



Goal 4: Healthy and Safe Communities

Goal Council Meeting

June 20, 2016

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MEASURE 2.3.B DECREASE JUVENILE OFFENDER RECIDIVISM FROM 53% TO 49% BY 2017

REDUCING JUVENILE RECIDIVISM

Department of Social and Health Services

Rehabilitation Administration – Juvenile Rehabilitation

Assistant Secretary John Clayton



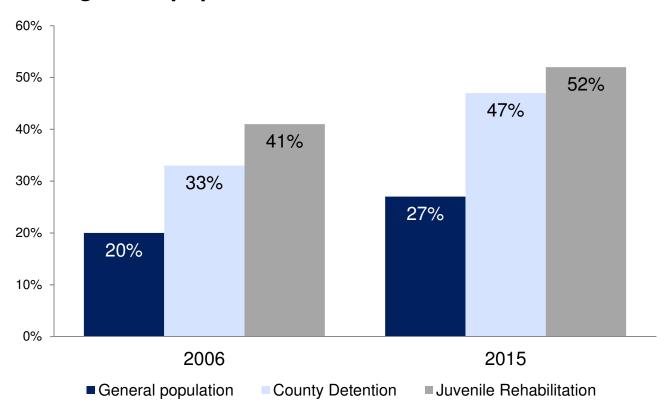
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Background: Reducing Recidivism by Addressing Youths'



Background: Racial and Ethnic Disparities Are Pronounced Across the Juvenile Justice System

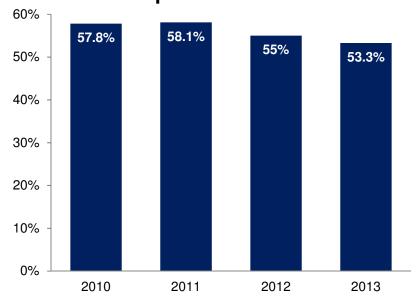
Youth of color in county detention and juvenile rehabilitation compared to the general population



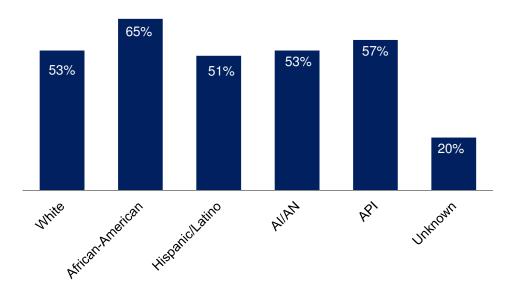
Disparities increase at each level of the juvenile justice system for African American, Hispanic/Latino, and Native American Youth and worsen over time (2006 compared to 2015)

Current State: 53% of Youth Commit a New Crime Within 18 Months of Release

Percent of youth who recidivate 18 months post-release

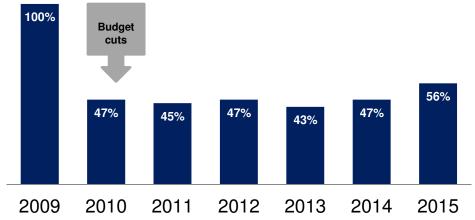


Percent of subsequent offending 18 months post-release by race/ethnicity, 2012

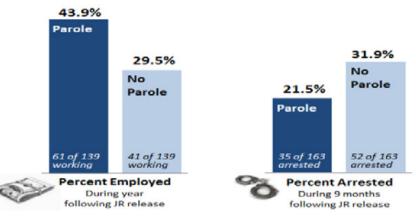


Problem: Lack of Post-Release Safety Net

Percent of youth released with Functional Family parole

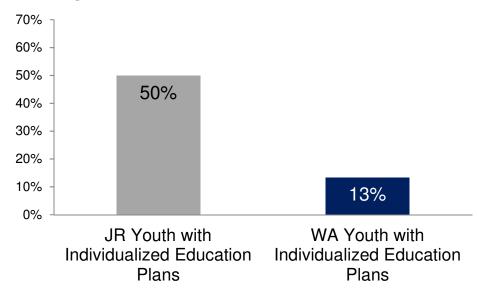


Effects of Functional Family Parole on re-arrest and employment

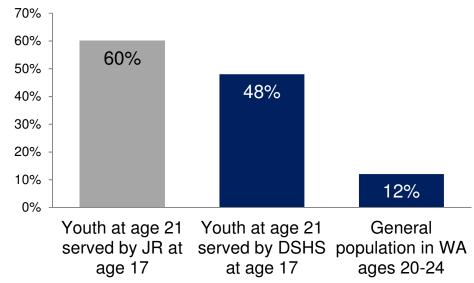


Problem: Youth Need Targeted Education and Employment Supports

Youth in JR have higher rates of Special Education



Youth in JR have much higher rates of post-release unemployment



Sources: Center for Continuing Education and Research University of Washington, 2015 Population Query with Institution Principals
Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction, Percentage of youth in WA with Special Education, OSPI Report Card 2014-2015
http://reportcard.ospi.k12.wa.us/summary.aspx?groupLevel=District&schoolId=1&reportLevel=State&year=2014-15

