

*Connecticut Department of Correction*  
**OFFENDER PROGRAMS & VICTIM SERVICES UNIT**  
*Alphabetic Listing of Programs for NORTHERN CI, All Auspices, All Types*

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## **211 Info Line**

*Description:*

This is an information line to help callers find information, discover options, and provide assistance with such issues as food, housing, clothing, transportation, substance abuse, domestic violence, childcare or nearly every other need they may have. The 211 database is provided on the department's e-mail system. In addition, 211 CD ROMs were provided to staff who do not have e-mail and who work with offenders who are close to discharge.

*Facilities:*

*BERGIN CI, BRIDGEPORT CC, BROOKLYN CI, CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NEW HAVEN CC, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI, YORK CI*

*Auspices:*

*All Facility Staff*

*Types:*

*Re-Entry*

*Program Status:*

*Active Program Category Level:3*

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## **Administrative Segregation - A Better Way**

*Description:*

This discussion based video series looks at life changing behaviors. The ideas addressed include responsibility, decision making, changes, overcoming fear, and dealing with discouragement. In addition, a look at what behaviors can lead into and out of the incarceration cycle is delved into.

*Facilities:*

*NORTHERN CI*

*Auspices:*

*All Facility Staff*

*Types:*

*Administrative Segregation, Self Improvement*

*Program Status:*

*Active Program Category Level:1*

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**Administrative Segregation: Bridge Group**

*Description:*

This class is a component of the Administrative Segregation program. It is designed to (1) review all the concepts taught in the previous classes; (2) afford an opportunity for senior management in the facility to interact with inmates and evaluate program progress; (3) help inmates think about and plan the next step in the three-phase A.S. program.

*Facilities:*

*NORTHERN CI*

*Auspices:*

*All Facility Staff*

*Types:*

*Administrative Segregation*

*Program Status:*

*Active Program Category Level:1*

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**Administrative Segregation: Controlling your Anger**

*Description:*

This is the second in a series of groups used in the Administrative Segregation (A.S.) Program. An essential capacity these inmates need to develop is to be able to deal with angry feelings without resorting to violence. This class is designed to help change thinking and attitudes which promote violence and to develop skills to deal with anger without violence.

*Facilities:*

*NORTHERN CI*

*Auspices:*

*All Facility Staff*

*Types:*

*Administrative Segregation, Anger Management*

*Program Status:*

*Active Program Category Level:1*

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**Administrative Segregation: How to Deal With Your Problems and How to Do Your Bid**

*Description:*

This is a group designed for inmates on Administrative Segregation status. One of the problems which many inmates have in general, and A.S. inmates have in particular, is that they lack the skills necessary for problem solving. The first part of this class is designed to help inmates learn that not all problems can be solved and to assist them in approaching problems so as to (1) respond in the best way to the presented problem and (2) not to make the situation worse. In the second part of the class the inmates review a videotape that shows inmates who have completed a restrictive housing program. In that video the inmates discuss what they believe is necessary in order to "do your bid." The video serves as a stimulus for inmates to discuss how it is possible to live in a prison environment without getting into trouble.

*Facilities:*

*NORTHERN CI*

*Auspices:*

*All Facility Staff*

*Types:*

*Administrative Segregation*

*Program Status:*

*Active Program Category Level:1*

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**Administrative Segregation: Orientation and Communication**

*Description:*

This is one in a series of classes offered to inmates in the Administrative Segregation Phase Program. Research into causes of violence among inmates reveals that frequently there is a breakdown in communication or poor communication skills. This group is designed to assist inmates in improving communication skills.

*Facilities:*

*NORTHERN CI*

*Auspices:*

*All Facility Staff*

*Types:*

*Administrative Segregation*

*Program Status:*

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**Administrative Segregation: Relapse Prevention**

*Description:*

This is one of the classes in the Administrative Segregation (A.S.) program. Inmates are placed on A.S. status due to serious behavioral problems such as assaulting staff or other inmates. As the inmates' behavior improves in the program, they enter this class, Relapse Prevention. This class is designed to help inmates understand and avoid relapse.

*Facilities:*

*NORTHERN CI*

*Auspices:*

*All Facility Staff*

*Types:*

*Administrative Segregation*

*Program Status:*

*Active Program Category Level:1*

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**Catholic Worship Service**

*Description:*

The weekly Catholic service is the Mass (or a communion service when Mass cannot be held due to the unavailability of a priest). Fulfills constitutional right to worship.

