA)

# Gender Specific for:BOTH

### Description:

Accomplished artists provide inmates with an introduction to the basic principles of fine art. Volunteer Artists-In-Residence within correctional institutions bring art behind bars and serve to broaden inmates' abilities to express themselves by developing talents or skills in drawing, painting, music and creative writing. Inmate artwork is collected annually by a Prison Art Program Curator from Hartford's Community Partners in Action (CPA) which operates this service solely through the support of grants from local foundations, corporations and the Connecticut Commission on the Arts. This art collection is arranged for exhibition in community spaces across the state. The CPA also publishes an annual journal of arts in correction serving to bring creative writing, poetry and visual art produced by inmates to the broader community.

Facilities: BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;MACDOUGALL CI;OSBORN CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Contracted Program

Treatment Types: Life Skills (LS)

# **Compendium Program: Auto Detailing**

# Gender Specific for:MALE

#### Description:

This vocational program provides students with the knowledge and experience required to work in new and used car dealerships and/or automotive detail shops. The program also emphasizes the elements of entrepreneurship equipping students with the knowledge to begin their own automobile detailing business.

Facilities: CHESHIRE CI

Auspices: USD#1

Treatment Types: Education (Ed)

## **Compendium Program: Carpentry**

# Gender Specific for:MALE

#### Description:

This program focuses on the necessary skills, tools and techniques, as well as the safety practices needed to successfully enter the world of construction and woodworking. Students will learn about home construction methodology and cabinet/furniture making as they effectively utilize shop-based stationary power tools. Students will learn, practice and apply mathematical concepts throughout the program as they design and build student-centered and community-based projects.

Facilities: CHESHIRE CI;MACDOUGALL CI

Auspices: USD#1

Treatment Types: Education (Ed)

# **Compendium Program: Catholic Bible Study**

### Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

An academic study of the books of the bible or biblical topics and themes. This program seeks to foster understanding of scripture and help inmates develop self-awareness and personal growth based on biblical principles.

#### Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;NEW HAVEN CC;WALKER RC;YORK CI

Auspices: Religious Services

Treatment Types: Unknown

# Compendium Program: Catholic Worship Service

# **Gender Specific for:BOTH**

#### Description:

The weekly Catholic service is the Mass (or a communion service when Mass cannot be held due to the unavailability of a priest). Fulfills constitutional right to worship.

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WALKER RC;WILLARD CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Religious Services

Treatment Types: Unknown

# Compendium Program: CCAR RECOVERY COACHING PROGRAM

# Gender Specific for:BOTH

### Description:

This program creates an opportunity for recovery Coaches to meet with returning citizens, either in person or via telephone, who are within 30 to 90 days from discharge. They provide seamless transition to community providers and other recovery support services that are vital to re-entry success. The CCAR Recovery Coaching program works has the ability to work with individuals in any DOC facility. The CCAR Recovery Coaching program also provides recovery coaching services to those individuals engaged in the therapeutic communities within Osborn C.I., Carl Robinson C.I., Cybulski C.I. and York C.I.

#### Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WALKER RC;WILLARD CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Addiction Treatment Unit

Treatment Types: Unknown

# **Compendium Program: CEC - Work Assignment**

# Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

Inmates who are assigned to a work assignment in Correctional Enterprises of Connecticut.

Facilities: CHESHIRE CI;OSBORN CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Correctional Enterprises of Connecticut

Treatment Types: Life Skills (LS)

Compendium Program: CEC Voc. Ed: Graphics Arts Center

# Gender Specific for:MALE

#### Description:

This shop produces all types of signage and engraving. Using technologies such as silkscreening and laser engraving, the shop has been able to produce highly technical, complex products. This training and "real world" work experience prepares inmates for obtaining and maintaining a job in the private business sector. Offenders are employed in this center.

Facilities: CHESHIRE CI

Auspices: Correctional Enterprises of Connecticut

Treatment Types: Education (Ed)

Compendium Program: Chronic Disciplinary Unit: Controlling Your Anger

### Gender Specific for:MALE

#### Description:

This is the second in a series of groups used in the Chronic Discipline Unit (CDU) Program. An essential capacity these inmates need to develop is to be able to deal with angry feelings without resorting to violence. This class is designed to help change thinking and attitudes which promote violence and to develop skills to deal with anger without violence.

