REENTRY PACKET

Your Customized Guide to Support your Successful Transition



National Web-based Reentry Resource Center www.fairshake.net

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Citizenship - Community Involvement

PO Box 273 Buffalo NY 14212 (716) 834-8438 Karima Amin, Founder/Director Erie and Niagara Counties Monday-Friday, 9:00am-4:00pm. Residents of Erie and Niagara Counties. No Fees Community-based organization which provides

public education about criminal justice issues and issues of prison reform. Provides a forum for networking, community building, camaraderie and referrals for individuals and families facing the

challenges of re-entry. A monthly meeting is held at the Pratt Willert Community Center, usually on the 4th or 5th Monday of each month from 6:30pm-8:30pm. Each meeting has a different topic with a guest speaker and/or related documentary film. Call Karima for specific dates; there is no meeting held in December.

http://www.prp2.org

Employment - Job Training

716 842 6320 170 Franklin St, 7th Floor Buffalo, NY 14202 The Center for Employment Opportunities (CEO) gives formerly incarcerated individuals transitional jobs to meet their immediate needs and uses that experience and training to place them in permanent, unsubsidized jobs. http://ceoworks.org/

Employment - Temporary Staffing Agency 5326 Main Street

Suite 200 Williamsville, NY 14221-5330 716-634-3200 http://www.manpower.com

Food - Food Pantry

St. Aidan's Episcopal Church, 13021 Main Street, Alden NY 14004 (716) 937-6922

Food - Food Pantry

357 Ontario Street Buffalo NY 14207 (716) 875-1523

Food - Food Pantry

37 Chandler Street Buffalo NY 14207 (716) 836-0925

Food - Food Pantry

62 Republic Street Buffalo NY 14204 (716) 856-8613

Food - Food Pantry

350 Dewey Buffalo NÝ 14214 (716) 861-5022

Food - Food Pantry

103 Wohlers Ave

Clothing - Thrift Store

13298 Broadway Street Alden NY 14004 (716) 937-6441

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Food - Food Pantry

1345 Indian Church Road, West Seneca NY 14224 (716) 228-8422

Food - Food Pantry

1327 Fillmore Avenue, Buffalo NY 14211 (716) 895-0198

Food - Food Pantry

1225 Brighton Road Tonawanda NY 14150 (716) 832-4889

Food - Food Pantry

900 Genesee Street Buffalo NY 14211 (716) 892-7682

Food - Food Pantry

1184 Genesee Street Buffalo NY 14211 (716) 895-3642

Food - Food Pantry

134 William Street Buffalo NY 14204 (716) 852-2324

Food - Food Pantry

260 Eggert Road Buffalo NY 14215 (716) 893-8112

Food - Food Pantry

520 Seventh Street Buffalo NY 14201 (716) 886-8282 http://www.aszonline.org

Food - Food Pantry

263 Claremont Avenue Buffalo NY 14223 (716) 837-2544 http://www.ccwny.org

Food - Food Pantry

100 East Tupper Street, Buffalo NY 14203 (716) 854-8181 https://www.buffalocitymission.org/

Food - Food Pantry

70 Harvard Place Buffalo NY 14209 Buffalo NY 14208 (716) 885-5925

Food - Food Pantry

St Lukes Mission of Mercy 325 Walden Avenue Buffalo NY 14211 (716) 894-4476

Food - Food Pantry

920 Tifft Street, Buffalo NY 14220 (716) 332-1168 http://www.ccwny.org

Food - Food Pantry

86 Pine Street Buffalo NY 14204 (716) 847-8951 http://buffalourbanleague.org/

Food - Food Pantry

9675 Main Street Clarence Presbyterian Church, Clarence NY 14031 (716) 310-5447 http://www.clarpresby.com/serving-your-needs/clar ence-community-food-pantry

Food - Food Pantry

96 Jewett Parkway Buffalo NY 14214-2322 (716) 833-1151 http://www.episcopalgoodshepherd.org

Food - Food Pantry

60 Dingens Street Buffalo NY 14206 (716) 822-0919 http://www.familyhelpcenter.net

Food - Food Pantry

Friendship Missionary Baptist Church 402 Clinton Street Buffalo NY 14204 (716) 847-1020 http://www.friendshipmissionarybc.org

