



CIC BULLETIN

NEWS FROM DC CORRECTIONS INFORMATION COUNCIL

Message from the Executive Director



This month, the CIC has been hard at work implementing our new streamlined reporting format, preparing for upcoming inspections, and discussing our goals for the rest of FY22. At the end of April, the CIC held our quarterly open meeting where we announced our new reporting format, discussed findings from our inspections, and announced our recently awarded budget increase. This increase will be allocated towards adding more members to the CIC team and increasing CIC resources. The CIC thanks all who attended the meeting, as well as our constituents.

During March and April, the CIC visited the Correctional Treatment Facility, Central Detention Facility, and Central Cell Block. During the inspections, the CIC team and our accompanying Language Access subject matter experts from the Office of Human Rights were able to discuss conditions of confinement with residents and staff. The findings from each inspection have been posted to the CIC website and can be read [HERE](#).

For the month of June, the CIC has an inspection planned for FCI Fort Dix to report on conditions for D.C. residents. A report with the details of the inspection will be released in the coming months. Lastly, the CIC is actively developing a community engagement project for 2022. This project will focus on the implications of and firsthand experiences with IRAA and Second Look. We are looking forward to sharing these stories with the community and continuing to inform the public about returning citizens, D.C. residents, and conditions of confinement.

Donald Isaac, Sr.

STATISTICS ON D.C. RESIDENTS IN CUSTODY

Census as of May 18, 2022

D.C. adults in BOP Custody:

Regardless of Residency

2,615

*Decrease since April 2022 (2,626 Adults in Custody)



D.C. adults in DOC Custody:

1,390

*Increase since April 2022 (1,327 Adults in Custody)

BOP & COVID-19 as of May 18, 2022 (source: bop.gov/coronavirus)

Bureau of Prisons Personnel

- Total Number of Personnel Who Have Tested Positive: **236**
 - Total Number of Personnel Who Have Recovered: **12,635**
- Total Number of Lives Lost Among Personnel: **7**

Total Number of Coronavirus Vaccine Doses Administered

317,628

Bureau of Prisons Residents in Custody (Includes all residents as well as DC Residents)

- Total Number of Residents Who Have Tested Positive: **86**
 - Total Number of Residents Who Have Recovered: **51,730**
- Total Numbers of Lives Lost Among Residents: **295** (11 occurred while on home confinement)

DOC & COVID-19 as of February 28, 2022 (source: coronavirus.dc.gov)

Department of Corrections Residents in Custody

- Total Number of Residents Who Have Tested Positive: **771**
 - Total Number of Residents Not in General Population Due to Positive Tests/Quarantine: **57**
- Total Number of Lives Lost Among Residents: **1**

Department of Corrections Personnel

- Total Number of Personnel Who Have Tested Positive: **639**
 - Total Number of Personnel Out Due to Positive Tests or Exposure: **8**
- Total Number of Lives Lost Among Personnel: **3**



Are you a DC resident who has been recently incarcerated?

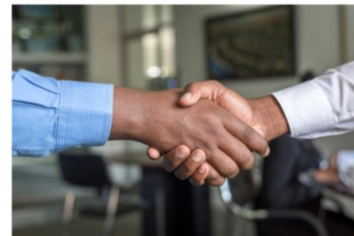
We are looking for District of Columbia residents to take part in **one-on-one phone interviews** about their experiences as a returning citizen. Phone interviews will last approximately **45 minutes** and will take place between March and September 2022.

Participants will receive **\$35** compensation for their time.

Are you eligible?

- ✓ 18+ years old
- ✓ Fluent in English
- ✓ DC resident
- ✓ Within the last 6 months, released from incarceration at Central Detention Facility (DC Jail) -OR- Correctional Treatment Facility -OR- Federal Bureau of Prison (FBOP) facility

To find out more
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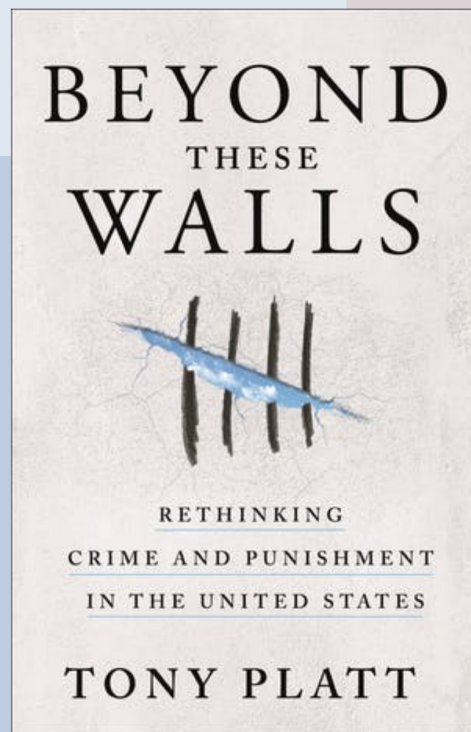


The Keisler Social & Behavioral Research, a research firm that has been contracted to conduct a study of the reentry in Washington D.C., is conducting a study involving individuals who have been released from incarceration within the past six months, to understand their experiences and perspectives. Check out their website [HERE](#).



*** All READY Center services are currently available; however, walk-in service is temporarily suspended due to COVID-19. Participants seeking READY Center services should contact the READY Center's main number at (202) 790-6790 to be connected to available services.

What We're Reading



Beyond These Walls by Tony Platt

Beyond These Walls is an ambitious and far-ranging exploration that tracks the legacy of crime and imprisonment in the United States, from the historical roots of the American criminal justice system to our modern state of over-incarceration, and offers a bold vision for a new future. Author Tony Platt, a recognized authority in the field of criminal justice, challenges the way we think about how and why millions of people are tracked, arrested, incarcerated, catalogued, and regulated in the United States.



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