

Connecticut Department of Correction

PROGRAMS & TREATMENT UNIT

Alphabetic Listing of Programs for All Auspices, All Types

FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: 211 Info Line

Description:

This is an information line to help callers find information, discover options, and provide assistance with such issues as food, housing, clothing, transportation, substance abuse, domestic violence, childcare or nearly every other need they may have. The 211 database is provided on the department's e-mail system. In addition, 211 CD ROMs were provided to staff who do not have e-mail and who work with offenders who are close to discharge.

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC, BROOKLYN CI, CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NEW HAVEN CC, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

All Facility Staff

Types:

Re-Entry

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Adult Basic Education (ABE)

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.

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC, BROOKLYN CI, CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NEW HAVEN CC, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

USD#1

Types:

Academic Education

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:1

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Alcoholics Anonymous

Description:

This is a 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 alcoholism. Meetings, in a variety of formats (Big Book, Step Meetings, Speaker, etc.), are held on a weekly basis. Addiction Services or Volunteer Services staff coordinate the meetings and provide oversight for the program.

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, NEW HAVEN CC, NIAN TIC ANNEX, WALKER BUILDING

Auspices:

Addiction Services, Volunteer Services

Types:

Addiction, Re-Entry

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Alternatives to Violence (AVP):

Description:

Certified AVP volunteers lead basic, intermediate and advanced workshops to teach inmates to understand and to control anger, and how to cope with violence in their lives. Inmates are provided certificates of completion for each workshop level. Those completing AVP workshops become eligible to serve as group facilitators.

Facilities:

MACDOUGALL CI, OSBORN CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

Volunteer Services

Types:

Anger Management, Self Improvement

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:2

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Arabic Language

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, CORRIGAN CI, ENFIELD CI, MACDOUGALL CI, RADGOWSKI CI

Auspices:

Religious Services

Types:

Religious, Self Improvement

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Artists In Residence

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:

CYBULSKI CI, MACDOUGALL CI, OSBORN CI, WILLARD CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

Contracted Program, Volunteer Services

Types:

Self Improvement

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Beginners and Advanced Art Programs

Description:

This is a program developed to enable inmates with different artistic abilities. Although primarily pen, watercolor, and painting, this activity may be multidisciplinary (i.e., sculpture, dance, creative writing, or poetry). Exhibits of this artwork are promoted periodically.

Facilities:

BROOKLYN CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, MACDOUGALL CI, OSBORN CI, WILLARD CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

Recreation Services, Volunteer Services

Types:

Self Improvement

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Beyond Fear (English)

Description:

This is an AIDS education program utilizing a curriculum, printed materials, and an educational video developed by the Department of Public Health. The program is delivered by a contracted outside agency, and funded through the Department of Public Health.

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC, BROOKLYN CI, CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, GARNER CI, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WILLARD CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

All Facility Staff, Charlene Perkins Center - Facility Staff, Contracted Program, Health Services, Volunteer Services

Types:

Health Education, Self Improvement

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:2

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Beyond Fear (Spanish)

Description:

This is an AIDS education program utilizing a curriculum, printed materials, and an educational video developed by the Department of Public Health. The program is delivered by a contracted outside agency, and funded through the Department of Public Health.

Facilities:

MACDOUGALL CI

Auspices:

Contracted Program, Health Services

Types:

Health Education, Self Improvement

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:2

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Career Exploration Day

Description:

This program teaches inmates about different vocations. Designed as an "in-house" activity, facility Vocational Instructors present information and samples about their programs to academic students. The majority of students participating have sentences of three years or more and are able to learn about different vocations.

Facilities:

MACDOUGALL CI

Auspices:

USD#1

Types:

Re-Entry

Program Status:

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Catholic Bible Study

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:

BROOKLYN CI, CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, NEW HAVEN CC, NIAN TIC ANNEX, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

Religious Services , Volunteer Services

Types:

Religious

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Catholic Choir

Description:

This is a musical program educating inmates in deepening their understanding of the liturgy and enhancing the worship experience provided to all catholic inmates.