Facilities:

CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;HARTFORD CC;NEW HAVEN CC;WALKER RC

Auspices: All Facility Staff

Treatment Types: Behavior Modification (BM)

**Compendium Program: Chronic Disciplinary Unit:** How to Deal with Your Problems and How to Do Your Bid

### Gender Specific for:MALE

### Description:

This is a group designed for inmates in the DOC's Chronic Disciplinary Unit. One of the problems that many inmates have in general, and restrictive housing inmates have in particular, is that they lack the skills necessary for problem solving. The first part of this class is designed to help inmates learn that not all problems can be solved and to assist them in approaching problems so as to (1) respond in the best way to the presented problem and (2) not to make the situation worse. In the second part of the class the inmates review a videotape which shows inmates who have completed a restrictive housing program. In that video the inmates discuss what they believe is necessary in order to "do your bid." The video serves as a stimulus for inmates to discuss how it is possible to live in a prison environment without getting into trouble.

*Facilities:* CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;HARTFORD CC;NEW HAVEN CC;WALKER RC

Auspices: All Facility Staff

Treatment Types: Behavior Modification (BM)

Compendium Program: Chronic Disciplinary Unit: Relapse Prevention

### Gender Specific for:MALE

### Description:

This is one of several groups in the Chronic Discipline Program. In order to reach this class in the program the inmate has had to be behaving himself and interacting appropriately with other inmates and staff. This group is designed to help inmates examine the issues that might result in a relapse of the problematic behavior which resulted in their placement in Chronic Discipline, a very restrictive special housing program.

Facilities: CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;HARTFORD CC;NEW HAVEN CC;WALKER RC

Auspices: All Facility Staff

Treatment Types: Behavior Modification (BM)

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**Compendium Program: Chronic Disciplinary Unit: Orientation and Communication** 

# Gender Specific for:MALE

### Description:

This class is the first offered to inmates in the Chronic Disciplinary Unit. Research into causes of violence among inmates reveals that frequently there is a breakdown in communication or poor communication skills. This group is designed to assist inmates in improving communication skills.

Facilities: CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;HARTFORD CC;NEW HAVEN CC;WALKER RC

Auspices: All Facility Staff

Treatment Types: Behavior Modification (BM)

**Compendium Program: Chronic Discipline** 

### Gender Specific for:MALE

#### Description:

Programming for offenders classified to Chronic Discipline status. Modules of programming include: Controlling Your Anger, How to Deal with your Problems, How to do your Bid, Orientation and Communication, and Relapse Prevention.

Facilities: CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;NEW HAVEN CC

Auspices: All Facility Staff

Treatment Types: Behavior Modification (BM)

# Compendium Program: CLICC Literacy Program

# **Gender Specific for:BOTH**

#### Description:

### **Facility-Based Services**

Utilizing trained mentors and contracted grant partners, The Center will offer a twenty-four (24) session program that fosters discussions among parents regarding reconnecting with their children and nurtures parent/child communication through the use of literature. Throughout the course of the facility based component of the program, both child and parent will be assigned specific books (one per month), and will complete literacy exercises through letters to/from child and parent. These excercises will be facilitated by The Center staff, partners and mentors.

Facilities:

BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CYBULSKI CI;HARTFORD CC;MANSON YI;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Contracted Program

Treatment Types: Education (Ed);Family Support (FS)

# **Compendium Program: Commercial Cleaning**

### Gender Specific for:MALE

### Description:

This program prepares students to clean and care for commercial spaces in an entry-level capacity. Students learn the operation and maintenance of equipment, chemical and non-chemical cleaning operations, sanitation and safety. Students will gain valuable knowledge and skills that will allow them to manage custodial businesses and services.

Facilities: CHESHIRE CI

Auspices: USD#1

Treatment Types: Education (Ed)

# Compendium Program: Cosmetology/Barbering

# Gender Specific for:MALE

#### Description:

The Barbering and Cosmetology programs, in conjunction with the CT Department of Public Health (CT DPH), prepare students to become licensed in their respective trade. Course requirements for Barbering are 1000 hours in theory and practice and for Cosmetology, 1500 hours in theory and practice. Upon successful completion, students will receive their Affidavit of Hours which is filed with the CT DPH and which qualifies them to take the state licensure examination upon release. This program provides experiences in hair cutting and treatment, styling and shaving, human anatomy and physiology, and business practices.

Facilities: CHESHIRE CI;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI

Auspices: USD#1

Treatment Types: Education (Ed)

### **Compendium Program: Creative Writing**

# Gender Specific for:MALE

#### Description:

A volunteer writing instructor gives weekly writing assignments to students followed by sessions of critical reflection.

