

Transforming Lives, Strengthening Communities

Our goal is to empower our clients through tailored services and robust support systems, fostering a pathway toward a better future and successful reintegration into the community.

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DAY REPORTING CENTER

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Since 1968, Gateway Foundation has provided programs to meet the needs of justice-involved individuals to equip and prepare them for successful reintegration into society, increasing their opportunities for healthy, pro-social living and reducing the rate of recidivism.

Gateway Foundation's Florida Day Reporting Center

Gateway Foundation's Corrections Division, under a contract with the Florida Department of Corrections, now operates a Day Reporting Center (DRC) to provide adult felony offenders in the 10th Judicial Circuit with programming designed to support individuals currently under the supervision of the Florida Department of Corrections. The DRC program aims to reduce recidivism and promote successful reentry into the community.

Through on-site services and referrals to community service providers, DRC participants receive supervision and essential resources, like job training, substance abuse treatment, housing assistance, and mental health care, that help them overcome common reintegration barriers.

Support that Works

Research shows high-quality DRC programs are both cost-effective and impactful; they reduce recidivism, particularly for participants who are diverted from incarceration, and provide a measurable cost-saving benefit to the criminal justice system. In 2019, research from Wong and colleagues showed **DRC participants experienced a statistically significant reduction in convictions**, compared with non-DRC participants.

To promote positive outcomes for participants, we prioritize regular case management and ongoing assessment of each DRC client's progress. We hold multi-disciplinary staff meetings with probation officers, and provide monthly reports, case plan updates, and aftercare planning to ensure ongoing support post-discharge from the program.



Our Services

Participants of Gateway Foundation's Florida Day Reporting Center participate in a wide variety of support services, including:

Evidence-Based Risk and Needs Assessment

- All clients receive an assessment, which informs a customized case management plan to address individual needs.

Comprehensive Screening Tools

- Utilizing CINAS (Corrections Integrated Needs Assessment System), Texas Christian University Battery, Medical History, and Arizona Self-Sufficiency Matrix.

Life Skills Development

- TCU Brief Interventions and Mapping-Enhanced Counseling to improve essential life skills.

Cognitive Behavioral Programs

- "Thinking for a Change" curriculum to meet cognitive, social, and emotional needs.

Education Support

- Assistance with Adult and Basic Education, with referrals for TABE testing.

Employment Skills and Job Readiness

- Pre-employment and job development services with CareerScope Assessment and Seeking Employment curriculum. Resource library, job referrals, and community partner connections for job placement.

Personal Finance and Budgeting

- Money Smart Assessment and curriculum for financial literacy.

Life Skills Education

- Living in Balance curriculum, AZ Self-Sufficiency Matrix, and TCU Brief Interventions.

Anger Management

- SAMHSA's Anger Management curriculum for individuals with substance use and mental health needs.

Batterer's Intervention Program (BIP)

- A curriculum-based approach pending Department approval.

Wellness Programs

- Structured programming focused on overall health and wellness.

Family Reunification Support

- Using CINAS, TCU assessments, and Living in Balance/Partners in Parenting curriculums to enhance family dynamics.

Support Services

- Self-help resources, community support lists, and referrals to meet diverse client needs.

Seeking Safety Program

- Gender-responsive PTSD and substance use intervention based on evidence-based practices.

Substance Use Treatment

- On-site outpatient assessments using the CJ-ASI (Criminal Justice Addiction Severity Index) for biopsychosocial evaluation.
 - » On-site drug testing
 - » Substance use disorder assessments and Living in Balance curriculum for recovery support.