Sources: Employment Security Department/LMEA; U.S. Bureau of Labor Statistics, Current Population DSHS RDA Agency Performance Metrics, Percentage of youth served by DSHS who transition to employment at age 21

Strategy: Building Stronger Education Supports



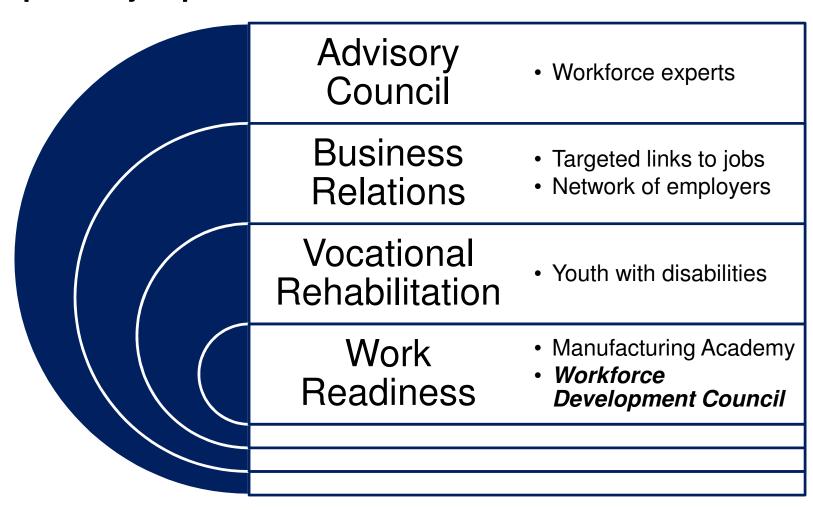


Multi-faceted approach:

- JR staff "all-in" support for academic achievement
- No "junk" credits
- On-line learning
- Vocational program credits
- Student achievement portfolios
- Postsecondary educational programs
- Credit retrieval
- Reenrollment and reengagement
- Career and Technical program access

Strategy: Building Employment Pathways

Goal: All youth leave JR with an educational and career plan or job placement



Partner: Pacific Mountain Workforce Development Council CEO Cheryl Fambles

The Public Workforce System

YOUR PARTNER IN ACHIEVING RESULTS

System Goal...enable low-income youth ages 16-24 with barriers to success, to become self sufficient and prosperous contributors in the economy

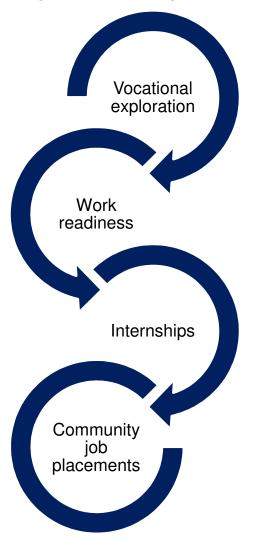
System Performance Outcomes

- Earn Credentials
- Placement in Employment or Post-Secondary
- Making Progress in School or Training
- Median Participant Earnings

PARTNER, ALIGN, LEVERAGE, INTEGRATE, CONVENE, FOCUS, ENGAGE, VALUE

Partner: MyJOB Program Supports Youths' Career Readiness

My Journey Out Beyond – My JOB





Strategy: Juvenile Rehabilitation Manufacturing Academy

Green Hill



Aerospace

Pilot Outcomes (77 youth):

- 63% Employment Rate
- 445 Industry Certifications
- 87 High School Credits

Combined with JR treatment and behavioral stabilization = Jobready youth

Resuming in 2016 with Funding from Multiple Partners

Customer Focus: Successful Youth Reentry



Video:

- Mekale
- Quincy

Assistance Needed:

- Governor's Reentry Executive Order Support:
 - Connection to health, food, and other benefits
 - Reducing barriers to employment
- How can the Goal Council or Governor help?
 - Advocate for reentry services
 - Behavioral health funding for youth in Juvenile Rehabilitation