Food - Food Pantry

Harry Looman Memorial Building 960 East Main Street East Aurora NY 14052 (716) 652-7272 http://www.fishofea.org

Food - Food Pantry

Greater Works Christian Fellowship 210 Southampton Street Buffalo NY 14208 (716) 887-2303 http://worksourceone.com/

Health - Free/Sliding Scale Clinic

206 South Elmwood Avenue Buffalo NY 14201 (716) 847-2437 http://evergreenhs.org/

Reentry Resource - Multiple Resources

(716) 881-5150 http://www.caoec.org

Food - Food Pantry

8180 Greiner Road Buffalo NY 14221 (716) 842-1300 http://www.themorlockfoundation.org

Food - Food Pantry

6619 Southwestern Blvd. P.O. Box 10 Lakeview NY 14085 (716) 627-2183 http://www.sccministries.org

Food - Food Pantry

15 Pine Street Buffalo NY 14204 (716) 847-6555 http://www.firstshilohbuffalo.com

Food - Food Pantry

Group Ministries Inc 1333 Jefferson Avenue Buffalo NY 14208 (716) 883-4367 http://www.volunteerbuffalo.com

Food - Food Pantry

Urban Christian Ministries 967 Jefferson Avenue Buffalo NY 14204 (716) 882-9472 http://urbanchristianministries.org/

Reentry Resource - Multiple Resources Available

1370 William Street, Buffalo NY 14206 (716) 854-1086 Reginald Brown, Program Coordinator Primarily the East Side of Buffalo but not limited by geographic area. Monday-Friday, 8:30am-5:00pm. No fees for supportive services. Rent is \$350 for halfway house. Call or walk-in, appointments preferred. Accepts referrals, court mandates, and referrals from probation/parole. Services are provided to assist individuals who are being/have been released from prison with their return to mainstream society. Assistance includes group counseling, job referrals, enrollment in an educational program, applying for food stamps and Medicaid, and supportive living housing. Also provides court advocacy for individuals who are mandated by the court to attend one of BTB's programs, as well as those individuals who voluntarily enroll in the BTB program and/or are also involved in the court (have been charged with a crime). Collaborates with many agencies to provide referrals and linkages to services that are mandated by parole and/or the court. http://www.b2bministries.com

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1280 Main Street, Third Floor Buffalo, NY 14209

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Shelter - Homeless Shelter

100 East Tupper Street Buffalo NY 14203 (716) 854-8181 https://www.buffalocitymission.org/

Volunteer - Volunteer Opportunities

We make it easy for good people and good causes to connect. We are a community that believes in the power of volunteering to enrich our lives and the world around us. Find locations to volunteer near you!

Virtual volunteer opportunities are also available https://www.volunteermatch.org/virtual-volunteeri ng

https://www.volunteermatch.org/city/Buffalo%2C+ NY%2C+USA

(716) 539-1783

This program can start while you are still in incarceration and continues through release and while on parole.

Check with your facility parole officer to see if you qualify while still incarcerated or your field parole officer to see if you can enroll in the program after you have been released. The Reentry Program works with you to create an Transitional Accountability Plan, which identifies your personal goals and needs. You will work with a Care Coordinator who will assist you with meeting the conditions of parole and the goals of the TAP by scheduling appointments with providers and identifying ways to overcome difficulties in areas of transportation, employment, family and more. Studies by such places as Stanford University have found that the first 72 hours are a critical and crucial time when you have the potential to seize the moment and lay good foundations for a new start.

You need to be connected with housing, counseling, employment, medical and other resources as quickly as possible. This is at a time when there may also be temptations and the potential to become overwhelmed or confused by the many choices available.

http://www.wnynewstart.org/erie links.html

Shelter - Low Income Housing

104 Maryland Street Buffalo NY 14201 (716) 845-0485 http://thebellecenter.publishpath.com/