Facilities: CHESHIRE CI

Auspices: Recreation Services;Volunteer Services

Treatment Types: Life Skills (LS)

**Compendium Program: Discharge Orientation** 

### Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

Discharge Orientation is conducted either individually or in groups with offenders who are within a year of discharge to the community. Topics include: ID procurement; community programs; and related matters.

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WALKER RC;YORK CI

Auspices: Programs & Treatment Unit

Treatment Types: Reintegration Enhancement/Relapse Prevention (RERP)

### Compendium Program: Education Needs to be Identified by USD#1

### Gender Specific for:BOTH

Description:

A transcript review of educational needs will be completed for inmates.

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CENTRAL OFFICE ;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WALKER RC;WILLARD CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Unknown

Treatment Types: Education (Ed)

# **Compendium Program: Embracing Fatherhood**

# Gender Specific for:MALE

### Description:

Embracing Fatherhood is a program designed to assist incarcerated fathers in gaining awareness of the important role they play in the lives of their children. This awareness will enable participants to successfully embrace their roles as fathers and begin to build healthy lifestyles that will benefit both their children and them.

#### Facilities:

CHESHIRE CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;OSBORN CI

Auspices: Programs & Treatment Unit

Treatment Types: Family Support (FS)

# Compendium Program: Facility Based Domestic Violence Program

### Gender Specific for:MALE

### Description:

This group is designed for inmates who have committed a domestic violence offense.

This is the facility-based domestic violence group. The group is designed to achieve the following goal:

To help inmates, who have a history of domestic violence, become

(a) more motivated to stop their violence and abuse and

(b) replace them with more positive behaviors patterns.

Successful completion of this program is a requirement for those inmates who enter into the department's community-based transitional supervision program for domestic violence offenders.

Facilities:

BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WILLARD CI

#### Auspices: Programs & Treatment Unit

Treatment Types: Aggression Replacement Training (ART); Victim Impact (VI)

### Compendium Program: General Referral for ASU (Addiction Services Unit) Program

# Gender Specific for:BOTH

Description:

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CENTRAL OFFICE ;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WALKER RC;WILLARD CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Unknown

*Treatment Types: Substance Abuse (SA)* 

**Compendium Program: General Referral for Vocational Education** 

### Gender Specific for:BOTH

Description:

A review of vocational education needs will be completed for inmates.

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CENTRAL OFFICE ;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WALKER RC;WILLARD CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Unknown

Treatment Types: Education (Ed)

Compendium Program: Good Intentions - Bad Choices

### Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

This program features a three part DVD series that focuses on Relapse and Recidivism Prevention for addicts and offenders leaving treatment or an incarcerated setting re-entering society. This period of early reintegration is especially risky for addicts and offenders despite intentions of doing well and straightening out their lives because errors in thinking that are the result of years of an addictive and/or criminal lifestyle, and are not so easily or quickly resolved.

Facilities:

CHESHIRE CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;MACDOUGALL CI;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WILLARD CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Programs & Treatment Unit

Treatment Types: Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (CBT)

# Compendium Program: H.O.N.O.R Program

# Gender Specific for:MALE

### Description:

Honesty, Ownership, Nobility, Obligation, Respect. Our mission is to foster a therapeutic environment where incarcerated people can find a space, tools, resources, and education allowing them to recognize and appreciate their personal development and affirm their rehabilitation. Our vision is to create programs thought and co-facilitated by incarcerated people seeking self-improvement, positive change, and transformation of self. The Cheshire C.I. H.O.N.O.R program implements collaborative community structure to establish order and allow all participants in the program to experience how they can contribute to a community, to be a leader, and deal with issues in positive and a civilized manner. This creates a smoother transition for all incarcerated people back into society and reduces the likelihood of recidivism.

Facilities: CHESHIRE CI

Auspices: Programming Unit - Facility Staff

Treatment Types: Family Support (FS);Life Skills (LS)

# **Compendium Program: High School Diploma Programs**

# Gender Specific for:BOTH

### Description:

The USD #1 offers opportunities for earning a high school diploma through either USD # 1's Adult Education Program or in some cases in collaboration with USD #1 and the local town/city. To receive a diploma from the local city/town, the former school district must be willing to cooperate with USD #1. USD #1 Adult Education opportunities include the following:

1. The General Education Development (GED) exam provides qualified offenders the opportunity to participate in the examination process in order to receive a Connecticut State High School Diploma.