Detailed Action Plan:

Task	Task Lead	Partners	Expected Outcome	Status	Due Date
Improve school engagement and educational outcomes	RA/JR	 JR Institution principals Local school districts Office of the Superintendent of Public Instruction 	 Improved coordination for youth re-enrolling Improved resources for IE students 	In progress	9/1/16
Develop and implement an employment pathway model for all youth in JR	RA/JR	Workforce Development Councils (PacMt), RA/JR Workforce Advisory Council Pioneer Human Services AJAC	Youth leave JR with a career plan or job placement	In progress	6/30/17
Parole/aftercare available for all youth	RA/JR	Community partners	Funding for all youth to have parole/aftercare services post release	In progress	7/1/17
Collaborate with county juvenile justice systems to collectively evaluate recidivism data	RA/JR	Juvenile Court Administrators Administrative Office of the Courts	Targeted strategies for reduction that meet the needs of the different types of youth	Not started	7/1/19



RETURN TO INSTITUTIONS

Department of Corrections

Dick Morgan

Secretary

Jody Becker-Green, Ph.D.

Deputy Secretary

Devon Schrum

Assistant Secretary for Reentry

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Background



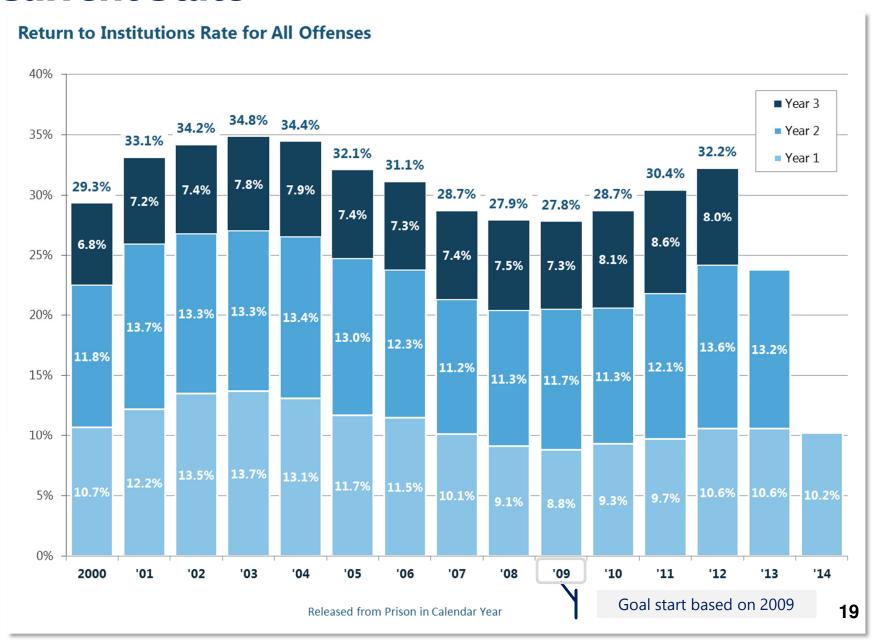
- Our goal is to reduce the number of individuals who return to institutions.
- Lower return rates contribute to increased public safety and reduced cost to the taxpayer for the state's criminal justice system.
- For releases in CY2012, 32.2% of individuals released were readmitted to a Washington State prison within three years.

The facts are that 96 percent of people incarcerated will release. Helping individuals prepare to reenter society is critical to their success.

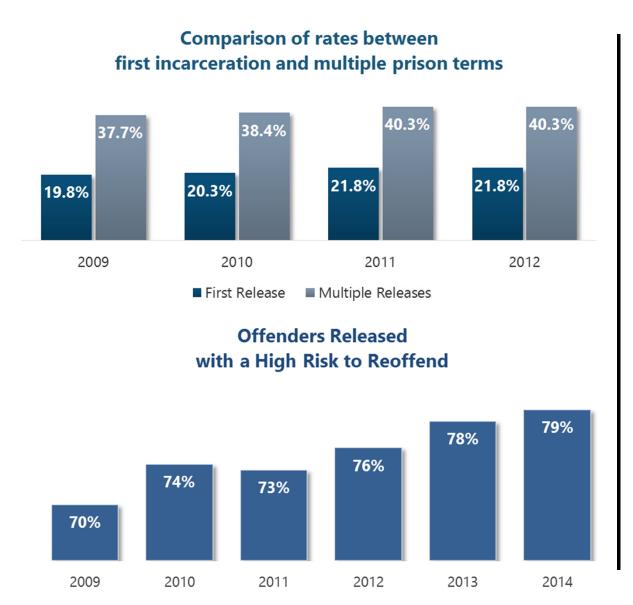
Every citizen values similar **basics** in life.

