



ISSUE BRIEF

EASTERN OREGON CORRECTIONAL INSTITUTION

Eastern Oregon Correctional Institution (EOCI) is a medium-security prison located in Pendleton. The buildings that makeup EOCI were constructed in 1911 – 1913 and were originally used as a state mental hospital. After two years of renovation, EOCI received its first adults in custody (AICs) on June 24, 1985.

Site information:

- Total acreage: 280
- Total acres inside the fenced perimeter: 23

Capacity:

- Budgeted capacity 1,659
- Adult in custody count 7/2022: 1,345
- Emergency bed capacity: 95

Special Housing:

- Disciplinary Segregation
- Infirmary with 24- hour nursing care
- Mental Health Housing, Mental Health Services

Number of staff: 452

Labor representation: American Federation of State, County, and Municipal Employees (AFSCME), Association of Oregon Corrections Employees (AOCE)

Programs and services:

- Joys of Living Assistance Dogs Program

- Getting Out by Going In – (GOGI)
- Certified Master Clock Repair Program
- Cognitive Behavioral Treatment Program
- Art Inside Out – Art Therapy
- Certified Hospice Care Giver Program
- Toastmasters, New Directions Program
- Education – GED, high school, and college-level classes
- Alcoholics Anonymous, Narcotics Anonymous, and Chronic Disease Self-Management Program
- HVAC – LME, LEA, LEB Apprenticeship Certification Program
- SAE Automotive, Welding Certification Program, Plant Journeyman Electrical Licensing Program, water treatment, and boiler certification
- Pathfinders
- Religious Services, Mindfulness
- Food Handlers and Bakery Certification

Oregon Corrections Enterprises (OCE)

Industries:

- Garment factory (Prison Blues)
- Contact Center, Embroidery, Laundry

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