

KENTUCKY DEPARTMENT OF CORRECTIONS 2019

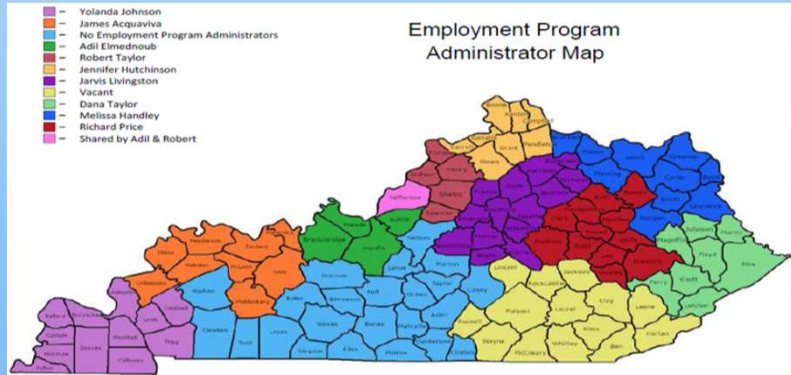


DIVISION OF REENTRY SERVICES

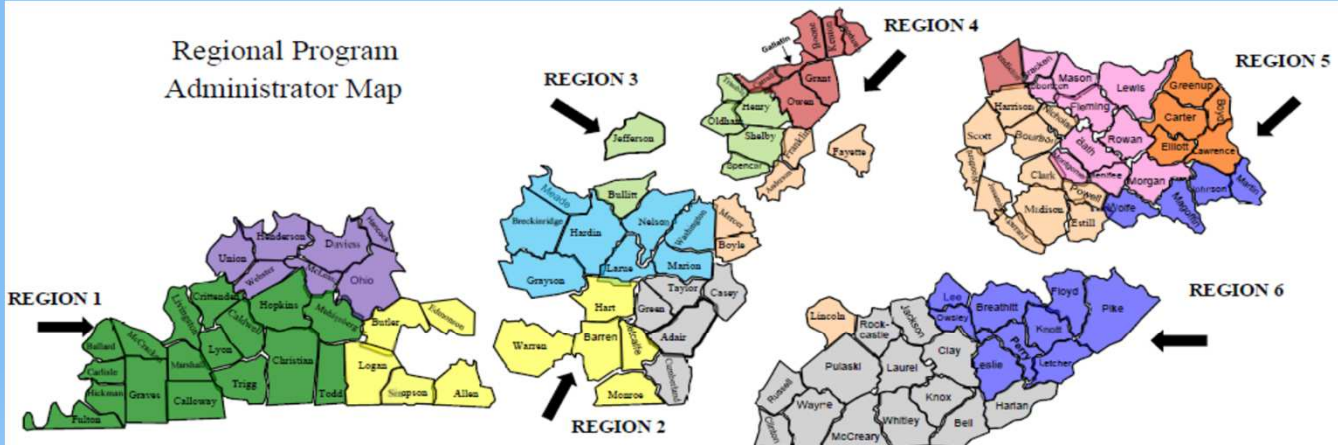
**Reentry Division
Statewide Total 57 staff**

Central Office Staff	6
Regional Program Administrators	6
Employment Program Administrators	10
Community Reentry Coordinators	21
Institution Reentry Coordinators	14

The Division of Reentry Services was established February 1, 2018 with the mission to improve involvement within the criminal justice system by creating individualized reentry plans, empowering individuals with resources, support and programming, to promote successful reintegration into the community.



Regional Program Administrator Map



REGION 1 ANDRIA BARKETT 270-559-5871	REGION 2 MATT AARON 502-229-9638	REGION 3 MARTY JOHNSON 502-424-1748	REGION 4 KATIE GREEN 502-226-8327	REGION 5 MICHELLE CHISM 859-358-8031	REGION 6 PAMELA BENTLEY 606-260-9216
KSP - Ben Mitchell WKCC - Frida Wallace DST. 1 - Ashley Lee DST. 2 - Yvonne Bostick DST. 13 - Tiffany Buckner	GRCC - Melissa Smith NTC - Christiana Toelke DST. 3 - Hannah Keffler DST. 5 - Bob Maye DST. 6 - Samantha Shepard	LLCC - Glen Hahn KCIW - Deena Grimm DST. 16 - Eva Ekes DST. 17 - VACANT DST. 18 - Sam Anderson DST. 19 - Jessie Sides DST. 4/21 - Amy Gilley	KSR - John Hall & Vanessa Brewer RCC - Julie Barnes & Marsha Recupero BCC - Melvin Jones DST. 7 - VACANT DST. 9 - Jacob Smith DST. 12 - Paula Ames	EKCC - Shelves Rowe LSCC - Robert Turner DST. 8 - VACANT DST. 14 - Shannon West DST. 15 - Josh Long	BCFC - Theisha Smith DST. 10 - Michelle Hensley DST. 11 - Soany "Clay" Jones DST. 20 - Michelle Alley LAC - Kristin Hale
WESTERN KY REENTRY COUNCIL GREEN RIVER REENTRY COUNCIL	SOUTHERN KY REENTRY COUNCIL CENTRAL KY REENTRY COUNCIL	GREATER LOUISVILLE REENTRY COUNCIL	NORTHERN KY REENTRY COUNCIL BLUEGRASS REENTRY COUNCIL	NORTHEAST KY REENTRY COUNCIL FIVCO REENTRY COUNCIL	EASTERN KY REENTRY COUNCIL SOUTHEAST KY REENTRY COUNCIL

DIVISION OF REENTRY SERVICES GUIDING GOALS

Improve and expand community partnerships.

- Second Chance Employers, Faith Based Services, Community Resources

Support department's reentry mission.

- Staff Training, KOMS Reports, Public Education

Lead department in risk and needs assessment and reentry programs.

- Program Training & Expansion

Ensure quality assurance and effectiveness of risk and needs assessment and reentry programs.

- Programmatic Research and Evaluations

Collaborate with all divisions to provide support and ensure effective reentry services are provided.

- Halfway Houses, Jails, Reentry Centers, Communities, Institutions

2019 Event Numbers

Numbers as of 7/31/19

28 Expungement Sessions

18 Reentry Simulations

13 Job/Resource Fairs

31 Program Trainings

60 Mentor Applications

88 Risk and Needs Quality Assurance Evaluations

31 Program Quality Assurance Evaluations

1,241 Employment Assessments

2,492 GED Referrals

Programming

Moral Reconciliation Therapy: A cognitive behavioral treatment program, which targets criminal thinking and behavior.

Portal New Directions: Provides information necessary for everyday living and overcoming barriers to successful reintegration.

Soft Skills Boot Camp: Teaches positive communication skills that can be used in the workplace and other areas of life.

42% of individuals who meet with the Employment Program Administrator obtain gainful employment.

5/1/19-7/31/19

Division Events

Expungement Sessions: These sessions help citizens determine their eligibility for expunging criminal charges from their records.

Reentry Simulations: Simulations hosted as a training tool for staff and community members. Participants are given a scenario mirroring the experience of a justice-involved individual who has just been released from incarceration and have to work through common barriers.

Resource Expos: Hosted in both the community and in the institutions. They feature resource providers including employers, treatment facilities, justice involved ministries, transitional housing, etc.