Facilities:

CYBULSKI CI, GARNER CI, MACDOUGALL CI, OSBORN CI, WILLARD CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

Religious Services

Types:

Religious

Program Status:

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Catholic Discussion Group

Description:

Using various methodologies (e.g. video, music, current events, etc.). Inmates are encouraged to discuss Catholic moral approaches to a virtuous lifestyle free of crime and recidivism.

Facilities:

CHESHIRE CI, ENFIELD CI, MACDOUGALL CI, OSBORN CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING

Auspices:

Religious Services

Types:

Religious

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Catholic Faith Sharing

Description:

A sharing of bible readings following the Catholic seasonal calendar. Thoughts generated by the readings are discussed as they apply to daily life helping the inmate to change attitude, values and behavior.

Facilities:

CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, WALKER BUILDING

Auspices:

Religious Services

Types:

Religious

Program Status:

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Catholic Meditation

Description:

This is the instruction and practice in the various methods of deep prayer from the ancient, catholic wisdom traditions. The goal of this is spiritual growth and therapeutic response insofar as anxiety disorders respond well to meditation/relaxation techniques.

Facilities:

CYBULSKI CI, MACDOUGALL CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI

Auspices:

Religious Services

Types:

Religious

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Catholic Retreats

Description:

Retreats: (e.g. Kairos, Emmaus, Life in the Spirit). Withdrawal from daily activities for a period of time for a program devoted to prayer, meditation, self-examination and decision making for one's spiritual life. It is hoped that this larger time-block will assist inmates in confronting issues that are not readily accessed in shorter time periods.

Facilities:

BROOKLYN CI, CORRIGAN CI, GARNER CI, MACDOUGALL CI, RADGOWSKI CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

Religious Services , Volunteer Services

Types:

Religious

Program Status:

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Catholic Worship Service

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, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NEW HAVEN CC, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

Religious Services , Volunteer Services

Types:

Worship Services

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Certified Nurse's Aide Program

Description:

The purpose of the C.N.A. program is to prepare students for entry level employment in a long-term care facility servicing geriatric patients. The 190-hour course is designed to teach basic-nursing skills used in patient care. Upon successful completion of the CNA program, the student qualifies to take the state exam for certification.

Facilities:

MACDOUGALL CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

All Facility Staff

Types:

Career Technical Education, Re-Entry

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:1

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Educational, Career Resources and Job Fairs

Description:

These types of Fairs are conducted in the form of a professional conference for students. The educational staff invite a keynote speaker and students proceed to attend individual workshops or resource stations that provide information about potential employment or post secondary educational opportunities. The goal of these Fairs is to assist inmates with their transition plans before they return to the community.

Facilities:

CYBULSKI CI, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, OSBORN CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

Addiction Services, USD#1

Types:

Academic Education, Re-Entry

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Embracing Fatherhood

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, GARNER CI, MACDOUGALL CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI

Auspices:

Programs & Treatment Unit, All Facility Staff

Types:

Family

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:2

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Facility Based Domestic Violence Program

Description:

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

BRIDGEPORT CC, BROOKLYN CI, CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WILLARD CI

Auspices:

Programs & Treatment Unit, All Facility Staff

Types:

Domestic Violence, Family

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:0

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Flexibility

Description:

This is a comprehensive fitness program geared toward getting in shape. Offenders may participate at any age but must remain discipline free during participation. The program offers activities like step aerobics, calisthenics, stretching and yoga.

Facilities:

MACDOUGALL CI

Auspices:

Recreation Services, Volunteer Services

Types:

Recreation

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Gambling - The Better Choice Program

Description:

Information regarding the Better Choices Gambling Program and a 4-Question Survey is available at every facility. The information explains what is available in the community regarding Better Choices and staff are encouraged to use it to assist offenders who may have a gambling problem. This program is funded by DMHAS.