- Basic food, clothing, identification
- A Affordable and accessible healthcare
- S Safe and stable housing
- Independence; financial stability
- **C** Community
- Supportive, prosocial relationships

Current State

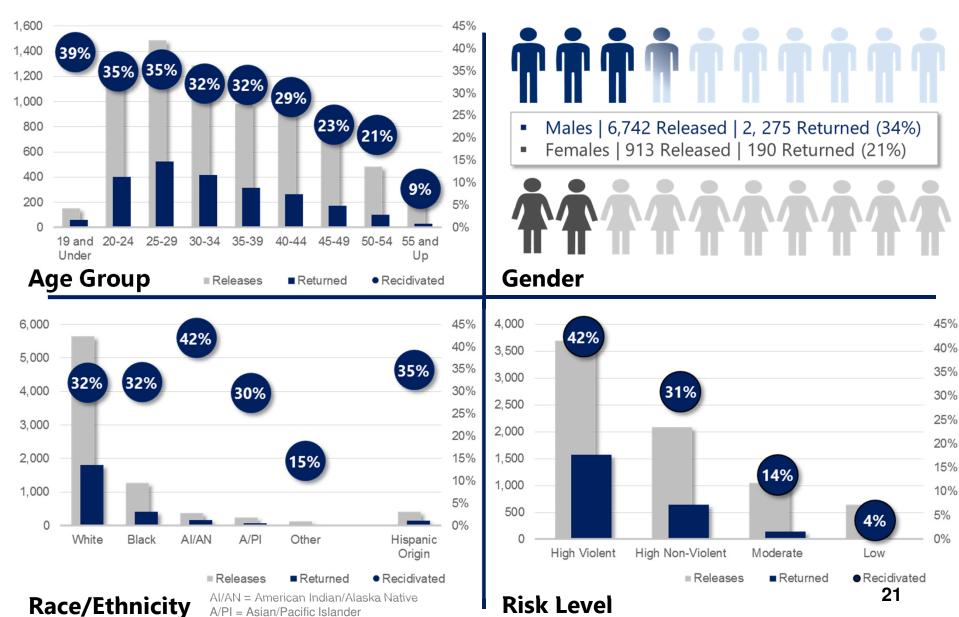


Current State: Other Trends

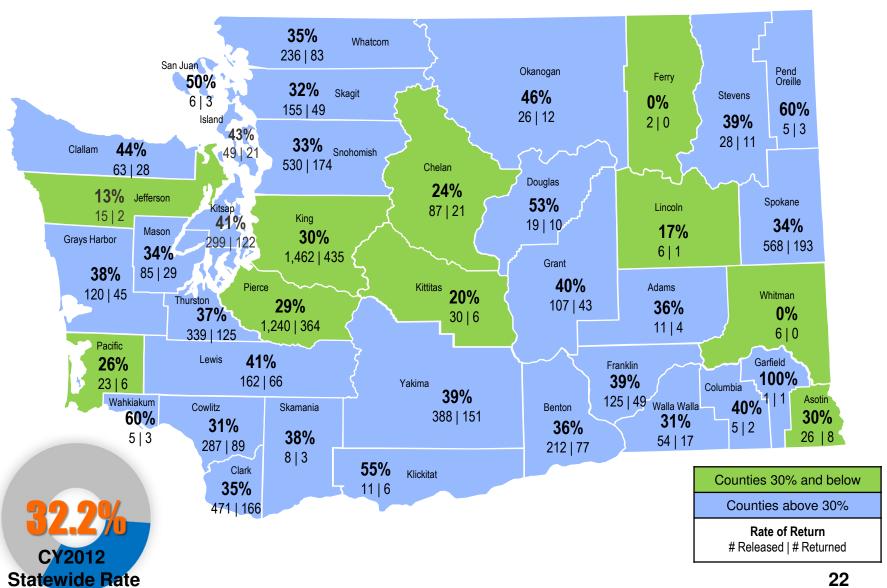


- Individuals releasing after their first incarceration recidivate at half the rate of those with multiple prison terms.
- The percent of individuals released who are assessed as high risk to reoffend continues to rise.

