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1. [Community Partners in Action](#) is dedicated to building a better community by providing services that promote accountability, dignity, and restoration for people affected by the Criminal Justice System.

(860) 566-2030, <http://www.cpa-ct.org>, mprice-boreland@cpa-ct.org

Community Partners in Action, 110 Bartholomew Ave., Suite 3010, Hartford, CT 06106

2. [Columbus House Starting Over](#) supports 80 men and women who are connected to New Haven parole by providing case management, peer support, and employment services.

(203) 401-4400 <http://www.columbushouse.org/programs/> info@columbushouse.org

Columbus House, Inc., 586 Ella T. Grasso Blvd., New Haven, CT 06519

3. [Project Fresh Start](#) The City of New Haven Project Fresh Start Reentry Program facilitates the coordination of community partners, state agencies and other reentry stakeholders for the purpose of creating a citywide, strategic, and systematic delivery of resources that leads to reduced recidivism, increased employment, access to continued education and the long term self-sufficiency of returning citizens.

(203) 946-7821 <http://www.cityofnewhaven.com/Mayor/PrisonReentry.asp>
NHFreshStart1@newhavenct.net

Office of the Mayor, 165 Church St., 2nd Fl., New Haven, CT 06510

4. [Fresh Start Community Reentry Program](#) This innovative, research-based nonresidential model results in the successful reintegration of formerly-incarcerated persons into their families and communities.

(203) 916-4440 <http://www.familyreentry.org/reentry.jsp> waltcichocki@familyreentry.org

Family ReEntry, Inc., 75 Washington Ave., Bridgeport, CT 06604

5. [Community Solutions Inc.](#) Promoting the independence and responsible citizenship of individuals and families involved, or at risk of involvement, in the child welfare, juvenile justice, or criminal justice systems.

(860) 683-7100 <http://www.csi-online.org/> twilliams@csimail.org

Community Solutions Inc., 340 West Newberry Road, Suite B, Bloomfield, CT 06002

6. [Project Employment](#) OIC's Project Employment supports ex-offenders, providing them skills, strategies and resources as they navigate the challenging transition from incarceration to employment.

(860) 447-1731, <http://www.oicnlc.org/>, info@oicnlc.org

Opportunity Industrialization Center (OIC), 106 Truman St., New London, CT 06320

7. [Workforce Alliance Ex-Offenders Programs](#) Workforce Alliance collaborates with local police, Department of Corrections, Adult Probation, S.T.R.I.V.E, and other community-based agencies to link parolees and ex-offenders with employment, training and support services.

(203) 867-4030, <http://www.workforcealliance.biz/>, info@workforcealliance.biz

Workforce Alliance, 560 Ella T. Grasso Blvd., New Haven, CT, 06519

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8. [CO-OP Center](#) CO-OP Center offers ex-offenders job counseling, work clothes, help preparing for GED tests, computer training, assistance in getting identification, public transportation assistance and referrals for basic needs.

(203) 367-8441, Ext. 231, <http://www.ccgb.org>, danbraccio@ccgb.org

The Council of Churches of Greater Bridgeport, 1100 Boston Ave., Bldg. 5A, Bridgeport, CT 06610

9. [ReEntry Works](#) Open to anyone currently on parole in Connecticut who is not a resident or participant in another Department of Correction-funded work release program, ReEntry Works assists former offenders in increasing skills and gaining jobs to succeed in the workforce.

(203) 952-3227, Ext. 337, <http://careerresources.org/>, dthomas@careerresources.org

Career Resources, Inc., 350 Fairfield Ave., 3rd Fl., Bridgeport, CT, 06604

10. [STRIDE Program for Incarcerated Mothers and Fathers](#) STRIDE (Skills, Transition, Respect, Integrity, Direction, Employment) is a state funded transitional support workforce development program operating within the Quinebaug Valley Community College's Community Engagement Department. The STRIDE Program serves a targeted group of incarcerated men and women, both pre- and post-release, from four correctional facilities in Connecticut.

(860) 932-4146, <http://www.qvcc.edu>, jscrapchansky@qvcc.edu

Quinebaug Valley Community College, 742 Upper Maple St., Danielson, CT, 06239

11. [FHM Services - AfterCare & Recovery Support For Ex-Offenders & Their Families](#)

Work release/transitional program provides a supervised residential program for male ex-offenders, ages 18+ who are within 18 months of parole or are at the end of their sentence. The program provides assistance with developing life skills, substance abuse recovery and job search assistance.

(860) 448-3400, <http://www.fellowshiphouseministries.org>, dstevenson@fhmservices.org

Fellowship House Ministries, 466 Long Hill Rd., Groton, CT, 06340

12. [Perception Programs: Brooklyn Bridge /Next Step](#) The Brooklyn/Bridge Program is an intensive, structured, long term, residential substance abuse treatment program for adult male offenders. Next Step is a work release and treatment program to help women re-enter the community after incarceration. A 12 step recovery program is offered for women at Next Step and for men at Brooklyn/Bridge after their release from incarceration.

