

# LOCAL REENTRY COUNCIL MEMBERS

Include, but are not limited to:

- Formerly Incarcerated Individuals
- Local Prison Facilities
- Community Corrections
- Division of Juvenile Justice
- Alcohol & Chemical Dependency Programs
- Orange County Health Department
- Orange County Law Enforcement
- Orange County Department of Social Services
- Vocational Rehabilitation Services
- Local Mental Health Professionals & Advocates
- Local Workforce Development
- Division of Workforce Solutions
- Housing Services and Advocates
- Local Court Stakeholders
- Division of Motor Vehicles
- Community College and Education Advocates
- Faith Community
- Reentry Advocates
- Local City/Town Representatives
- Chamber of Commerce
- Legal Services

## Local Reentry Council Partner:

Formerly Incarcerated Transition (FIT) Program



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NORTH CAROLINA



# LOCAL REENTRY COUNCIL (LRC)



## Definition

The Local Reentry Council is a network of community-based organizations and individuals that work together to advocate for, support and connect the formerly incarcerated and justice involved with necessary local services such as housing, employment, food, clothing, treatment, transportation, and mentoring.

## Mission

The Local Reentry Council's mission is to reduce recidivism, increase public/community safety, create a network of individuals and organizations assisting returning individuals, maximize the use of existing resources and services; and develop innovative responses to address gaps in resources and services.

## Purpose

The Local Reentry Council's purpose is to coordinate resources in the community in an effort to provide assistance for returning individuals and their families that will facilitate a successful transition from incarceration back into society or help reduce barriers that are faced by those who have been justice-involved.

# LRC STRUCTURE

## Executive Committee

The LRC Executive Council mirrors the state level members that will respond to service gaps with local resources, recommend policy change to the state Reentry Task Force Advisory Council, oversee the LRC's work and conduct education and outreach on reentry to the community.

## Advisory Committee

The LRC Advisory Committee encompasses a wide range of local faith, non-profit, government, business leaders and formerly incarcerated individuals to communicate identified resources gaps to the local reentry council and where possible, respond to the gaps with local resources.

## LRC Sub-Committees

Housing, Employment Resources, Health Care Services, Legal Reentry Advocacy and Support



## Local Service Providers

Stakeholders that offer direct services such as housing, employment, education, food, clothing, childcare assistance, vocational training, transportation, substance use treatment, mental health treatment, mentoring services and other supportive services.



# ELIGIBILITY REQUIREMENTS

Any individual returning to Orange County from incarceration in a state or federal prison or local jail is eligible to receive services from the Local Reentry Council. Services can begin prior to release or after return to the community.

Additionally, any individual residing in Orange County who is facing barriers to reentry due to former incarceration or justice-involvement is encouraged to contact the LRC.

If you are interested in becoming a member of the Orange County Local Reentry Council or to make a referral, please contact:

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