



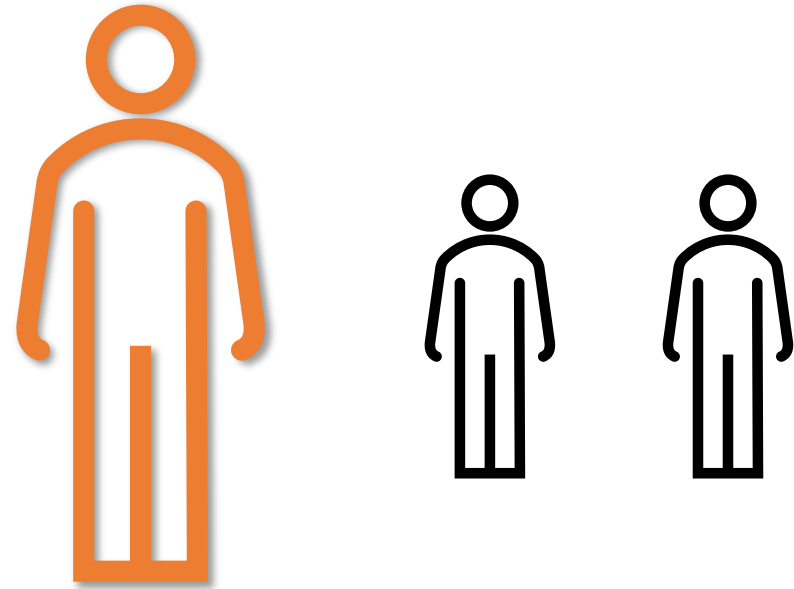
Serving Oregon's Incarcerated Population:

PG Programming & Outcomes



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**PG impacts more
than $\frac{1}{3}$ of
incarcerated adults
(AICs) in Oregon**



PG & Criminality Risk

- **65% of AICs w/PG cite gambling as a contributing factor in their criminal activity**
- **AICs with PG are 4x more likely to reoffend than AICs w/o PG**



Additional Risks

- **As many as 97% of AICs with PG also struggle with SUD**
- **AICs with PG have very low awareness of their problem gambling**
- **DOC does not screen for PG at Intake**



GRIP (Gambling Reduction & Recovery for Incarcerated Populations)

- ✓ 12 group sessions (weekly, one hour, closed-group)
- ✓ Screen AICs using PGSI to determine need
- ✓ Curriculum incorporates overlap of criminality & SUD w/PG
- ✓ Wellness plan – option of reduced-harm or abstinence
- ✓ Certificate of completion
- ✓ Referrals to resources in their community of release
- ✓ Utilize a pre/post survey to track results

GRIP Program Results

Served **250 AIC** with 83% completing the program:

- ✓ Decreased expectation to gamble post-release
- ✓ Increased awareness of treatment resources & cost
- ✓ Increased confidence to seek help once they released
- ✓ 98% said it was helpful to them
- ✓ 98% said they'd recommend program to others





How you
can help?

Reach out and partner!

- ✓ Jails
- ✓ Community Corrections (Parole/Probation)
- ✓ Transitional Housing
- ✓ Reentry Programs
- ✓ Other ideas?



Thank you

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