Cleveland Correctional Center
Preparing Incarcerated Men for Successful Re-Entry
May 2019

Warden: Michael Upshaw  |  Capacity: 520 Inmates  |  Security Level: Minimum
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MTC prepares incarcerated men to successfully return to their communities
Nearly all of the men incarcerated at Cleveland 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.

Cleveland Correctional Center contributes significantly to the local economy

Staff employed: 121  
County revenue: $329,367  
Local spend: $452,528

Cleveland Correctional Center strives to be a leader in social impact

7,233 service hours donated by staff and incarcerated men to improve local communities and aid in the rehabilitation of those who are incarcerated

Provided 500,308 hours of effective programs, courses, and activities including adult basic education, GED, addiction recovery, and re-entry

Cleveland Correctional Center has achieved nationally-recognized corrections, education, and safety accreditations
Cleveland 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, National Center for Construction Education and Research (NCCER), and the Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA).

Rehabilitation Programs

Education
• Adult Basic Education
• Aztec Learning
• General Education Development

Vocation
• NCCER Core
• NCCER Building Maintenance
• NCCER Electrical
• Prison Entrepreneurship Program

Substance Abuse
• Celebrate Recovery

Life Skills
• Anger Management
• Changes II
• Conduit – Acceleron Learning
• Financial Peace University
• Inside Out Dad
• Men of Distinction
• SAMHSA Anger Management
• Toastmasters

Religious
• Deliverance
• Experiencing God
• Bible Study
• Religious Mentors
• Voyager
• Faith-based Pod

Management & Training Corporation operates the Cleveland Correctional Center for the Texas Department of Criminal Justice
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 Liberty 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

- Constable Neil Adams
  San Jacinto County Pct. 2
- Chief Sean Anderson
  Cleveland Fire Department
- Constable Roy Pippin
  San Jacinto County Pct. 2
- Debra Hagler
  Shepherd City Secretary
- Executive Director Brenda Myers
  Children’s Impact Center
- Rick Hartley
  Shepherd ISD Superintendent
- Joe Williams
  Shepherd EDC President
- Tom Pierce
  Police and Fireman Insurance Association
- Sheriff Bobby Rader
  Liberty County
- Robert Reynolds
  Industrial Board / Economic Development
- Vanessa Brashier
  Bluebonnet
- Chief Darrel Broussard
  Cleveland Police
- VP/COO Jim Carson
  Cleveland Chamber of Commerce
- Mayor Otis Cohn
  Cleveland City
- Kelly McDonald
  Cleveland City Manager
- Mayor Charles Minton
  Shepherd City
- Darrell Myers
  Cleveland ISD Superintendent

“This facility has been an excellent model for rehabilitation and change. I’ve visited the prison and seen firsthand how staff are not only committed to safety and security but to inmate rehabilitation.”

~ Darrel Broussard, Cleveland Chief of Police, April 2019

“Attaining my GED in the Cleveland Correctional Center was really simple for me...our teacher instructed the class and helped us understand the lessons he was teaching...I was successful in passing my GED and was awarded a salutatorian certificate!”

~ Juan Medina, resident, Cleveland Correctional Center, June 2018