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC, BROOKLYN CI, CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, WALKER BUILDING, YORK CI

Auspices:

All Facility Staff, Volunteer Services

Types:

Addiction, Health Education, Mental Health

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: General Referral

Description:

This four session program is designed as a brief intervention for those offenders who are serving short periods of incarceration. Participants are encouraged to think about how they know the difference between what they are feeling and thinking, and how feeling based distortions can get in the way of productive communications. Participants are introduced to common thinking patterns that lead to frustration, distortion and avoidance of personal responsibility.

Facilities:

MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI

Auspices:

Programming Unit - Facility Staff

Types:

Re-Entry

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:0

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Graphic & Printing Technology

Description:

The graphic arts/printing course is designed to provide students the opportunity to learn the skills necessary to work in the printing field. Students gain an understanding of the overall printing process to include graphics layout, design, production printing and binding. Students concentrate on proper shop safety procedures, and desktop publishing skills. Each student receives "hands on" instruction operating single color offset presses, two color presses, paper cutters and bindery equipment. Class theory work includes learning terminology related to the field and methods of managing quality control processes. Students learn basic equipment upkeep and care, as well as equipment problem diagnosis and minor equipment repair.

Facilities:

ENFIELD CI, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, YORK CI

Auspices:

USD#1

Types:

Career Technical Education, Community Service, Re-Entry

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:1

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Grief Guides

Description:

A program of trained peer grief counselors. Offenders provide a listening ear and a comforting presence for any offender who has experienced a loss.

Facilities:

MACDOUGALL CI

Auspices:

Volunteer Services

Types:

Self Improvement

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: High School Diploma Programs

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, CENTRAL OFFICE , CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NEW HAVEN CC, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, PAROLE & COMMUNITY SERVICES, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

USD#1

Types:

Academic Education

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:1

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: HIV Counseling, Testing & Risk Reduction Education

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, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NEW HAVEN CC, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

Health Services

Types:

Health Education, Medical

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: HIV Support Services

Description:

The Department demonstrates a collaborative approach in providing HIV support services to inmates in all facilities. A UCONN (Contracted) Health 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.

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC, BROOKLYN CI, CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NEW HAVEN CC, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

Health Services

Types:

Health Education, Medical, Mental Health

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Hospice Program

Description:

This program is provided through an interdisciplinary team approach, to provide twenty-four (24) hour compassionate, quality end-of-life care to terminally ill inmates and to view their families and/or those emotionally connected to them as part of the "unit of care". Specially trained inmate volunteers are assigned to provide on-going care and support. This program is also available to all terminally ill male inmates in the Connecticut Department of Correction who meet the criteria for transfer into the program at MacDougall-CI. This program is also available to all terminally and chronically ill female inmates in the Connecticut Department of Correction who meet the criteria for transfer into the program at York-CI.

Facilities:

MACDOUGALL CI, OSBORN CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

Health Services

Types:

Medical

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Industry Janitors (CEC)

Description:

One of the services that Correctional Enterprises of Connecticut provides for inmates is the provision of institutional employment by training and supervising a group of industry janitors to insure that the industry area is clean at all times. There are twelve to fifteen janitors employed in various shop locations.

Facilities:

CHESHIRE CI, MACDOUGALL CI, OSBORN CI

Auspices:

Correctional Enterprises of Connecticut

Types:

Career Technical Education, Institutional Employment, Re-Entry

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Inmate Bereavement Volunteer Program

Description:

This program trains inmates to provide support for fellow inmates who are experiencing loss or grief. This is in addition to the opportunity to talk to Mental Health, Religious Services, and/or correctional staff. Inmate volunteers are important as they share the experience of being incarcerated and can relate to its challenge.

Facilities:

MACDOUGALL CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

Health Services

Types:

Female, Gender Responsive, Mental Health, Self Improvement, Trauma Informed

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Inmate Photo Program

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, GARNER CI, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NEW HAVEN CC, WALKER BUILDING

Auspices:

All Facility Staff

Types:

Community Service

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Islamic Studies

Description:

Islamic studies devoted to the study of prayer, meditation, self-examination and decision making for a spiritual life. This will assist inmates in confronting issues of life.