*Facilities:*

*BERGIN CI, BRIDGEPORT CC, BROOKLYN CI, CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NEW HAVEN CC, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI, YORK CI*

*Auspices:*

*Religious Services , Volunteer Services*

*Types:*

*Worship Services*

*Program Status:*

*Active Program Category Level:3*

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**Chronic Disciplinary Unit: Controlling Your Anger**

*Description:*

This is the second in a series of groups used in the Chronic Discipline Unit (CDU) Program. An essential capacity these inmates need to develop is to be able to deal with angry feelings without resorting to violence. This class is designed to help change thinking and attitudes which promote violence and to develop skills to deal with anger without violence.

*Facilities:*

MANSON YI, NORTHERN CI

*Auspices:*

All Facility Staff

*Types:*

Anger Management, CDU, Youth CDU

*Program Status:*

Active Program Category Level:1

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**Chronic Disciplinary Unit: How to Deal with Your Problems and How to Do Your Bid**

*Description:*

This is a group designed for inmates in the DOC's Chronic Disciplinary Unit. One of the problems that many inmates have in general, and restrictive housing inmates have in particular, is that they lack the skills necessary for problem solving. The first part of this class is designed to help inmates learn that not all problems can be solved and to assist them in approaching problems so as to (1) respond in the best way to the presented problem and (2) not to make the situation worse. In the second part of the class the inmates review a videotape which shows inmates who have completed a restrictive housing program. In that video the inmates discuss what they believe is necessary in order to "do your bid." The video serves as a stimulus for inmates to discuss how it is possible to live in a prison environment without getting into trouble.

*Facilities:*

MANSON YI, NORTHERN CI

*Auspices:*

All Facility Staff

*Types:*

CDU, Youth CDU

*Program Status:*

Active Program Category Level:1

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**Chronic Disciplinary Unit: Relapse Prevention**

*Description:*

This is one of several groups in the Chronic Discipline Program. In order to reach this class in the program the inmate has had to be behaving himself and interacting appropriately with other inmates and staff. This group is designed to help inmates examine the issues that might result in a relapse of the problematic behavior which resulted in their placement in Chronic Discipline, a very restrictive special housing program.

*Facilities:*

*NORTHERN CI*

*Auspices:*

*All Facility Staff*

*Types:*

*CDU*

*Program Status:*

*Active Program Category Level:1*

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**Chronic Disciplinary Unit: Orientation and Communication**

*Description:*

This class is the first offered to inmates in the Chronic Disciplinary Unit. Research into causes of violence among inmates reveals that frequently there is a breakdown in communication or poor communication skills. This group is designed to assist inmates in improving communication skills.

*Facilities:*

*NORTHERN CI*

*Auspices:*

*All Facility Staff*

*Types:*

*CDU*

*Program Status:*

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### **Gambling - The Better Choice Program**

*Description:*

Information regarding the Better Choices Gambling Program and a 4-Question Survey is available at every facility. The information explains what is available in the community regarding Better Choices and staff are encouraged to use it to assist offenders who may have a gambling problem. This program is funded by DMHAS.

*Facilities:*

*BRIDGEPORT CC, BROOKLYN CI, CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NEW HAVEN CC, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, YORK CI*

*Auspices:*

*All Facility Staff, Volunteer Services*

*Types:*

*Addiction, Health Education, Mental Health*

*Program Status:*

*Active Program Category Level:3*

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### **Getting Settled/Getting Going**

*Description:*

This is an in cell class that requires the offender to begin thinking about the choices they have made and how they can begin to make different choices to their situation.

*Facilities:*

*MANSON YI, NORTHERN CI*

*Auspices:*

*All Facility Staff*

*Types:*

*Administrative Segregation, SRG , Youth CDU, Youth SRG*

*Program Status:*

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**Handling a Crisis**

*Description:*

This is the second in the series of in cell classes occurs after the program Getting Settled & Getting Going. This program offers the offender techniques that can be used when dealing with stressful situations. <br>

*Facilities:*

*NORTHERN CI*

*Auspices:*

*All Facility Staff*

*Types:*

*Administrative Segregation*

*Program Status:*

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## **High School Diploma Programs**

*Description:*

The USD #1 offers opportunities for earning a high school diploma through either USD # 1's Adult Education Program or in some cases in collaboration with USD #1 and the local town/city. To receive a diploma from the local city/town, the former school district must be willing to cooperate with USD #1. USD #1 Adult Education opportunities include the following:

1. The General Education Development (GED) exam provides qualified offenders the opportunity to participate in the examination process in order to receive a Connecticut State High School Diploma.
2. The High School Equivalency Program provides qualified offenders the opportunity to earn the 20 credit hours (120 hours per credit) required to receive a Connecticut High School Diploma.
3. Credit Diploma Program (CDP) provides qualified offenders the opportunity to earn the 20 credit hours (50 hours per credit) required to receive a USD #1 Adult Education High School Diploma.
4. The External Diploma Program (EDP) provides qualified offenders the opportunity to complete a competency portfolio in order to receive a USD #1 Adult Education High School Diploma.

