MTC prepares incarcerated men to successfully return to their communities

Nearly all of the men incarcerated at Bridgeport Correctional Center will eventually be released. It’s MTC’s responsibility to provide a wide range of educational, vocational, substance abuse, cognitive behavioral, and life skills programs to prepare these men to successfully return to their communities.

Bridgeport Correctional Center contributes significantly to the local economy

- **Staff employed:** 113
- **Local spend:** $1,473,182

Bridgeport Correctional Center strives to be a leader in social impact

- 5,659 service hours donated by staff and incarcerated men to improve local communities and aid in the rehabilitation of those who are incarcerated
- Provided 631,667 hours of effective programs, courses, and activities including adult basic education, GED, addiction recovery, and re-entry

Bridgeport Correctional Center has achieved nationally-recognized corrections, education, and safety accreditations

Bridgeport Correctional Center is accredited by the American Correctional Association—achieving 100% compliance for both mandatory and non-mandatory standards in its most recent audit. Other accreditations and certifications include the Correctional Education Association and the Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA).

Rehabilitation Programs

**Education**
- Adult Basic Education
- General Education Development
- Peer Education
- Pre-GED

**Vocation**
- Computer Training

**Substance Abuse**
- Alcohol & Drug
- Alcoholics & Narcotics Anonymous Groups
- Celebrate Recovery

**Life Skills**
- Acceleron
- Anger Resolution
- Father Initiatives Class
- Financial Management
- Marriage on the Rocks
- Mentoring
- Pre-Release/Life Skills
- Roadmaps
- Toastmasters

**Therapy**
- Behavior Enhancement Program
- Psychiatric Review
- Specialized Individual Counseling

**Religious**
- Bible Study
- Bridges to Life
- Faith Based Dorm
- Kolbe Retreat
- Life Restoration
- Quest for Authentic Manhood
MTC is committed to being a good neighbor and investing in the local community

MTC is proud to be a part of the community in Wise County. Staff and inmates volunteer both time and money in the community, working with various non-profit organizations and other groups that benefit the local community. Representatives from local government, business, and civic organizations serve on the facility’s community relations council. Facility leaders share important updates and collaborate on issues important to the community.

Community Relations Council

- Mayor Randy Singleton
  Bridgeport City
- Chief Steve Stanford
  Bridgeport Police Department
- Sheriff Lane Akin
  Wise County
- Judge JD Clark
  Wise County
- Mary Beth Holder
  Chamber of Commerce
- Jake Martinez
  Bridgeport Index Newspaper

“We need more facilities like this one that are dedicated to inmate rehabilitation—otherwise, the unfortunate cycle of crime will likely continue.”

Marybeth Holder – Executive Director, Bridgeport Chamber of Commerce, April 2019

“The staff, they’re on top of the security...I here all the time of the ‘BIONIC’ [culture], and it’s really something that you see in motion a lot around here. Believe it or not I care.”

~ Justin Olle, resident, Bridgeport Correctional Center, February 2019