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC, BROOKLYN CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NEW HAVEN CC, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI

Auspices:

Religious Services

Types:

Religious

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Islamic Video

Description:

This is a weekly instructional video focused on the historical background of Islam, prayer, customs, and traditions.

Facilities:

BROOKLYN CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, MACDOUGALL CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

Religious Services , Volunteer Services

Types:

Religious

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Jehovah's Witness Bible Study

Description:

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

Facilities:

CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, NEW HAVEN CC, OSBORN CI, ROBINSON CI, WILLARD CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

Religious Services , Volunteer Services

Types:

Religious

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Jehovah's Witness Collective Service

Description:

This is the weekly Jehovah's Witness worship service.

Facilities:

BROOKLYN CI, CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, MACDOUGALL CI, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WILLARD CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

Religious Services , Volunteer Services

Types:

Religious

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Jewish Holy Day Observances

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, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, WALKER BUILDING, YORK CI

Auspices:

Religious Services

Types:

Religious

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Jewish Sabbath Worship and Torah Study

Description:

Sabbath afternoon prayer and reading of weekly Torah portion, followed by study and discussion.

Facilities:

BROOKLYN CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, OSBORN CI, WALKER BUILDING

Auspices:

Religious Services , Volunteer Services

Types:

Religious, Worship Services

Program Status:

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Jewish Worship and Study

Description:

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

Facilities:

CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI

Auspices:

Religious Services

Types:

Religious

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Jumah

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, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NEW HAVEN CC, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI

Auspices:

Religious Services

Types:

Worship Services

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Legion of Mary

Description:

This is a program which inmates become members of the largest Catholic lay group in the world. The Legion's goals are to form active, educated and charitable Catholics. This is done through a regular program of prayer that emphasizes the rosary and acts of charity. Inmates also do research and presentations on various aspects of the catholic tradition.

Facilities:

BROOKLYN CI, CHESHIRE CI, MACDOUGALL CI, OSBORN CI, ROBINSON CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

Religious Services , Volunteer Services

Types:

Religious

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Lifer's Group

Description:

This program is a one hour; weekly group in an open format. Designed to create a supportive setting where offenders doing more than 25 years can help each other develop and maintain coping skills in the areas of anger, relationships, anxiety, families, loss etc. It is also a place in which the more seasoned lifers can help their younger peers learn to adapt and survive.

Facilities:

MACDOUGALL CI

Auspices:

All Facility Staff, Health Services

Types:

Self Improvement

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Meditation Group

Description:

This group is led by a volunteer with extensive experience in teaching meditation. Basic techniques are introduced, as well as more advanced practice. This program is offered to inmates in York CI's Social Rehabilitation program only. The group is ongoing and meets weekly.

Facilities:

MACDOUGALL CI

Auspices:

Health Services, The Social Rehabilitation Program

Types:

Self Improvement

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:0

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Metal Working Shop

Description:

This program teaches offenders how to utilize all types of metal working equipment. This including welding equipment; mig & tig, CNC equipment; shears and brakes and various other machinery; grinders, punching machines, notchers, plasma cutting, etc. The shop fabricates many types of metal and sheet metal products; institutional beds, lockers writing tables, vehicle caging & much more, etc. This provides offenders an opportunity to design, layout and fabricate a variety of metal products.

Facilities:

MACDOUGALL CI

Auspices:

Correctional Enterprises of Connecticut

Types:

Career Technical Education, Institutional Employment, Re-Entry, Self Improvement

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Narcotics Anonymous

Description:

Narcotics Anonymous is a twelve-step fellowship of addicts helping addicts to recover from the disease of addiction. Meetings, in a variety of formats (Step Meetings, Speaker, Speaker/Discussion, etc.), are held on a weekly basis. The meetings are usually conducted by outside volunteers who share their story of addiction and recovery. Addiction Services or Volunteer Services staff coordinate the meetings and provide oversight for the program.

