



Gadsden Correctional Facility

Preparing Women for Successful Re-entry | January 2022



Facility Profile

Warden: Jerry Buscher | **Capacity:** 1,250 Residents | **Security Level:** Minimum, Medium, Community

Location: 6044 Greensboro Highway | Quincy, FL 32351 | (850) 875-9701

Hiring Local and Supporting the Quincy Community



250 Dedicated employees preparing residents for re-entry



\$1,889,471 Spent supporting local businesses

Research Shows Education and Training Works



Education and training lowers recidivism by up to **43%***



For every **\$1** spent on education and training, **\$5** is



saved for future law enforcement and corrections costs*

Culture of Caring—A Foundation for Success

- 1 Hire and train caring staff
- 2 Treat staff and residents with compassion
- 3 Transform lives through education, training, and treatment
- 4 Prepare residents for successful re-entry

Providing Education and Training to Reduce Recidivism

Resident Results

385 certificates earned in educational, career training, substance abuse treatment, and life-skills programs in the last year.



Certifications and Education Programs

Women at the Gadsden Correctional Facility can earn a GED and further advance their academic education through a variety of course. Residents also have the opportunity to participate in training in cosmetology, computer technology, and entrepreneurship. Employment after release from prison is key to reducing recidivism.



Gadsden Correctional Facility has Achieved Nationally-Recognized Corrections and Safety Accreditations

Gadsden Correctional Facility is accredited by the American Correctional Association—achieving 100% compliance for both mandatory and non-mandatory standards in its most recent audit. The facility is also certified by the Prison Rape Elimination Act (PREA).



PREA
Prison Rape
Elimination Act

Rehabilitation Programs



Education

- Academic Peer Tutoring
- Adult Basic Education
- General Education Development
- Spanish



Life Skills

- Cage Your Rage for Women
- Therapy
- Individual Counseling
- Trauma in Life



Religious

- Bible Study
- Purpose Driven Life



Substance Abuse

- Alcoholics Anonymous
- Anonymous Groups
- Celebrate Recovery
- Intensive Outpatient
- Recovery Services
- Responsible Living



Vocation

- Substance Abuse Education
- Understanding your Addiction
- Canine Program
- Cosmetology
- Computer Training
- Entrepreneurship

Valuing the Quincy Community

MTC is proud to be a part of the community in Gadsden 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.

Nearly 300 volunteers support the Gadsden Correctional Facility in its efforts to rehabilitate the female residents. The valuable community partners provide life-skills courses, public-speaking programs, addiction-recovery classes, and a wide variety of religious services. This selfless service by dedicated volunteers makes a difference in the lives of hundreds of women.

Community Relations Council

- **Mayor Jeff McNealy**
Gretna City
- **Mayor Pro-Tem Angela Sapp**
Quincy City
- **Mayor Pro-Tem Evelyn Riley Goldwire**
Gretna City
- **Sherrie Taylor**
Quincy City
- **Commissioner Anessa Canidale**
Quincy City
- **Commissioner Eric Hinson**
Gadsden County
- **Chief Glenn H. Sapp, Sr.**
Quincy Police Department
- **Commissioner Ronterius Green**
Gadsden County
- **Sherrif Morris Young**
Gadsden County Sherrif's Office

COVID-19 Safety Precautions

Since the outbreak of the COVID-19 Pandemic, MTC has closely followed the Centers for Disease Control and Prevention and local health department protocols and recommendations to keep our staff and clients safe. The health of our employees and those we care for is our top priority.