2. The High School Equivalency Program provides qualified offenders the opportunity to earn the 20 credit hours (120 hours per credit) required to receive a Connecticut High School Diploma.

3. Credit Diploma Program (CDP) provides qualified offenders the opportunity to earn the 20 credit hours (50 hours per credit) required to receive a USD #1 Adult Education High School Diploma.

4. The External Diploma Program (EDP) provides qualified offenders the opportunity to complete a competency portfolio in order to receive a USD #1 Adult Education High School Diploma.

Not all programs are available at all sites, and USD #1 staff review these options with prospective students to assist in the decision regarding which high school diploma program best meets his/her needs.

#### Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WALKER RC;YORK CI

Auspices: USD#1

Treatment Types: Education (Ed)

Compendium Program: HIV Counseling, Testing & Risk Reduction Education

# Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

When inmates are tested for HIV, the department provides standardized counseling by Department of Public Health certified counselors before and after testing. Counseling components include what HIV and AIDS are, how to get it, how to avoid getting it, what it means to be HIV positive, how to take care of oneself if one is HIV positive, and help in dealing with the associated feelings.

#### Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;ROBINSON CI;WALKER RC;YORK CI

Auspices: Health Services

Treatment Types: Family Support (FS);Medical (Med)

# **Compendium Program: HIV Support Services**

### **Gender Specific for:BOTH**

#### Description:

The Department demonstrates a collaborative approach in providing HIV support services to inmates in all facilities. A UCONN (Contracted) Heath Services Team coordinates testing and counseling services; the Department's School District conducts classroom instruction about HIV; the Department's Addiction Services Unit Counselors provide HIV education and prevention counseling; a number of volunteers serve as "buddies" or sponsors; and Hartford's Community Partners in Action (CPA) receives funding from foundations, grants as well as support from the state's Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services to operate the "Beyond Fear" Program. Altogether the Department hosts a complete program that includes counseling, testing, education focus groups, videos, intervention strategies and is able to assist discharging inmates with need for such services as housing, medical treatment, food, clothing and transportation.

New Beginnings and AIDS Awareness Day has been added to the HIV Support Services program. New Beginnings is an HIV/AIDS support group.

#### Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;WALKER RC;WILLARD CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Health Services

Treatment Types: Family Support (FS);Life Skills (LS);Medical (Med)

# **Compendium Program: Individual Native American Smudging**

### Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

Native American individual Smudging is a physical, mental, emotional and spiritual cleansing, a purification ritual in which individuals connect themselves to the Creator, Mother Earth and the four main directions. This scared ritual prepares each individual to face the day with hope, peace and tranquility.

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WALKER RC;YORK CI

Auspices: Religious Services

Treatment Types: Unknown

# **Compendium Program: Inmate Photo Program**

### Gender Specific for:MALE

### Description:

Inmates register each month to take photos for a small fee and these photos are sent home or otherwise kept for personal use. Proceeds that are generated are held in a Special Activity Fund. From this fund, thousands of dollars have been donated to local charitable organizations each year, e.g. women's shelters, children's hospitals, youth organizations, and youth at risk programs.

#### Facilities:

CHESHIRE CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;ROBINSON CI;WALKER RC;WILLARD CI

Auspices: All Facility Staff

Treatment Types: Family Support (FS)

# **Compendium Program: Invictus - DOMUS Kids**

# Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

Post release referral for sentenced male offenders aged 17-25 returning to Stamford and Norwalk within 6 - 12 months from end of sentence. Domus' workforce development team supports Stamford young people aged 17 to 26 who are unemployed by providing them with the supports and skills they need to gain employment. Referrals are made by designated reentry counselors.

Facilities: BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WALKER RC;WILLARD CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Support Services

Treatment Types: Reintegration Enhancement/Relapse Prevention (RERP)

**Compendium Program: Jehovah's Witness Collective Service** 

### Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

This is the weekly Jehovah's Witness worship service.

Facilities:

BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;MACDOUGALL CI;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WILLARD CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Volunteer Services

Treatment Types: Unknown

**Compendium Program: Jewish Holy Day Observances** 

### Gender Specific for:BOTH

Description:

The holy days of Rosh Hashanah, Sukkot, Hanukkah, Purim, Passover and Shavuot are observed with worship services and feasts.

Facilities: CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;OSBORN CI;WALKER RC;WILLARD CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Religious Services

Treatment Types: Unknown

# **Compendium Program: Jewish Worship and Study**

### Gender Specific for:BOTH

Description:

Jewish worship followed by study of the Hebrew Bible or Jewish history.