Current State: Demographics for CY2012 Releases



Current State: CY2012 Releases by County



Opportunity: Gap between now and our target.

There were roughly 7,850 releases in CY2015.

- At a 32% return rate (7,850 x 32%), 2,512
 will return in 3 years
- At a 25% return rate (7,850 x 25%), 1,962
 will return in 3 years
- If 550 fewer individuals return our goal of 25% will be achieved

Opportunity: Listening to clients and employees.









Partner Perspective:

Kim Bogucki,

Detective – Seattle Police Department and

Co-Founder – The IF Project







Personal Perspective:

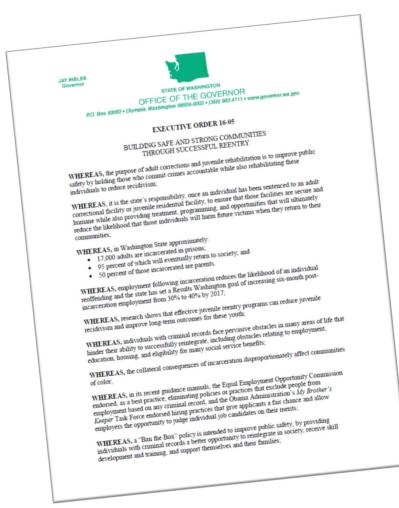
Jordan Rosario

The IF Project



Executive Order 16-05

Building Safe and Strong Communities Through Successful Reentry





"One of the most significant public safety investments we can make to improve the lives of individuals and the safety of our communities is to do more to prepare people leaving our criminal justice system for a successful re-entry to society."

Governor Inslee

Strategies and Actions

Coordinated Strategies	Agencies
 Identify and reduce barriers to state employment. 	Office of Financial Management
 Ensure all individuals leaving a state correctional facility have a state identification card. 	Department of Licensing
 Build a corporate outreach plan with Correctional Industries (CI) to identify workforce needs. Build commitment within the business community to review barriers for qualified applicants 	Department of Commerce
Allow all qualified individuals to be pre- screened for federal and state benefits before leaving a correctional facility.	Department of Social and Health Services

Strategies and Actions, cont.

Coordinated Strategies	Agencies
Facilitate access to statewide Work Source system.	Employment Security Department
 Create a statewide correctional post- secondary education and apprenticeship pathway. 	State Board of Community and Technical Colleges (SBCTC)
 Identify both apprenticeship and pre- apprenticeship training opportunities in correctional facilities. 	State Apprenticeship and Training Council in coordination with SBCTC and CI
Develop recommendations to introduce secure internet-based reentry tools.	State Cybersecurity Office
 Build a process that allows Medicaid benefits to suspend rather than terminate when individuals are incarcerated. 	Health Care Authority

Detailed Action Plan

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Executive Order 16-05, "Building Safe and Strong Communities Through Successful Reentry"	Devon Schrum	Various agencies and partners	Successful reentry, increased public safety, and reduced recidivism	On-going	On-going
Responsible Fatherhood Opportunities for Reentry and Mobility (ReFORM) Grant	Carolyn House- Higgins	Department of Social and Health Services	Implementation of ReFORM in Thurston, Lewis, Cowlitz and Clark counties	Implement- ation July 1, 2016	2020
Partner and implement King County Second Chance Grant	Susan Piccinini	King County, Community, Education, Healthcare Partners, and Legal Advocates	Improved case compliance and targeted service delivery based on need.	On-going	September 2016
Serve on the Statewide Reentry Council	Devon Schrum	Statewide Reentry Council	Collaboration and support for reentry issues.	On-going	On-going

Assistance Needed

- Continued support and collaboration to realize the intent of Executive Order 16-05, "Building Safe and Strong Communities Through Successful Reentry"
- Endorse reinvestment strategies to support successful reentry and lower recidivism.



"It just makes sense to support people as they transition from prison back into the community. We all win when we lower recidivism, increase public safety, and restore hope for formerly incarcerated people to become community assets."

King County Prosecuting Attorney
Dan Satterberg





Lead Agency	Measure	Improvement	



Coming Next

Date	Time	Event
June 29, 2016	10:00-11:30	Goal 1: Education Governor's Results Review Children entering kindergarten who demonstrate they are ready
July 18, 1016	10:30 – noon	Supported People 3.2.a: Long-term service and support clients served in home and community-based settings – DSHS 1.3.a: Annual state-purchased health care cost growth (PEBB & MCD) - HCA





Thank you

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