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC, BROOKLYN CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, Niantic Annex, YORK CI

Auspices:

Addiction Services, Volunteer Services

Types:

Addiction

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Native American Harvest Festival

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, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, MACDOUGALL CI, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI

Auspices:

Religious Services

Types:

Religious

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Native American Strawberry Festival

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, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, MACDOUGALL CI, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI

Auspices:

Religious Services

Types:

Religious

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Native American Studies

Description:

It would be a bi-monthly study on Native American stories, music and history. Documentaries will be shown such as 500 Nations or We Shall Remain subject to Central Office approval.

Facilities:

GARNER CI, MACDOUGALL CI, WALKER BUILDING

Auspices:

Religious Services , Volunteer Services

Types:

Religious

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:0

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Native American Video and Discussion

Description:

This is a weekly instructional video and discussion group that focuses on the historical background of the 500 nations of native people, their customs, and traditions. A short discussion follows each video.

Facilities:

BROOKLYN CI, CYBULSKI CI, MACDOUGALL CI, OSBORN CI, WILLARD CI

Auspices:

Religious Services , Volunteer Services

Types:

Religious

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Native American Worship

Description:

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

Facilities:

BROOKLYN CI, CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, MACDOUGALL CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI

Auspices:

Religious Services , Volunteer Services

Types:

Religious, Worship Services

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Native American Worship-Sweat Lodge

Description:

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

Facilities:

CHESHIRE CI, ENFIELD CI, MACDOUGALL CI, OSBORN CI

Auspices:

Religious Services

Types:

Worship Services

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: PEP - People Empowering People

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:

CHESHIRE CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, MACDOUGALL CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

Volunteer Services

Types:

Self Improvement

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Prayer Class - Islamic Faith

Description:

This is a seminar that teaches inmates how to make prayers according to the Prophet Muhammad (peace be upon him).

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC, BROOKLYN CI, CORRIGAN CI, GARNER CI, MACDOUGALL CI, NEW HAVEN CC, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, WALKER BUILDING, YORK CI

Auspices:

Religious Services

Types:

Religious

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Pro-Literacy Worldwide

Description:

An active group of community volunteers, as well as inmate volunteers, contribute hundreds of hours to combat illiteracy for inmates in all of the facilities. Basic reading, vocabulary and comprehension skills are stressed.

Facilities:

MACDOUGALL CI

Auspices:

USD#1, Volunteer Services

Types:

Academic Education

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Prospective Apprenticeship

Description:

The Prospective Apprenticeship program offers students an opportunity to apply successful Career Technical Educational completions in approved programs toward apprenticeship hours once they leave the Department of Correction. Students who successfully complete the Unified School District #1 Career Technical Education programs (Curriculum approved by the state of CT Department of Labor) and enter a similar apprenticeship program with a recognized CT Apprenticeship Sponsor (employer) may be eligible to receive 1,000 hours of "on-the-job" credit towards completion of an apprenticeship program. NOTE: Apprenticeship credit is contingent upon acceptance by the apprenticeship sponsor.

Facilities:

CHESHIRE CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

USD#1

Types:

Career Technical Education, Re-Entry

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Protestant and Catholic Choir

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:

BROOKLYN CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, MACDOUGALL CI, NEW HAVEN CC, OSBORN CI, ROBINSON CI

Auspices:

Religious Services , Volunteer Services

Types:

Religious

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Protestant Bible Study

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, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NEW HAVEN CC, NIAN TIC ANNEX, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

Religious Services , Volunteer Services

Types:

Religious

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Protestant Bible Study (Spanish)

Description:

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

Facilities:

BROOKLYN CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, NEW HAVEN CC, NIAN TIC ANNEX, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

Religious Services , Volunteer Services

Types:

Religious

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Protestant Prison Fellowship Seminar

Description:

This is a weekend faith development seminar held twice yearly.

Facilities:

BROOKLYN CI, CORRIGAN CI, MACDOUGALL CI, RADGOWSKI CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

Religious Services , Volunteer Services

Types:

Religious

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Protestant Service

Description:

This is the weekly Protestant worship service.

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC, BROOKLYN CI, CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NEW HAVEN CC, NIAN TIC ANNEX, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

Religious Services , Volunteer Services

Types:

Worship Services

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Protestant Service (Spanish)

Description:

This is the weekly Protestant worship service conducted in Spanish.