Facilities:

BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WILLARD CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Religious Services

Treatment Types: Unknown

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### **Compendium Program: Jumah**

### Gender Specific for:MALE

#### Description:

Weekly collective Islamic worship service held on Friday between afternoon and late afternoon.

#### Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WALKER RC;WILLARD CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Religious Services

Treatment Types: Unknown

# **Compendium Program: Marker Plate Manufacturing**

# Gender Specific for:MALE

#### Description:

This manufacturing shop is the sole producer of vehicle plates to the Department of Motor Vehicles (DMV). This program provides inmates with an opportunity to work in a setting with all the demands of a private industry job, thus preparing them for a "real world" job. Inmates are required to learn to use hydraulic presses, stamping machines, and painting equipment.

Facilities: CHESHIRE CI

Auspices: Correctional Enterprises of Connecticut

Treatment Types: Life Skills (LS)

# Compendium Program: National Prison Debate League (NPDL)

#### Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

Coaches from the National Prison Debate League meet virtually with a team of 6 inmate participants once a week for 12 weeks. Coaches teach the participants about debate rules and techniques, which develop academic, social, public speaking, and other skills. At the end of the coaching sessions, the debate team competes live against a collegiate debate team. This group runs 2 sessions per year.

Facilities: CHESHIRE CI;YORK CI

Auspices:

**Contracted Program** 

Treatment Types: Education (Ed);Life Skills (LS)

### **Compendium Program: Native American Harvest Festival**

**Gender Specific for:BOTH** 

#### Description:

Delivery of a special meal to commemorate Seasonal Celebration of the Harvest as observed by Native Americans.

Facilities:

BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;MACDOUGALL CI;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WALKER RC;WILLARD CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Religious Services

Treatment Types: Unknown

### **Compendium Program: Native American Strawberry Festival**

### Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

Seasonal Celebration of the First Fruit of the Season and observation of a time of Peace. Special Meal with Strawberries, Appropriate Story, Special Prayers and the exchange of wishes for Peace.

Facilities:

BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WALKER RC;WILLARD CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Religious Services

Treatment Types: Unknown

# **Compendium Program: Native American Worship**

### Gender Specific for:BOTH

Description:

Sacred Circle is a community prayer, which includes smudging. It is celebrated weekly.

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WALKER RC;WILLARD CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Religious Services

Treatment Types: Unknown

Compendium Program: Native American Worship-Sweat Lodge

Gender Specific for:MALE

Description:

Sweat lodge is a purification ceremony, which includes smudging. It is celebrated monthly.

Facilities: CHESHIRE CI;MACDOUGALL CI;OSBORN CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Religious Services

Treatment Types: Unknown

**Compendium Program: Our Piece of the Pie, Behind the Walls** 

Gender Specific for:BOTH

Description:

Post Release referral for sentenced males and females aged 16-25 returning to Hartford. To be referred Offenders must be within 120 days to end of sentence. OPP is a nonprofit organization dedicated to empowering youth with the key competencies needed to overcome barriers and succeed in education and employment. The OPP path to success is achieved through Personal Development, Academic Achievement, and Workforce Readiness. Referrals are made by designated Reentry counselors.

Facilities:

CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WALKER RC;YORK CI

Auspices: Support Services

Treatment Types: Reintegration Enhancement/Relapse Prevention (RERP)

### **Compendium Program: Outside Clearance**

## Gender Specific for:BOTH

Description:

#### Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CENTRAL OFFICE ;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WALKER RC;WILLARD CI;YORK CI

#### Auspices: Unknown

*Treatment Types: Life Skills (LS);Reintegration Enhancement/Relapse Prevention (RERP)* 

# **Compendium Program: Pathway Home**

# Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

The Pathway Home Program is conducted by Career Resources Inc. The goal of the Pathway Home Program is to provide reentry and employment programing to eligible, incarcerated individuals before their release. The program includes pre-release and post-release work to include workforce development training and reentry case management.

Facilities: CHESHIRE CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;MACDOUGALL CI;OSBORN CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Programs & Treatment Unit

Treatment Types: Education (Ed);Life Skills (LS)

# Compendium Program: PEP - People Empowering People

### Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

This program provides educational training in values clarification, communication skills, problem solving and parenting. The program builds on personal strengths, providing opportunities for participants to gain skills while they take greater control of their own lives.