Not all programs are available at all sites, and USD #1 staff review these options with prospective students to assist in the decision regarding which high school diploma program best meets his/her needs.

*Facilities:*

*BERGIN CI, BRIDGEPORT CC, BROOKLYN CI, CENTRAL OFFICE , CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NEW HAVEN CC, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, PAROLE & COMMUNITY SERVICES, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI, YORK CI*

*Auspices:*

*USD#1*

*Types:*

*Academic Education*

*Program Status:*

*Active Program Category Level:1*

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**HIV Counseling, Testing & Risk Reduction Education**

*Description:*

When inmates are tested for HIV, the department provides standardized counseling by Department of Public Health certified counselors before and after testing. Counseling components include what HIV and AIDS are, how to get it, how to avoid getting it, what it means to be HIV positive, how to take care of oneself if one is HIV positive, and help in dealing with the associated feelings.

*Facilities:*

*BERGIN CI, BRIDGEPORT CC, BROOKLYN CI, CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NEW HAVEN CC, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI, YORK CI*

*Auspices:*

*Health Services*

*Types:*

*Health Education, Medical*

*Program Status:*

*Active Program Category Level:3*

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**HIV Support Services**

*Description:*

The Department demonstrates a collaborative approach in providing HIV support services to inmates in all facilities. A UCONN (Contracted) Health Services Team coordinates testing and counseling services; the Department's School District conducts classroom instruction about HIV; the Department's Addiction Services Unit Counselors provide HIV education and prevention counseling; a number of volunteers serve as "buddies" or sponsors; and Hartford's Community Partners in Action (CPA) receives funding from foundations, grants as well as support from the state's Department of Mental Health and Addiction Services to operate the "Beyond Fear" Program. Altogether the Department hosts a complete program that includes counseling, testing, education focus groups, videos, intervention strategies and is able to assist discharging inmates with need for such services as housing, medical treatment, food, clothing and transportation.

*Facilities:*

*BERGIN CI, BRIDGEPORT CC, BROOKLYN CI, CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NEW HAVEN CC, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI, YORK CI*

*Auspices:*

*Health Services*

*Types:*

*Health Education, Medical, Mental Health*

*Program Status:*

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### **Interactive Skill Building**

*Description:*

This program is designed to challenge an offender to think and respond with purpose. The program incorporates interactive activities that combine physical challenges with problem solving group techniques.

*Facilities:*

*NORTHERN CI*

*Auspices:*

*All Facility Staff*

*Types:*

*Administrative Segregation, SRG*

*Program Status:*

*Active Program Category Level:2*

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### **Interpersonal Effectiveness**

*Description:*

This is the third in the series of in cell classes occurs after the program - Handling a Crisis. This program combines the techniques used in Getting Settled Getting Going and Handling a Crisis to help improve three skills, 1) How to deal with people, 2) problems and 3) different environments.

*Facilities:*

*NORTHERN CI*

*Auspices:*

*All Facility Staff*

*Types:*

*Administrative Segregation*

*Program Status:*

*Active Program Category Level:1*

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### **Jehovah's Witness Collective Service**

*Description:*

This is the weekly Jehovah's Witness worship service.

*Facilities:*

*BERGIN CI, BROOKLYN CI, CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, MACDOUGALL CI, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WILLARD CI, YORK CI*

*Auspices:*

*Religious Services , Volunteer Services*

*Types:*

*Religious*

*Program Status:*

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### **Jewish Holy Day Observances**

*Description:*

The holy days of Rosh Hashanah, Sukkot, Hanukkah, Purim, Passover and Shavuot are observed with worship services and feasts.

*Facilities:*

*CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, WALKER BUILDING, YORK CI*

*Auspices:*

*Religious Services*

*Types:*

*Religious*

*Program Status:*

*Active Program Category Level:3*

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### **Jumah**

*Description:*

Weekly collective Islamic worship service held on Friday between afternoon and late afternoon.

