

## **Job Training/Placement Programs for Ex-Offenders**

### **Pennsylvania Prison Society**

245 N. Broad St., Suite 300  
Philadelphia, PA 19107 215-564-4775

<http://www.prisonsociety.org>

### **Re-Entry Services:**

- Re-Entry Services Project: Ex-offenders take part in life skills and job readiness workshops that include interviewing skills, resume writing, and job search strategies. (x121)
- Job preparation, including resume writing, job search skills, and interviewing techniques for people transitioning from welfare to work who have a criminal record.(x108)

### **Resources for Human Development**

4700 Wissahickon Avenue Suite 126, Philadelphia PA 19144 215-951-0300

**Services Provided:** RHD HR dept has a listing of all job openings and are exempt from OAPSA restrictions and thus able to employ ex-offenders.

### **Opportunities Industrialization Center**

1231 N. Broad Street, 2nd Floor, Philadelphia PA 19122, 215-236-7700 intake 215-236-8970 f

**OIC Futures Services Provided:** A state licensed social/vocational rehabilitation program that provides training in building maintenance, building services and clerical services to individuals who have mental health disorders and are receiving outpatient services in a local community health center.

### **IMPACT Services**

1952 E. Allegheny Avenue, Philadelphia PA 19134 215-739-1600  
[info@impactservices.org](mailto:info@impactservices.org)

### **Helping Offenders Work**

**Services Provided:** Participants must be referred through FIR to receive job placement assistance, job readiness training, life skills training, GED program and paid transitional work experience.

**Contact:** John Leftwich, 215-739-1600 ext. 126

### **ITWorks c/o Tech Impact**

Free, 16-week immersive IT training program for 18-25 year olds. Graduates are placed in full-time employment. Participants practice their new skills by performing 5-week internships.  
417 N. 8th Street Suite 203 Philadelphia, PA. 19123  
215-557-1559

### **Fathers At Work**

**Services Provided:** Targeting non-custodial fathers age 18-30 who were previously incarcerated. Provides job placement and training services and child support services.

**Contact:** Ray Jones 215-739-1600 x143

**Ready Willing and Able**

1211 Bainbridge Street, Philadelphia, PA 19147

<http://www.rwaphilly.org>

**Services Provided:** Residential job training program for homeless individuals most of whom have histories of incarceration and substance abuse. Physical and mental health services also provided. **Contact:** Jeffrey Stubbs, 215-732-3781

**JEVS Jewish Employment and Vocational Services**

8301 State Road, Philadelphia PA 19136

**Services Provided:** hands-on vocational training and assessment, resume building and interview preparation services during incarceration.

**Contact:** John Lieb, 215-685-7114

**E-mail:** [John.Lieb@prisons.phila.gov](mailto:John.Lieb@prisons.phila.gov)

**Northwest Human Services**

5429 Germantown Avenue Philadelphia PA 19141, 215-843-6200

**Services Provided:** in conjunction with the Office of Mental Health and the Office of Vocational Rehabilitation this center runs an industry-integrated program providing training with companies for a few hours per week with clients working more hours as they progress. Job placement counselors help them find and retain employment.

**Community Women's Education Project (CWEP)**

2801 Frankford Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19134, 215-426-2200

<http://www.cwep.org>

**Email:** [cwepmain@cwep.org](mailto:cwepmain@cwep.org)

**Services Provided:** CWEP provides secondary and post-secondary education, educational support systems, and connections to the workplace for low income women and their families in their community. CWEP also provides quality early learning education for infants and young children.

**People for People Inc.**

800 N. Broad Street Philadelphia, PA 19130, 215-235-2340

<http://www.peopleforpeople.org>

**Services Provided:** job training and retention services, job placement, support services, child care and after-school programming, resource and information center.

**Contact:** Ray Ellis

**Congreso de Latinos Unidos, Inc**

216 W. Somerset Street, Philadelphia PA 19133, 215-763-8870

<http://www.congreso.net>

**Services Provided:** Job placement, vocational counseling, job readiness orientation, and youth employment counseling, training and continuing education classes. One-stop shopping site for all needs, health, housing assistance, counseling, substance abuse and domestic violence counseling. All services offered in both Spanish and English. Services predominately North Philadelphia