Facilities: BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;GARNER CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Contracted Program

Treatment Types:

Family Support (FS);Life Skills (LS)

### **Compendium Program: Protestant - Alpha Program**

### Gender Specific for:MALE

### Description:

The Alpha program is a course in basic Christianity based upon biblical principles utilizing videos and workbooks in a group setting. This program meets weekly and is conducted by both volunteers and staff.

Facilities: CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;MACDOUGALL CI;ROBINSON CI

Auspices: Volunteer Services

Treatment Types: Unknown

### **Compendium Program: Protestant Bible Study**

### Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

Biblical readings are reviewed with inmates. The goal of this program is to help inmates develop self-awareness and personal growth based on Christian principles.

#### Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Religious Services

Treatment Types: Unknown

# **Compendium Program: Protestant Choir**

# Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

Both Catholic and Protestant inmates are able to join choirs in their respective religious service. These choirs both enhance the religious liturgies and add a level of veneration to those services. In some institutions, there may also be Spanish choirs.

Facilities:

CHESHIRE CI;CYBULSKI CI;MACDOUGALL CI;YORK CI

#### Auspices:

Religious Services

Treatment Types: Unknown

### **Compendium Program: Protestant Service**

### **Gender Specific for:BOTH**

Description:

This is the weekly Protestant worship service.

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WALKER RC;WILLARD CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Religious Services

Treatment Types: Unknown

### **Compendium Program: Protestant Service (Spanish)**

### Gender Specific for:MALE

Description:

This is the weekly Protestant worship service conducted in Spanish.

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WILLARD CI

Auspices: Religious Services

Treatment Types: Unknown

Compendium Program: Ramadan, Eid-UI-Fitr, Eid-UI-Adha

# Gender Specific for:BOTH

Description:

Religiously Required Observations (Annual)

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WALKER RC;WILLARD CI;YORK CI

#### Auspices:

**Religious Services** 

Treatment Types: Unknown

### **Compendium Program: Re-Entry and Discharge Planning**

Gender Specific for:BOTH

Description:

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CENTRAL OFFICE ;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WALKER RC;WILLARD CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Unknown

Treatment Types: Reintegration Enhancement/Relapse Prevention (RERP)

### **Compendium Program: Reentry Services and Identification Procurement**

# Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

Reentry counselors at all facilities assist offenders in obtaining various forms of identification prior to release. This includes the following: Certified Birth Certificates or Registration of Birth (US only) Social Security Cards (Social Security Administration) State of CT Photo ID (CT DMV) ID and Drivers License Renewals (CT DMV) Husky D - inquiries and activation (DSS)

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CENTRAL OFFICE ;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;Outside PCS Generic Locations;PCS - Bridgeport;PCS - Hartford;PCS - New Haven;PCS - Norwich/New London;PCS - Residential;PCS -Waterbury;ROBINSON CI;WALKER RC;WILLARD CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Programs & Treatment Unit

Treatment Types: Unknown

### **Compendium Program: Reentry Welcome Centers**

# Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

Post Release Referral for male and female offenders returning to specified catchment areas 30 -60 days prior to end of sentence. Individuals returning from incarceration receive support. Centers provide services such as: basic needs; housing; substance abuse/mental health; medical; employment; identification etc. Referrals are done by designated Reentry Staff Welcome Centers are located in Hartford, New Haven, Waterbury and New Britain

#### Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WALKER RC;WILLARD CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Support Services

Treatment Types: Reintegration Enhancement/Relapse Prevention (RERP)

### Compendium Program: Second Chance Pell Program

### Gender Specific for:BOTH

### Description:

The Second Chance Pell Program is a Three-Year Pilot Program from the United States Department of Education that allows qualified, participating offenders to attend college courses at selected facilities. The courses are instructed by participating community colleges and currently offer Associate Degrees, Certificates, or classes in Manufacturing, Business Administration, and Human Services.

#### Facilities:

BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;MACDOUGALL CI;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Contracted Program

Treatment Types: Education (Ed)

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### **Compendium Program: Seeking Safety**

# Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

Seeking Safety is an evidence based, present- focused, coping skills therapy to help people attain safety from trauma and/ or substance abuse. It is an extremely safe treatment model as it addresses trauma and addiction, but without requiring participants to develop into the trauma narrative.