*Facilities:*

*BERGIN CI, BRIDGEPORT CC, BROOKLYN CI, CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NEW HAVEN CC, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI*

*Auspices:*

*Religious Services*

*Types:*

*Worship Services*

*Program Status:*

*Active Program Category Level:3*

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### **Prayer Class - Islamic Faith**

*Description:*

This is a seminar that teaches inmates how to make prayers according to the Prophet Muhammad (peace be upon him).

*Facilities:*

*BRIDGEPORT CC, BROOKLYN CI, CORRIGAN CI, GARNER CI, MACDOUGALL CI, NEW HAVEN CC, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, WALKER BUILDING, YORK CI*

*Auspices:*

*Religious Services*

*Types:*

*Religious*

*Program Status:*

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### **Protestant Bible Study**

*Description:*

Biblical readings are reviewed with inmates. The goal of this program is to help inmates develop self-awareness and personal growth based on Christian principles.

*Facilities:*

*BERGIN CI, BRIDGEPORT CC, BROOKLYN CI, CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NEW HAVEN CC, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI, YORK CI*

*Auspices:*

*Religious Services , Volunteer Services*

*Types:*

*Religious*

*Program Status:*

*Active Program Category Level:3*

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### **Protestant Service**

*Description:*

This is the weekly Protestant worship service.

*Facilities:*

*BERGIN CI, BRIDGEPORT CC, BROOKLYN CI, CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NEW HAVEN CC, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI, YORK CI*

*Auspices:*

*Religious Services , Volunteer Services*

*Types:*

*Worship Services*

*Program Status:*

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## **Quranic Studies**

*Description:*

Qu'ran readings are reviewed with inmates. It is an informal group that is open to current issues pertaining to the Islamic faith and their application.

*Facilities:*

*BERGIN CI, BRIDGEPORT CC, BROOKLYN CI, CORRIGAN CI, GARNER CI, NEW HAVEN CC, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, YORK CI*

*Auspices:*

*Religious Services*

*Types:*

*Religious*

*Program Status:*

*Active Program Category Level:3*

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## **Ramadan, Eid-UI-Fitr, Eid-UI-Adha**

*Description:*

Religiously Required Observations (Annual)

*Facilities:*

*BERGIN CI, BRIDGEPORT CC, BROOKLYN CI, CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NEW HAVEN CC, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI, YORK CI*

*Auspices:*

*Religious Services*

*Types:*

*Religious*

*Program Status:*

*Active Program Category Level:3*

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## **Security Risk Group Safety Threat Members (SRGT) - Building the Ladder**

*Description:*

This class is a component of the Security Risk Group Threat and Affiliate programs. In this class inmates are encouraged to formulate and build a realistic and achievable plan for their future. This is achieved through exercises in responsibility and group communication.

*Facilities:*

*CORRIGAN CI, MANSON YI, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, YORK CI*

*Auspices:*

*All Facility Staff*

*Types:*

*SRG , SRG - Close Monitoring, Youth SRG*

*Program Status:*

*Active Program Category Level:1*

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**Security Risk Group Safety Threat Unit (SRGT) - Relapse Prevention**

*Description:*

This class is a component of the SRGT and SRG programs. It is designed to help inmates understand and avoid relapse. In order to reach this class in the program the inmate has had to be behaving himself and interacting appropriately with other inmates and staff. This group is designed to help inmates examine the issues that might result in a relapse of the problematic behavior which resulted in their placement in the SRGT program.

*Facilities:*

*CORRIGAN CI, MANSON YI, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, YORK CI*

*Auspices:*

*All Facility Staff*

*Types:*

*SRG , SRG - Close Monitoring, Youth SRG*

*Program Status:*

*Active Program Category Level:1*

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**Security Risk Group Safety Threat Unit (SRGT) - Bridge Group**

*Description:*

This class is one component of the SRGT and SRG programs. It is designed to (1) review all the concepts taught in the previous classes; (2) afford an opportunity for senior management in the facility to interact with inmates and evaluate program progress; (3) to help inmates think about and plan the next step in the three-phase SRGT program.

*Facilities:*

*CORRIGAN CI, MANSON YI, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, YORK CI*

*Auspices:*

*All Facility Staff*

*Types:*

*SRG , SRG - Close Monitoring, Youth SRG*

*Program Status:*

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**Security Risk Group Safety Threat Unit (SRGT) - Controlling your Anger**

*Description:*

This is one of the classes used in both the Security Risk Group Threat Program and the Security Risk Group Affiliate Program. An essential capacity these inmates need to develop is to be able to deal with angry feelings without resorting to violence. This class is designed to help change thinking and attitudes which promote violence and to develop skills to deal with anger without violence.

