

# PREPARING MEN FOR SUCCESSFUL RE-ENTRY

JANUARY 2024

## FACILITY PROFILE

**Acting Warden:** Tom Watson | **Capacity:** 2,300 Residents | **Security Level:** Minimum, Medium

**Location:** 670 Marion-Williamsport Road E | Marion, OH 43302 | (740) 387-7040

## Mission Statement

Giving people hope, skills, and opportunities for a better life.

## Providing Education and Training to Reduce Recidivism



### RESIDENT RESULTS

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



### RECOVERY, THERAPY, AND CERTIFICATIONS PROGRAMS

North Central Correctional Complex has partnered with Marion Technical College to offer an Associate of Technical Studies in Business and Associate of Technical Studies in Supply Chain and Logistics Management. Residents can earn a GED and further advance their academic education through a variety of courses and can participate in training in HVAC. Employment after release from prison is key to reducing recidivism.

## Hiring and Supporting the Local Community



**318** dedicated employees preparing residents for re-entry



**\$4,568,153** spent supporting local businesses



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\*

\* Davis, Lois M., Robert Bozick, Jennifer L. Steele, Jessica Saunders and Jeremy N. V. Miles. (2013). Evaluating the Effectiveness of Correctional Education: A Meta-Analysis of Programs That Provide Education to Incarcerated Adults (p. 3). Santa Monica, CA: RAND Corporation. Retrieved from [http://www.rand.org/pubs/research\\_reports/RR266.html](http://www.rand.org/pubs/research_reports/RR266.html)

## Nationally-Recognized Corrections and Safety Accreditations

North Central Correctional Complex is accredited by the American Correctional Association—achieving 99% 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

- Adult Basic Education
- General Education Development
- Math Preparation
- Spanish



### Life Skills

- 7 Habits
- After Care
- Anger Control
- Cage Your Rage
- Decision Points
- Financial Peace
- InsideOut Dad
- Money Smart
- Recycling
- Roots for Success



### Recreation/other

- Solutions Project
- Thinking for a Change
- TYRO Dads
- CPR/First Aid



### Religious

- Bible Study
- Christianity 101
- Kairos Ministry



### Substance Abuse

- Alcohólicos Anónimos (AA)
- Alcoholics Anonymous (AA)
- AOD Education
- Breaking the Cycle
- Cocaine Anonymous (CA)



### Therapy

- Intensive Outpatient Program (IOP)
- Narcotics Anonymous (NA)
- Starting Point



### Vocation

- Auto
- Business Courses
- Computer Courses
- Culinary Arts
- Electrician
- HVAC
- Janitorial Apprenticeship

## Valuing the Community

MTC is proud to be a part of the community in Marion County. Through donations and community service, staff and residents partner with various non-profit organizations and other groups to benefit their community. Representatives from local government, business, and civic organizations also serve on the facility's community relations council, where facility leaders share important updates and collaborate on issues important to the community.

More than 130 volunteers provide valuable classes and programs to help rehabilitate the men at the North Central Correctional Complex. These programs include addiction recovery, job preparation, life skills, and religious services to help residents improve their lives.

## Community Relations Council

- **Chief Jay McDonald**  
Chief of Police for Marion City
- **Sheriff Matt Bayles**  
Marion County Sheriff
- **Charles A. Jones**  
Ohio State Highway Patrol