

Osborne Association

175 Remsen Street, 8th Floor
Brooklyn, NY 11201
718.637.6560
www.osborneny.org

The Safe Landing Program provides assistance to help ex-offenders with mental health problems get jobs. Job development assessment screening for ex-offenders and referrals for medical services and housing. The Family Resource Center benefits families of those who are incarcerated and offers them support groups. Provides programs for children of ex-offenders to help them with homework. Provides assistance to ex-offenders who committed violent crimes as well as other ex-offenders.

Project Return

10 Astor Place, 7th Floor
New York, NY 10003
212.979.8800

Helps parolees with employment readiness, job placement, individual and family counseling, as well as recreational and community service activities.

Reality House, Inc.

637 West 125th Street
New York, NY 10027
212.666.8000

Comprehensive substance abuse program, includes social services, medical assessments, and GED and vocational guidance for ex-inmates with a history of drug abuse.

Salvation Army Men's Adult Rehabilitation Center

62 Hanson Place
Brooklyn, NY 11217
718.622.7166

Information on substance abuse rehabilitation and rehabilitation center for men who are ex-offenders.

The S.T.A.R. Project

Steps to a Renewed Reality
Peer Advocacy Center
2090 Adam Clayton Powell Boulevard, 12th Floor
New York, NY 10027
212.865.0775

Provides services to mentally ill ex-offenders, such as employment counseling, job coaching, peer advocacy training, job development and writing classes. Call or walk in Monday-Friday, 9 AM-5 PM. Accessible to people with disabilities.

Stepping Stones to Success

1968 Second Avenue
New York, NY 10029
212.410.4200

Offers employment readiness programs for mothers who are ex-offenders.

Wildcat Service Corporation

17 Battery Place
New York, NY 10004
212.209.6158

Provides referrals to ex-offenders for educational and vocational pursuits.

Women's Prison Association

Department and Programs
175 Remsen Street
Brooklyn, New York 10201
718.637.6800

Provides services to female ex-offenders, such as assistance in finding jobs, job readiness programs (including resume writing and interviewing skills) and help in filling out applications for affordable housing.



www.brooklynpubliclibrary.org

SERVICES FOR EX-OFFENDERS



EDUCATION & JOB
INFORMATION CENTER

Free Services and Programs for Ex-Offenders

Brooklyn Public Library
Education & Job Information Center
Grand Army Plaza
Brooklyn, NY 11238
718.230.2177

www.brooklynpubliclibrary.org

Free Services and Programs for Ex-Offenders

Binding Together, Inc.

200 Hudson Street
New York, NY 10003
212.234.9400

www.bindingtogether.org

Offers job training and placement in printing industry, financial incentives and counseling. 100 percent job placement rate with lifetime access. Targets ex-offenders, people who are HIV positive and those recovering from substance abuse.

Center for Employment Opportunities

32 Broadway
New York, NY 10004
212.422.4430

www.ceoworks.org

Provides job readiness and placement services to men and women returning from prison to NYC. The Neighborhood Work Project offers immediate, paid, short-term employment and prepares participants with needed skills to reenter workforce.

The College Initiative

Prisoner Research Institute
John Jay College of Criminal Justice
555 West 57th Street, 6th Floor
New York, NY 10019
212.484.1327

Assists former prisoners in beginning or continuing their education at CUNY, SUNY and private colleges. Serves all formerly incarcerated men and women in NYC. Call Monday-Friday, 9 AM -5 PM, for appointment to attend orientation.

Connections 2005-2006

New York Public Library

www.nypl.org/branch/services/connections/exoffender.html

This website provides a list of organizations that help ex-offenders make the adjustment to living in the

community. The organizations provide job assistance, counseling and other important services, and some are operated by ex-offenders.

The CUNY CATCH Program

Brooklyn Location
Medgar Evers College
718.270.6400

Designed to help incarcerated persons, ages 16-22, in the NYC jail system with their transition back to the community. Operates within detention and sentence facilities, and at college campuses. Offers career development services and job search skills once enrolled in college and referrals to substance abuse treatment.

Exodus Transitional Community

161 East 104th Street, 4th Floor
New York, NY 10029
917.492.0990

www.etcny.org

Offers workshops about attitudes, life skills, employment assessment and basic computer skills. Ex-offenders have mock interviews, develop resumes and are sent out on job interviews. Provides assistance to ex-offenders who committed violent crimes as well as other ex-offenders.

The Fortune Society

39 West 19th Street, 7th Floor
New York, NY 10011
212.206.7070

www.fortunesociety.org

Provides counseling, tutoring and job placement, and serves as a referral agency for drug/alcohol addiction programs and other social services. Offers HIV services and information about housing in shelters. Intake services available at the counseling department in Manhattan at 53 West 23rd Street on the 7th Floor,

Mondays, Tuesdays and Wednesdays. Individuals must show up at 8 AM. Provides assistance to ex-offenders who committed violent crimes as well as other ex-offenders.

The Fortune Society Healthy Decision Drop-In Center

41-27 29th Street
Queens Plaza North
Long Island City, NY 11101
718.937.6230

Assists newly freed inmates from Rikers Island and offers referrals and transportation to health care, career counseling, educational services and substance abuse treatment centers. Special assistance provided to people HIV positive. Spanish is also spoken. The center is accessible to people with disabilities.

Open: Monday-Friday, 9 AM-5 PM.

Legal Action Center

212.243.1313

Provides legal assistance to ex-offenders, ex-addicts and ex-alcoholics who feel discriminated against in employment. Offers referral services for employment. Ex-offenders must call for information since there is no walk-in service.

New York State Department of Labor

Parolee Vocational Rehabilitation Service

www.labor.state.ny.us/working_ny/finding_a_job/pvrs.html

The New York State Department of Labor and the State Division of Parole provide services to deal with special employment needs of NYC residents with a history of criminal conviction. Parolee must be referred by their parole officer.