Facilities: CHESHIRE CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Mental Health

Treatment Types: Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (CBT);Mental Health (MH);Substance Abuse (SA)

# **Compendium Program: SMART Recovery**

### Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

SMART Recovery is a voluntary group with two specific components; a recovery group and a pro-social activity group meeting weekly. SMART Recovery use variety of tools and techniques are employed for each of SMART's 4 points, including the Cost/Benefit Analysis; Change Plan Worksheet; Hierarchy of Values; ABSs of Rational- Emotive Behavioral Therapy (for both urge-coping and emotional upsets); DISARM (Destructive Imagery and Self- talk Awareness and Refusal Method); Brainstorming; and Role playing/ Rehearsing. The pro-social component is comprised of different activities geared toward building supportive peer relationships based in commonalities, trust and mutual caring. Activities include but are not limited to team building games, music, and mindfulness and meditative practices.

Facilities:

BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CYBULSKI CI;MANSON YI;WILLARD CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Addiction Treatment Unit

*Treatment Types: Substance Abuse (SA)* 

# **Compendium Program: Special Education and Pupil Services**

# Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

The special education teachers, pupil services specialists (School Psychologists, School Counselors, School Social Workers), and the associated clerical and durational staff provide services to students with handicapping conditions which interfere with their ability to participate in school. These services are mandated by federal (Individuals with Disabilities Education Act Amendments of 1997) and state (Connecticut General Statutes 10-76) statute. Special education services encompass a broad array of activities including assessment, counseling, transition planning, and both the direct and indirect (e.g. consultation) services of the special education teachers and pupil services staff. Student programs are designed according to the individual needs of each student with disabilities and are specified in an Individualized Education Plan (IEP.) A social skills component is a part of the special education program.

#### Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WILLARD CI;YORK CI

Auspices: USD#1

Treatment Types: Education (Ed)

# Compendium Program: T.R.U.E Choices

# Gender Specific for:MALE

#### Description:

It is a 15-week program that reviews fundamental DOC topics that focuses on recidivism, relapse prevention, relationships, and cognitive thinking. The program will encourage participants to conduct self- examinations that identify their strengths and weaknesses, necessary lifestyle changes, and plans to reintegrate into their community.

Facilities: CHESHIRE CI

Auspices: Programs & Treatment Unit

Treatment Types: Life Skills (LS);Reintegration Enhancement/Relapse Prevention (RERP)

# **Compendium Program: Taleem**

### Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

A study of text and themes from the Quran with life application.

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;MACDOUGALL CI;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WALKER RC;YORK CI

Auspices: Religious Services

Treatment Types: Unknown

### **Compendium Program: Tarweeh**

### Gender Specific for:MALE

Description:

This is a nightly prayer that is conducted during the month of Ramadan.

Facilities: CHESHIRE CI;MACDOUGALL CI;WALKER RC

Auspices: Religious Services

Treatment Types: Unknown

# **Compendium Program: The Douglass Project**

### **Gender Specific for:BOTH**

#### Description:

The Douglass Project offers a multi-state Prison Visitation Program that enables community members around the country to visit local correctional facilities and engage in open, face-to-face conversations with incarcerated people. These unique encounters will spur understanding and empathy–for both visitors and prisoners–that will, in turn, drive meaningful personal and systemic change.

Cohorts of approximately 10-20 outsiders per visit will visit correctional facilities and engage in face-to-face conversations with a same sized group of incarcerated adults. The conversations are facilitated by Douglass Project staff using proven tools and techniques that encourage respectful sharing and honest and dignified discussion. Cohorts of outside participants can join individually or as an affiliated group.

For more information or to register for a session, please visit www.douglassproject.org

Facilities:

CHESHIRE CI; YORK CI

Auspices: Contracted Program

Treatment Types: Unknown

### **Compendium Program: Thresholds**

Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

This is a community-based therapeutic counseling system specifically designed for delivery by trained volunteers. It focuses on developing decision-making and problems-solving skills.

Facilities: CHESHIRE CI;GARNER CI;MANSON YI

Auspices: All Facility Staff;Contracted Program;Volunteer Services

Treatment Types: Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (CBT);Reintegration Enhancement/Relapse Prevention (RERP)

# Compendium Program: Tier II Addiction Services Intensive Outpatient Program

### Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

The Tier II Program is an intensive outpatient Addiction Services Program with 30 curriculum sessions for 10 weeks. Group components are held three times weekly and incorporate weekly fellowship meetings to lay the foundation of basic substance abuse information, promote personal identification with recovery, and motivate further treatment involvement. This program may also be held in Spanish for Spanish Speaking offenders.