(860) 450-7122, <http://www.perceptionprograms.org/>, contact@perceptionprograms.org

Perception Programs, Inc., 54 North St., P.O. Box 407, Willimantic, CT 06226

13. [Union House](#) Residential transitional program for males, ages 18+ in the criminal justice system who are pre-trial, on probation or parole. Services include counseling and supportive employment services and assistance with re-integrating into the community. Length of stay up to 6 months.

(203) 610-8099, <http://www.partnersforcommunity.org/default/index.cfm/about-pfc/affiliates-programs/cjm/>, kharris@partnersforcommunity.org

Corporation for Justice Management (CJM), 276 Union Ave., Bridgeport, CT, 06607

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14. [Hartford Public Library: Ex-Offender Resources](#) Provides links to services for ex-offenders including housing, employment, mentoring, pardons, arts and other programs.

(860) 695-6300, <http://www.hplct.org/>, reference@hartfordpl.lib.ct.us

Hartford Public Library, 500 Main St., Hartford, CT, 06103

15. [New Beginnings Mentoring Program](#) New Beginnings Mentoring Program uses a holistic, strength-based approach to bring positive behavioral and lifestyle changes to women in recovery who were once involved with the Connecticut criminal justice system. Support services are also provided for DCF-involved families.

(860) 290-8329, <http://www.goodworksct.org/>, gworks47@sbcglobal.net

GoodWorks, Inc., 45 Wintonbury Ave., Ste. 328, Bloomfield, CT 06002

16. [My Brother's Keeper](#) My Brother's Keeper, is the residential program of FFPM that operates a bilingual, supervised, and structured group home to provide a new beginning towards being a productive member of society for former inmates who are at risk of homelessness, unemployment and isolation. The house is also opened to those ex – convicts affected with HIV/AIDS.

(203) 772-2555, <http://freeforeverprisonministry.org/>, brixaida@sbcglobal.net

Free Forever Prison Ministry, P.O. Box 5020, Woodbridge, CT 06525

17. [Community Justice Services - The Connection](#) Everyone deserves a second chance. The Connection's community justice services assist you or your loved one with the education, skills and resources needed to return to the community after prison as a productive and valued citizen.

(860) 343-5500, <http://www.theconnectioninc.org/>, info@theconnectioninc.org

The Connection Inc., 100 Roscommon Dr, Ste. 203, Middletown, CT 06457

18. [A Program of FUTURES: Life Support](#) Medicaid provider of individual and group counseling/therapy for adults. Program also specializes in providing vocational training, job search assistance, case management and basic needs referrals for individuals being released from incarceration/ex-offenders, single parents, the underemployed and unemployed.

(203) 626-1562, <http://www.wayfaringministriesinc.org/>, info@atecofct.com

Wayfaring Ministries, Inc., 29 Marne St., Rear, Hamden, CT, 06514

19. [New Haven Re-entry Service Center \(NHRSC\)](#) The New Haven Re-entry Service Center (NHRSC) is a non-residential program at Easter Seals Goodwill Industries that provides comprehensive case management services to male and female adult offenders returning to the city of New Haven after incarceration. Funding and referrals are provided by the Department of Correction (DOC).

(203) 777-2000, <http://eastersealsgoodwill.org/>, programs@esginh.org

Easter Seals Goodwill Industries, 432 Washington Ave., North Haven, CT 06473

20. [Central Avenue/Renaissance East/Maple Community Release Programs](#) Halfway house and work release programs for males, ages 18+, Central Avenue, Maple Street and McAulisse, assist male ex-

offenders on parole, probation, jail diversion, and at end of sentence re-integrating into the community. The programs provide substance abuse and mental health recovery assistance and/or education and job search assistance.

(203) 753-2341, <http://www.ctrenaissance.com/>, carolp@ctrenaissance.com

Connecticut Renaissance (CTR), 31 Wolcott St., Waterbury, CT 06608

21. [Families in Crisis: Re-Entry Services](#) Family focused re-entry programs like mentoring and family support sessions, help strengthen family ties and maintain rewarding, productive and loving relationships.

(860) 727-5800, <http://www.familiesin crisis.org/>, info@familiesin crisis.org

Families in Crisis, Inc., 60 Popieluszo Ct., Hartford, CT 06106

22. [Judah House](#) Judah House began in 2006 in Hartford's North End in a leased property. The intention was to house 10 women who were returning to the community from incarceration, mental health facilities, or substance abuse treatment. In 2008, we moved to a newly constructed house on Vine Street and began to provide faith-based counseling and case management services to men and women. We also offered training, housing assistance, and other supports and resources to help clients stabilize in the community.

(860) 241-9440, <http://www.judahhouseinc.org/>, info@judahhouseinc.org

Judah House, 84 Vine St., Hartford, CT 06112