*Facilities:*

*CORRIGAN CI, MANSON YI, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, YORK CI*

*Auspices:*

*All Facility Staff*

*Types:*

*Anger Management, SRG , SRG - Close Monitoring, Youth SRG*

*Program Status:*

*Active Program Category Level:1*

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**Security Risk Group Safety Threat Unit (SRGT) - Orientation and Communication**

*Description:*

This is a component of the SRGT and SRG programs. Research into causes of violence among inmates reveals that frequently there is a breakdown in communication or poor communication skills. This group is designed to assist inmates in improving communication skills.

*Facilities:*

*CORRIGAN CI, MANSON YI, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, YORK CI*

*Auspices:*

*All Facility Staff*

*Types:*

*SRG , SRG - Close Monitoring, Youth SRG*

*Program Status:*

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**Security Risk Group Safety Threat Unit (SRGT)-How to Deal with Your Problems and How to Do Your**

*Description:*

This is a group designed for inmates in the SRGT and SRG programs. One of the problems which many inmates have in general and restrictive housing inmates have in particular, is that they lack the skills necessary for problem solving. The first part of this class is designed to help inmates learn that not all problems can be solved and to assist them in approaching problems so as to (1) respond in the best way to the presented problem and (2) not to make the situation worse. In the second part of the class the inmates review a videotape which shows inmates who have completed a restrictive housing program. In that video the inmates discuss what they believe is necessary in order to "do your bid." The video serves as a stimulus for inmates to discuss how it is possible to live in a prison environment without getting into trouble.

*Facilities:*

*CORRIGAN CI, MANSON YI, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, YORK CI*

*Auspices:*

*All Facility Staff*

*Types:*

*SRG , SRG - Close Monitoring, Youth SRG*

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**Special Education and Pupil Services**

*Description:*

The special education teachers, pupil services specialists (School Psychologists, School Counselors, School Social Workers), and the associated clerical and durational staff provide services to students with handicapping conditions which interfere with their ability to participate in school. These services are mandated by federal (Individuals with Disabilities Education Act Amendments of 1997) and state (Connecticut General Statutes 10-76) statute. Special education services encompass a broad array of activities including assessment, counseling, transition planning, and both the direct and indirect (e.g. consultation) services of the special education teachers and pupil services staff. Student programs are designed according to the individual needs of each student with disabilities and are specified in an Individualized Education Plan (IEP.) A social skills component is a part of the special education program.

*Facilities:*

*BERGIN CI, BRIDGEPORT CC, BROOKLYN CI, CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NEW HAVEN CC, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI, YORK CI*

*Auspices:*

*USD#1*

*Types:*

*Academic Education*

*Program Status:*

*Active Program Category Level:1*

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**Transitional Linkage into the Community (TLC)**

*Description:*

Transitional Linkage into the Community (TLC) is a program of Community Partners in Action which provides discharge planning for inmates with HIV/AIDS. TLC serves every prison and jail in the state, and works with clients returning to every region of the state. TLC case managers meet clients' emergency needs upon release, and connect them with services in their local communities for continuing care and assistance.

*Facilities:*

*BRIDGEPORT CC, BROOKLYN CI, CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, NEW HAVEN CC, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, YORK CI*

*Auspices:*

*Health Services*

*Types:*

*Health Education, Re-Entry*

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## **Victim-Offender Dialogue**

*Description:*

For a variety of reasons, it is sometimes helpful for victims to meet with offenders. The department's Victim Services Unit evaluates and when appropriate facilitates this dialogue. The process is designed to achieve the objectives of restorative justice, healing the victim, and confronting and holding the offender accountable. Although this process can often be very helpful to the inmate, all such dialogues are initiated at the request of victims.

*Facilities:*

*BERGIN CI, BRIDGEPORT CC, BROOKLYN CI, CHESHIRE CI, CORRIGAN CI, CYBULSKI CI, ENFIELD CI, GARNER CI, HARTFORD CC, MACDOUGALL CI, MANSON YI, NORTHERN CI, OSBORN CI, RADGOWSKI CI, ROBINSON CI, WALKER BUILDING, WILLARD CI, YORK CI*

*Auspices:*

*Offender Programs & Victim Services*

*Types:*

*Domestic Violence, Victim*

*Program Status:*

*Active Program Category Level:3*

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