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Restoring Connections Summary

Focused on justice involved individuals that are within 6 months of release from incarceration to within 6 months after incarceration that have been unemployed at least 15 weeks in the past 52 weeks. This program is to provide intensive wrap-around services to these individuals to assist them in securing employment. Participants will be offered:

- Pre-Vocational Services
- Receive Work Readiness Services
- Options also include:
 - Non-Credentialed training
 - Classroom Training that results in a credential
 - On-the-Job Training (OJT)

Participants will receive one-on-one career counseling/case management, job search assistance, skills training, and wrap-around support services.

ELIGIBILITY:

Participants that meet all criteria:

- Justice involved individuals who are Minnesota residents
- Have not worked or had employment for 15 weeks in the last year, (doesn't need to be consecutive)

Note: Weeks while incarcerated can be counted as unemployed if they have started talking about their next stops for when released, looking at career options, visiting with either RMCEP counselors or counselors within the justice system that assist them with careers and employment options, even though they are not available for work during those weeks. Also, hours worked during incarceration do not count as work.

- Are within 6 months of release or have been released in the last 6 months from various correctional facilities _
- Are authorized to work in the United States.

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