Facilities:

BROOKLYN CI, CHESHIRE CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, NEW HAVEN CC, NIAN TIC ANNEX, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI

Auspices:

Religious Services , Volunteer Services

Types:

Worship Services

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Ramadan, Eid-UI-Fitr, Eid-UI-Adha

Description:

Religiously Required Observations (Annual)

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC, BROOKLYN CI, CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NEW HAVEN CC, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

Religious Services

Types:

Religious

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Read to Your Children

Description:

This program is designed to foster a bond between a child and his/her incarcerated parent. USD#1 creates and maintains a collection of children's books. Inmates can select from a book and read to their child during regular visiting hours.

Facilities:

MACDOUGALL CI

Auspices:

USD#1

Types:

Family

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

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Alphabetic Listing of Programs for All Auspices, All Types

FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Sacramental Preparation- Catholic

Description:

This is a course of studies to prepare inmates to receive the sacraments of Baptism, Reconciliation, Eucharist and Confirmation in the hope of empowering the inmates towards a deeper participation in the faith and to foster participation in the church community.

Facilities:

CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NANTIC ANNEX, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, YORK CI

Auspices:

Religious Services , Volunteer Services

Types:

Religious

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Special Education and Pupil Services

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, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NEW HAVEN CC, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

USD#1

Types:

Academic Education

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:1

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Success Stories

Description:

This program is for those offenders who have successfully completed the Commitment to Change program. It prepares offenders for release and assists in making a plan to be successful after incarceration. This program is geared towards offenders who are preparing for discharge.

Facilities:

MACDOUGALL CI

Auspices:

Health Services

Types:

Re-Entry, Self Improvement

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Taleem

Description:

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

Facilities:

MACDOUGALL CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING

Auspices:

Religious Services

Types:

Religious

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Tarweeh

Description:

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

Facilities:

CHESHIRE CI, MACDOUGALL CI, WALKER BUILDING

Auspices:

Religious Services

Types:

Religious

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL) Language Acquisition Skills (LAS)

Description:

Teaching English to Speakers of Other Languages (TESOL)/Language Acquisition Skills (LAS) are instructional programs for students whose primary language is not English. TESOL instruction helps students to speak, read and write English or assists them in developing the language skills necessary for overall academic and vocational progress.

Facilities:

CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NEW HAVEN CC, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

USD#1

Types:

Academic Education

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:1

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Transitional Linkage into the Community (TLC)

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, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, NEW HAVEN CC, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, YORK CI

Auspices:

Health Services

Types:

Health Education, Re-Entry

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Upholstery Shop

Description:

This shop produces new seating; ergonomic chairs, lounge chairs, sofas etc- and re-upholsters used furniture. Offenders receive on the job training in the upholstery trade. These services have been provided to many public libraries and other community based operations.

Facilities:

MACDOUGALL CI

Auspices:

Correctional Enterprises of Connecticut

Types:

Career Technical Education, Institutional Employment, Re-Entry, Self Improvement

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: USD # 1 Voc. Ed: Electronics

Description:

The electronic/repair & service course is designed to provide students with the tools and skills needed for employment in the electronics field. Students study AC/DC theory, solid state theory, digital logic, microprocessor theory and application, networking, fiber optics and communication lasers, interfacing, bus structures and other applicable courses of study. The course includes the use of higher-level math skills needed to perform diagnostic testing and repair of all types of electronic equipment. Students learn how to use various testing equipment currently in use in the field. Technicians repair inmates' television sets and radios. Students who have finished and completed the course can become technicians.

Facilities:

MACDOUGALL CI

Auspices:

USD#1

Types:

Career Technical Education, Re-Entry

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:1

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Alphabetic Listing of Programs for All Auspices, All Types

FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: USD #1 Family Education & Parenting

Description:

This program is designed to help inmates with children become responsible parents. Inmates have classes in parenting skills and in some cases read children's books into audio cassettes to send home to their children. Components of the parenting skills classes include parenting from a distance, discipline techniques, and communicating with children.