Facilities:

BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WALKER RC;YORK CI

Auspices: Addiction Treatment Unit

Treatment Types: Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (CBT);Substance Abuse (SA)

Compendium Program: Transitional Linkage into the Community (TLC)

# Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

Transitional Linkage into the Community (TLC) is a program of Community Partners in Action which provides discharge planning for inmates with HIV/AIDS. TLC serves every prison and jail in the state, and works with clients returning to every region of the state. TLC case managers meet clients' emergency needs upon release, and connect them with services in their local communities for continuing care and assistance.

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;NEW HAVEN CC;WALKER RC;YORK CI

Auspices: Health Services

Treatment Types:

Behavior Modification (BM);Mental Health (MH);Reintegration Enhancement/Relapse Prevention (RERP)

Compendium Program: USD#1 Adult Basic Education (GL 5-8)

### Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

ABE is a primary program of instruction designed to provide training in academic skills in the areas of reading, mathematics, language arts, general science and social studies. The program is directed toward increasing academic proficiency. ABE 2 is provided to individuals who have been assessed by the education unit with a 5-8 grade level.

#### Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WILLARD CI;YORK CI

Auspices: USD#1

Treatment Types: Education (Ed)

Compendium Program: USD#1 Adult Basic Education (GL 9-12)

# Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

ABE is the primary program of instruction designed to provide training in academic skills in the areas of reading, mathematics, language arts, general science and social studies. The program is directed toward increasing academic proficiency. ABE 3 is provided to individuals who have been assessed by the education unit with a 9-12 grade level.

#### Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;WALKER RC;YORK CI

Auspices: USD#1

Treatment Types: Education (Ed)

# Compendium Program: USD#1 College Credit Program

### Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

College Credit opportunities are available through correspondence courses, independent study, credit by exam (CLEP and DSST), and in some cases, college classes are offered by local community colleges.

Facilities: CHESHIRE CI;ROBINSON CI

Auspices: USD#1

Treatment Types: Education (Ed)

# Compendium Program: USD#1 GED/High School Diploma

### Gender Specific for:BOTH

#### Description:

The GED is the primary program of instruction for students functioning above an eighth grade level who wish to earn a State of Connecticut high school diploma through the examination process. GED Tutors and volunteers assist Department teachers by helping inmates prepare for the GED Exam and/or by helping to teach basic language skills.

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC;BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;NEW HAVEN CC;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;YORK CI

Auspices: USD#1

Treatment Types: Education (Ed)

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**Compendium Program: VOICES (Victim Offender Institutional Correctional Educational Services)** 

### Gender Specific for:BOTH

### Description:

Victim Offender Institutional Correctional Educational Services . This program is designed to use volunteer support to broaden inmates' understanding and sensitivity to the impact of their crime on others.

#### Facilities:

BROOKLYN CI;CHESHIRE CI;CORRIGAN CI;CYBULSKI CI;GARNER CI;HARTFORD CC;MACDOUGALL CI;MANSON YI;OSBORN CI;ROBINSON CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Programs & Treatment Unit

Treatment Types: Victim Impact (VI)

**Compendium Program: Wesleyan Center for Prison Education** 

### Gender Specific for:BOTH

### Description:

The Center for Prison Education is beginning it's fourth academic year at Cheshire Correctional Institution. This program has offered a wide array of classes spanning the liberal arts of Wesleyan, from Greek Tragedy, Biology, American Intellectual History to Fiction Writing. The inmates are selected through a rigorous applications process of timed essay prompts, interviews and a math exam. The program also engages inmates who were not selected for the college program in a multi-disciplinary college prep workshop run by Wesleyan students.

Facilities: CHESHIRE CI;YORK CI

Auspices: Contracted Program

Treatment Types: Education (Ed)

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Compendium Program: Young Adult Offender Program

# Gender Specific for:MALE

Description:

The State of Connecticut Department of Correction's program for young adults incarcerated in CT ages 18 through 25; located at the Cheshire Correctional Institution.

Offenders in the program will:

Have a daily routine that more closely resembles a schedule on the outside Have the opportunity to develop life skills in a therapeutic community setting Be connected with mentors Develop leadership skills Work towards personal and professional goals through different programming and access to opportunities Enhance connections with family and community supports

Facilities: CHESHIRE CI

Auspices: All Facility Staff

Treatment Types:

Aggression Replacement Training (ART);Behavior Modification (BM);Cognitive Behavioral Therapy (CBT);Education (Ed);Family Support (FS);Life Skills (LS);Reintegration Enhancement/Relapse Prevention (RERP);Victim Impact (VI)