Facilities:

CHESHIRE CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, OSBORN CI, WILLARD CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

All Facility Staff, USD#1

Types:

Family, Self Improvement

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:2

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: USD #1 Voc. Ed: Computer Education

Description:

The Computer Software Application Technology course is designed to provide students with an introduction to computer operations and with the application of various software packages and programs. Students begin by learning simple software programs and then progress to more sophisticated packages as their individual skills develop. Software programs introduced include but are not limited to the following: Access, Visual Basic, Adobe PageMaker, Excel, MicroSoft Works, Power Point, Micro-Soft Word, Micro-Soft for Windows, and Adobe Indesign Adobe Illustrator. Students design and complete projects using this software.

Facilities:

CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, MACDOUGALL CI, OSBORN CI, ROBINSON CI, WILLARD CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

USD#1

Types:

Career Technical Education, Re-Entry

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:1

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Alphabetic Listing of Programs for All Auspices, All Types

FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: USD #1 Voc. Ed: Dental Technology

Description:

Students learn all phases of dental replacement work in the dental program. Specifics include the fabrication of full and partial acrylic, removal, prosthetics and the casting of partial dentures. Also covered is the theory of crown and bridge, ceramic, and implant dental prosthetics.

Facilities:

MACDOUGALL CI

Auspices:

Correctional Enterprises of Connecticut, USD#1

Types:

Career Technical Education, Institutional Employment, Re-Entry

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:1

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: USD #1 Voc. Ed: Electro-mechanical Technology

Description:

This program provides students with theory-based instruction and hands-on experience in the areas of electronics, electrical circuits, mechanics, pneumatics, hydraulics and computer programming. It also includes repair of equipment to include washing machines, dish washers, electrical hand and bench tools such as lathes, drills, saws, grinders and polishers. Technicians apply their knowledge of programming and installation to repair robots, and related equipment such as programmable controllers, end of arm tools, conveyors and parts orientators. Students use power tools, hand tools, testing instruments and follow manuals' schematic diagrams and blueprints. The Electro-Mechanical program involves working closely with other on-site vocational programs. Buffers are repaired for MacDougall CI, Walker RSMU and Hartford CC. Graduation from this program can assist inmates in obtaining a job in the community.

Facilities:

MACDOUGALL CI

Auspices:

USD#1

Types:

Career Technical Education, Re-Entry

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:1

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FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: USD #1 Voc. Ed: Building Maintenance

Description:

The Building Maintenance program teaches the skills and techniques used in many building trades including electrical, plumbing, carpentry, masonry and more. The students learn how to repair and maintain residential and commercial structures and their systems. The knowledge and skills taught will provide the basics needed for related career paths.

Facilities:

MACDOUGALL CI, OSBORN CI

Auspices:

USD#1

Types:

Career Technical Education, Re-Entry

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:1

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Victim-Offender Dialogue

Description:

For a variety of reasons, it is sometimes helpful for victims to meet with offenders. The department's Victim Services Unit evaluates and when appropriate facilitates this dialogue. The process is designed to achieve the objectives of restorative justice, healing the victim, and confronting and holding the offender accountable. Although this process can often be very helpful to the inmate, all such dialogues are initiated at the request of victims.

Facilities:

BRIDGEPORT CC, BROOKLYN CI, CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI, YORK CI

Auspices:

Programs & Treatment Unit

Types:

Domestic Violence, Victim

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3

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Alphabetic Listing of Programs for All Auspices, All Types

FACILITY: MACDOUGALL CI

RT Program Code: N/A, Compendium Program: Woodworking Shop

Description:

This shop currently performs repairs to refinishing on all types of wood furniture. This repair work provides offenders with an opportunity to apply basic woodworking skills that will benefit them upon re-entry to the work force.

Facilities:

MACDOUGALL CI

Auspices:

Correctional Enterprises of Connecticut

Types:

Career Technical Education, Institutional Employment, Re-Entry, Self Improvement

Program Status:

Active Program Category Level:3
